

Heritage CRC

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SUNDAY WORSHIP:@ 9:30 AM

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE:
Thursday by 8:00 am. Call,
leave a note, or e-mail to
churchoffice@heritagecrc.org.

OFFICE HOURS:
Wednesday: 7:00 am —11:30 pm
Thursday: 7:00 am —11:00 pm

Volunteer Schedule...

COFFEE SERVERS:

July 23 & 30 Norbert & Joy Hegelmann/Ron & Sharon Stryd
August 6 & 13 Becky Smith, Linda DeLoof, Linda VanGoeye, Arnie Keur

PRAYER LINE MINISTRY: Glen Wagner/Judy Fletcher

PRAYER EMAIL MINISTRY: prayerline@heritagecrc.org


SERVICE MINISTRY: Judy Wieringa/Kathy VanderMeer

MULTIMEDIA MINISTRY:

July 30 - Pat Schewe
August 6 - Lillie Ann Durian
Aug. 13 - Lisa Durian
Aug. 20 - Paul Booden

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS:

July 30 ~ Pam Gould

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				27	28	29 Taylor Bruinwood/ Haley Edie Wedding
30 9:30 am Mr. Joey DeKoekkoek "Retreat, Restore, Return" John 21	31	1 	2	3	4	5
6 Communion 9:30 am Rev. Kurt Selles "For You Are With Me" Psalm 23	7	8 7 pm Admin Council	9	10	11	12
13 9:30 am Pastor Simon "The House of the Lord" Psalm 122	14	15 3:30 Shep. Elders	16	17	18	19



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What's up in Worship

This week we welcome Guest Preacher, Mr. Joey DeKoekkoek to lead us in worship. His sermon is based on John 21, "Retreat, Restore, Return".



Taylor Bruinwood and Haley Edie will be married at Heritage CRC this Saturday, July 29 at 3:00 pm. The congregation is invited to witness the wedding ceremony.



Celebrations...

Birthdays...

Rick Knurr ~ August 2
Linda VanGoeye ~ August 2
Olivia Bosch ~ August 5



The Finch family invites everyone to join them in the fellowship hall on Sunday, July 30, after the morning worship service to celebrate Karan's 80th birthday. Coffee and Cake will be served.



thank you

We would like to thank all of our wonderful friends at Heritage for their prayers, love, care and visits while Phil was ill. He is improving day by day. God is good. Phil & Barb Nieboer



We are in need of nursery volunteers for the Sunday morning services. There is a sign up sheet on the table by the office to sign up if you can help out with this ministry. Thank you!

Bible League Conference

The grass withers and flowers fade, but the Word of God stands forever. Isaiah 40:8. **Join us on Friday, September 8 in Byron Center** as we explore ways to grow a firm foundation and build the Kingdom of God throughout our life's journey. At the Growing Inward-Reaching Outward conference, you will hear from keynote speaker Carol Kent as she shares God's Word in multiple sessions and her family's story of growing an enduring faith when life sends its worst. Also, Dan Chapman, grandson of Bible League's founder, shares the powerful history of how a single prayer was the catalyst to *The Story Without an End*. An offering will be taken to support the ministry of Bible engagement. Cost is \$40 for event with lunch (limited seating) or \$27 without lunch. Register today at: Bibleleague.org/tickets (deadline August 31).



Severe Weather Cancellation: In the event of severe weather and Sunday services are cancelled, closing information will be posted on Channel 3 WWMT at least 1 hour prior to the worship service start time. You can also sign up to receive text or email alerts from Channel 3. Go to WWMT website, click on weather, then closings. Then sign up to receive texts on your phone or email alerts for Heritage Christian Reformed Church.



Offering Schedule

- July 30 General Fund
Loose Change: Pacific Island Ministries
- Aug 6 General Fund & Christian Ed. Assistance
Loose Change: Park Village Pines
- Aug 13 General Fund & Ministry Shares
Loose Change: Kal. Gospel Ministries
- Aug 20 General Fund & Faith Promise
Loose Change: Benevolence Fund

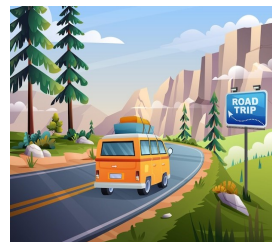
Offerings (deposited for July 16, 2023)

- Christian Ed. Assistance ~ \$50.00
- Faith Promise ~ \$190.00
- General Fund ~ \$4,525.00
- Growing Hope Globally ~ \$297.00
- Memorial Fund ~ \$400.00
- Ministry Shares ~ \$215.00
- Park Village Pines ~ \$238.00

Deposit for July 23, 2023

- Building Fund ~ \$160.00
- Christian Ed. Assistance ~ \$25.00
- Faith Promise ~ \$475.00
- Forgotten Man Ministries ~ \$246.00
- General Fund ~ \$3,785.00
- Ministry Shares ~ \$100.00

Pastor Simon will be on vacation July 17 through August 7. Please pray for safe travels for the Tuin family. If a need arises while Pastor Simon is away, please contact your district elder.



While Pastor Simon is away we are grateful to the following for filling our pulpit at Heritage:

- July 30: Mr. Joey DeKoekkoek
- August 6: Rev. Kurt Selles

ReFrame Ministries

Groundwork: Only Glorify Jesus - The Apostle Paul offers a valuable perspective on power, authority, and leadership in the church, and a vital reminder that Christ is the foundation upon which we should build all things. Join Groundwork as we study 1 Corinthians 3 to gain a better understanding of what it means to dwell in Christ and live and work as believers today. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

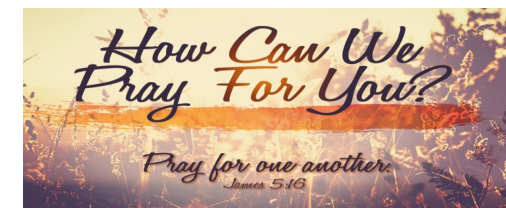
Kids Corner: Don't Be Afraid - Check out this week's kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. We all feel afraid at times. Maybe like the disciples in Matthew 8, you have been scared during a storm. Just like Jesus was with his disciples during the storm, it's important for us to remember that God promises to never leave us in our times of need. Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net like the Bible story podcast "Jesus Calms the Storm."

IRBC Training Course

The IRBS Basic Training Course in Biblical Counseling is for those who really want to grow in a practical understanding of God's Word as it applies to the common problems people experience. Registration ends **August 18**. Please prayerfully consider taking the course at Immanuel Fellowship Church of Kalamazoo, 6015 West H Ave. Visit www.reformedbiblicalcounseling.org for more information/registration.



We have received many notes of thanks over the last couple weeks for donations made to different organizations, here is a list of the thank you notes received: Wings of God, Growing Hope Globally, The Luke Society, Trinity Christian College, Kalamazoo Christian Schools, World Renew, and Dordt University. All are so thankful for the blessing of the donations from Heritage CRC.



Prayer line Reminder: Please send all prayer requests to Jerry Oele or if your email address has changed, you wish to have your or a friend's email added to the Prayer Line, or you wish to no longer receive Prayer Line emails, please send an email request to: jerry.oele@yahoo.com or prayerline@heritagecrc.org