

**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  
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OFFICE HOURS:  
Wednesday: 8:30 am —12:30 pm  
Thursday: 8:30 am —12:00 pm

**Volunteer Schedule...**

**COFFEE SERVERS:**

Feb. 5 & 12 Nick & Melissa Piontek/Ron & Sharon Stryd  
Feb. 19 & 26 Norbert & Joy Hegelmann/Bob & Jane Pangle

**PRAYER LINE MINISTRY:** Glen Wagner/Judy Fletcher

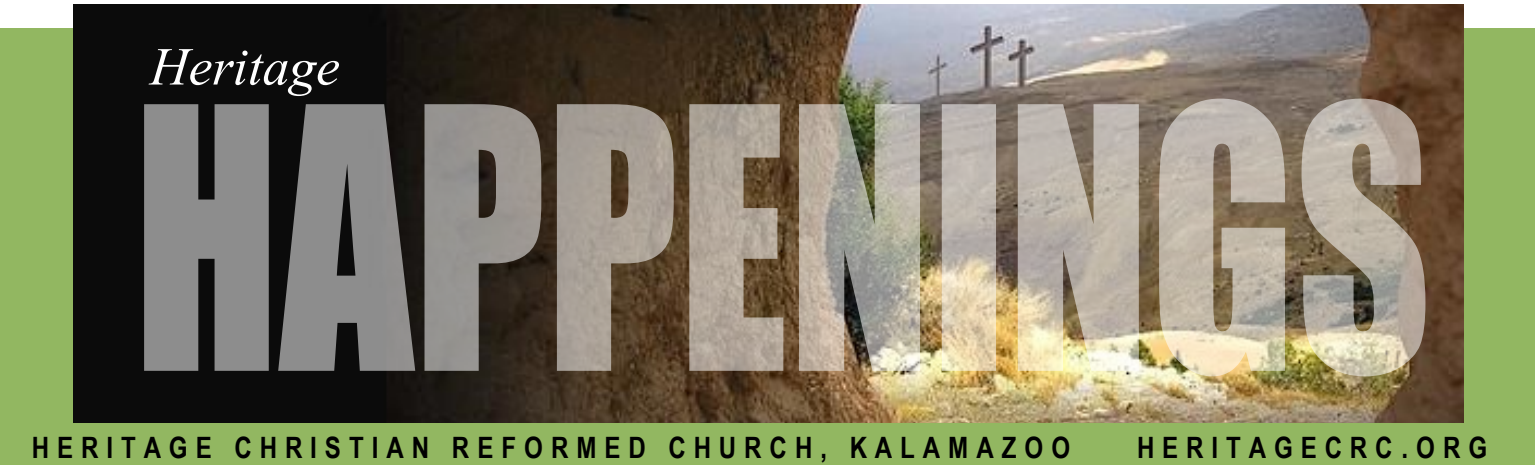
**PRAYER EMAIL MINISTRY:** prayerline@heritagecrc.org

**SERVICE MINISTRY:** Judy Wieringa/Kathy VanderMeer

**MULTIMEDIA MINISTRY:**

February 12 - LillieAnn Durian  
February 19 - Paul Booden  
February 26 - Gary Broekhuizen  
March 5 - Lisa Durian

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				9 9:30 am GROW Group	10	11
12 9:30 am Pastor Simon "Body Building" 1 Corinthians 12:1-31	13	14 7:00 pm Admin. Board	15 10 am The STORY Bible Study	16 9:30 am GROW Group	17	18
19 9:30 am Pastor Simon "The Most Excellent Way" 1 Corinthians 13:1-13	20	21 9:30 am Coffee Break 3:30 Shep. Elders	22 10 am THE STORY Bible Study	23 9:30 am GROW Group	24	25 7:45 am Mobile Food Initiative
26 9:30 am Pastor Simon "That the Church May Be Built Up" 1 Corinthians 14:1-40	27	28 10:00 am Book Club	1 8:00 am Men's Bible Study 10 am The STORY Bible Study 	2 9:30 am GROW Group	3	4



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**What's up in Worship**

This week's sermon is part of the sermon series: *The Church's One Foundation* (1 Corinthians). The sermon title is: "Body Building", 1 Corinthians 12:1-31.



The new selection for the book club is Coming Home by Rosamunde Pilcher. Against the backdrop of an English mansion before WWII and a continental-spanning canvas during the war, the story tells of a young woman coming of age and in every sense eventually coming home. We will meet Tuesday, February 28 at 10:00 am. Books are available from Dorothy Broekhuizen.

**Celebrations...**

**Birthdays...**

Chris VandenBerg - February 12  
Gert Nieboer - February 14  
Deb VanderMeer - February 14  
LillieAnn Durian - February 18



**Anniversaries...**

Nick & Stephanie Finch - February 14



If you have participated in the last few potlucks, please take a minute to check out the items on the counter in the kitchen to see if any of the items belong to you. Thank you.



Dear friends at Heritage CRC. This time of year we review past gifts and wanted to take a moment to thank you for your support of the Jesus Loves Kzoo movement. Your gift last July (of finances as well as volunteer time) made a difference! We ARE having a One Worship and Catalyst Week again this coming July. Please be in prayer with us as we seek a new director.

All for His glory, The JLK Team



**Help feed Daisy!** Over the past 16 years, Heritage CRC has partnered with Growing Hope Globally (<https://www.growinghopeglobally.org/>) and 2 other churches in Kalamazoo (Grace and Third CRC) to tackle world hunger! Each year, Red Arrow Dairy donates 5 cows and churches "rent" or "adopt" a cow to cover their feed and veterinary care expenses. In return, the dairy donates the value of the milk produced back to the churches.



Over the past 16 years, \$445,000 has been raised to support World Renew projects (<https://worldrenew.net/>) through Growing Hope Globally. In 2022, church contributions, the value of the milk produced and the donations of suppliers to the dairy raised \$31,116.82. This money will go to support World Renew projects in various countries.

As we look to a new year of support for Growing Hope Globally, you can sign up now on the "Adopt-a-Cow" poster which is located near the office, you can adopt Daisy the cow for \$57/week in 2023.



The Alternatives 2023 Life is Good Auction is officially open for registration!! The auction will take place on Friday, March 10 at Centerpoint Church, 2345 10th Street. The time is from 6:00-8:30 pm. Online registration is required in order to bid. Please send any information or questions to [lexie@alternativesofkzoo.org](mailto:lexie@alternativesofkzoo.org)

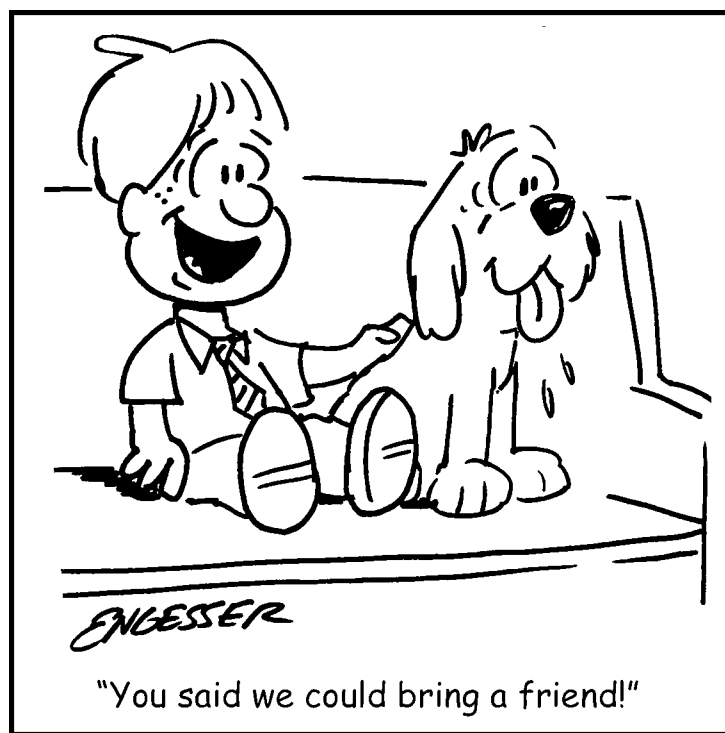
**Offering Schedule**

- Feb. 12 General Fund & Ministry Shares  
Loose Change: Christian Schools International
- Feb. 19 General Fund & Benevolence Fund  
Loose Change: Faith Promise
- Feb. 26 General Fund & Building Fund  
Loose Change: Kalamazoo Loaves & Fishes
- March 5 General Fund & Christian Ed. Assistance  
Loose Change: Park Village Pines

**Offerings (deposited for February 5, 2023)**

- Building Fund ~ \$535.00
- Christian Ed. Assist ~ \$110.00
- Faith Promise ~ \$110.00
- General Fund ~ \$7,455.00
- Kuyper College ~ \$182.00
- Ministry Shares ~ \$60.00

Our budget envelopes are still on a delay due to the company having supply and machine issues. They are hoping to have them shipped by the end of February. Again, we are sorry for the delay and please continue to indicate your envelope number and/or name and how much you want to go into each fund either on your check or a sheet of paper. The deacon's thank you for your help with this.



**ReFrame Ministries**

**Family Fire** - is an online community exploring Spirit-led family, marriage, parenting, in-laws, blended families, and intimacy. Find encouraging articles and devotions at [familyfire.com](http://familyfire.com). Subscribe for regular email updates and connect with our Family Fire community on Facebook.

God's Idea of Justice - Check out this week's kids' devotion at [www.kidscorner.net](http://www.kidscorner.net). Imagine that you see someone being bullied. Do you just watch, or turn away, or do you try to help the person being bullied? How does God want you to respond? What is God's idea of justice? Check out all the great content at [kidscorner.net](http://kidscorner.net) like the Kids Corner Valentine Cards.

**Groundwork:** Seeing Jesus Christ in Heaven - The Bible's final book of Revelation has long been a source of mystery to Christians across the ages. Join our Groundwork conversation as we study Revelation 1 to examine the opening images of John's heavenly vision and discuss the comfort it offers believers still today. Listen now at [Groundworkonline.com](http://Groundworkonline.com) and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

**World Renew**

Help Earthquake Survivors - World Renew is responding to 2 major earthquakes in Türkiye and Syria. You can help provide emergency aid to people who desperately need it through World Renew. Please give generously today at [worldrenew.net](http://worldrenew.net), call 800-552-7972, or make out your check to World Renew, with Türkiye/Syria Earthquake Response in the memo line, and send to: World Renew, 8970 Byron Commerce Dr. SW, Byron Center, MI 49315.

**Family Faith Formation Tip**

Rain For Roots is a collective of songwriters that includes Sandra McCracken, Katy Bowser, Ellie Holcomb, and Flo Paris. They came together around a single vision: to make new Scripture songs for children, centered around the poetry of Sally Lloyd-Jones (author of The Jesus Storybook Bible).

Check them out at [rainforroots.com](http://rainforroots.com).



[crcna.org/FaithFormation](http://crcna.org/FaithFormation)



**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](mailto:jerry.oele@yahoo.com) or [prayerline@heritagecrc.org](mailto:prayerline@heritagecrc.org)

**Video Recording**

A video recording of the morning worship service will be posted to our church YouTube page either on Sunday or Monday. Here is the link to our YouTube page: <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCutET663hVzpPohBMiCXEQA>. If you haven't already done so, be sure to subscribe to our YouTube channel and click the notification bell to receive updates whenever a new video becomes available.

