

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: 8:30 am —12:30 pm
Thursday: 8:30 am —12:00 pm

Volunteer Schedule...

COFFEE SERVERS:

Jan. 22 & 29 Matt & Lisa Durian/Bonnie Colvin & Teri Wagner
Feb. 5 & 12 Nick & Melissa Piontek/Ron & Sharon Stryd

PRAYER LINE MINISTRY: Glen Wagner/Judy Fletcher

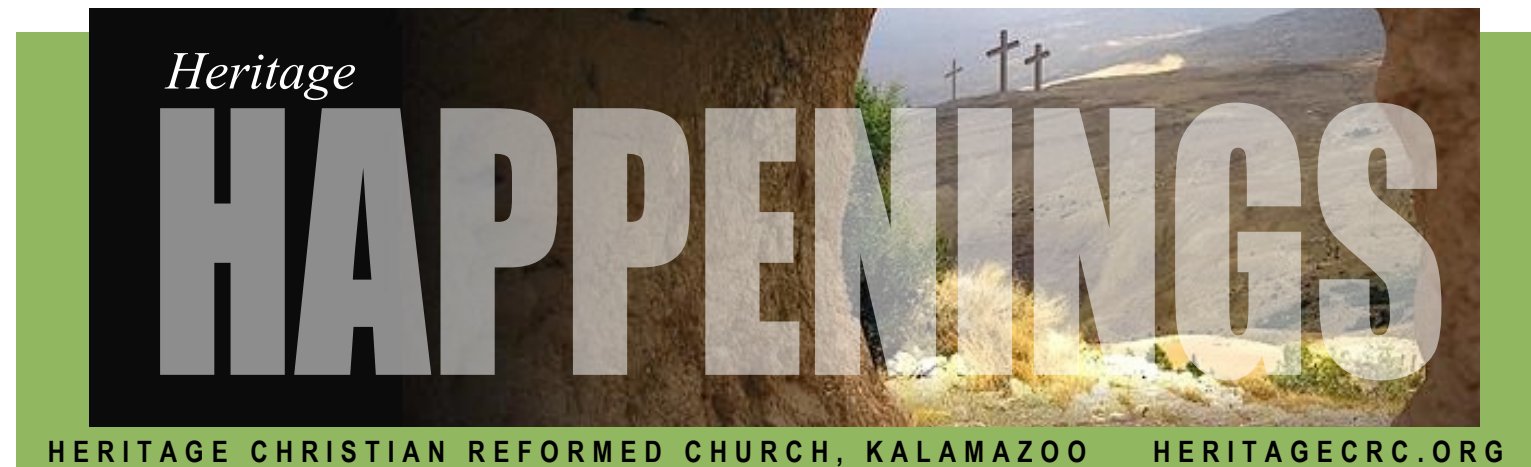
PRAYER EMAIL MINISTRY: prayerline@heritagecrc.org

SERVICE MINISTRY: Judy Wieringa/Kathy VanderMeer

MULTIMEDIA MINISTRY:

January 29 - Gary Broekhuizen
February 5 - Lisa Durian
February 12 - LillieAnn Durian
February 19 - Paul Booden

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				26	27	28 7:45 am Mobile Food Initiative
29 9:30 am Pastor Simon "On Worship Order" 1 Corinthians 11:2-16	30	31	1 8 am Men's Bible Study 10 am The STORY Bible Study	2 9:30 am GROW Group	3	4
5 9:30 am Pastor Simon "When We Come Together to Eat" 1 Corinthians 11:17-34 11:00 am All Church Potluck	6	7 9:30 am Coffee Break	8 10 am THE STORY Bible Study	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



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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: "On Worship Order", 1 Corinthians 11:2-16.



Ministry Update: Since 2008, several members have served as Pastoral Care Ministry Assistants (PCMA) and assisted the pastor and shepherding elders in regularly visiting and encouraging members who are homebound, in the hospital or living in nursing homes. At this time, Irene Vanderberg and Judy Fletcher serve in this capacity. We are pleased to welcome Laura Goethe as our newest PCMA. Thank you to our PCMA servants and your ministry at Heritage Church.

Dear friends at Heritage CRC, as it is written, "How beautiful on the mountains are the feet of those who bring good news..." We can only accomplish this with your gifts and prayers. Thank you so much for your recent gifts. We were greatly encouraged! We face a tremendous task but we press on knowing that greater is He that is in us than he that is in the world. Praise the Lord that His word will not return void.

Serving together, Chuck & Barb Micheals

Celebrations...

Birthdays...

Trudy Oele - January 30
Arnie Keur - February 1
Joy Knurr - February 2
Bob Razenberg - February 2
Bruce Fletcher - February 4



Anniversaries...

Nick & Melissa Piontek - January 29
Mike & Cheri Gavin - January 31



Our next church potluck will be on February 5 after our morning service. Please bring a dish to pass if you are able, drinks and table service will be provided. We hope to see you there!



There are new directory pages in your mailboxes in the foyer. If you need a directory, please talk to Lisa Bosch.

Mobile Food Initiative is Saturday, January 28.

7:45 AM at Centerpoint Church. Please let the office know if you can help out.

See you there!



Coming this Spring! The Fine Arts department at Kalamazoo Christian High School will host a Fine Arts Showcase at Heritage this Spring (April 24-May 13). During this time, 30-40 pieces of art will be on display in the Fellowship Hall and possibly a few pieces in the lobby. Opening night is Thursday, April 27 and will include musical presentations from students from the high school. Be sure to put this on your calendar as we enjoy seeing the art from these students.



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

- Jan. 29 General Fund
Loose Change: Wycliffe
- Feb. 5 General Fund & Christian Ed. Assistance
Loose Change: Kuyper College
- Feb. 12 General Fund & Ministry Shares
Loose Change: Christian Schools International
- Feb. 19 General Fund & Benevolence Fund
Loose Change: Faith Promise

Offerings (deposited for January 22, 2023)

- Building Fund ~ \$1,110.00
- Faith Promise ~ \$45.00
- General Fund ~ \$4,158.00
- Memorial Fund ~ \$100.00
- Ministry Shares ~ \$25.00
- World Renew (CRWRC) ~ \$102.00

We are still waiting on the arrival of the 2023 offering envelopes, until they arrive, please be sure to designate your envelope number and/or name and how much you want to go into each fund either on your check or on a separate sheet of paper. We are sorry for the inconvenience.



Raising Spiritual Warriors - Haven Church (5350 N Sprinkle Rd, Kalamazoo, MI) is hosting this FREE event on Saturday, January 28 from 9-12:30pm. Amy Davison of Mama Bear Apologetics will equip & encourage us to Raise Warriors and stand firm in God's word & His design for sexuality. A third session is available at 1pm at a small cost (\$10/person or \$25/family). Registration is required. See link for details: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/raising-spiritual-warriors-registration-507808808817>

ReFrame Ministries

Teamwork on Three! 1...2...3 - Check out the new kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. Anyone who plays sports knows the importance of teamwork. Paul reminds us of the working together in Galatians 6. We are to carry each other's burdens. Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net like the Kids Corner Valentine Cards.

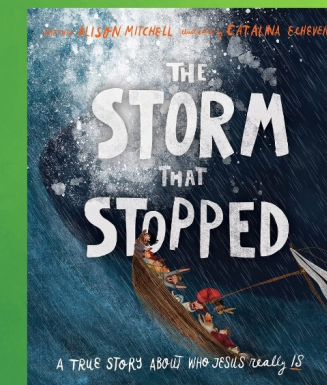
Groundwork: God Is In Control - Just like the Israelites needed to trust God to provide the victories that would finally give them the Promised Land, we too need to learn to trust that God is in full control and will provide for us. Join Groundwork as we study we Joshua 10-11 to remember God's faithfulness and that it is not our own strength or skill, but God's provision and leadership that will bring eternal rest for all his people. Listen now at Groundworkonline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.



Divorce Care Group is starting Thursday, Feb. 16 at Prairie Edge Church, Portage, MI at 6:30pm. This 13-week Christ-centered program includes three main parts – video, group discussions and personal Bible Study to help you face some of the most painful and stressful experiences a person can have. The videos feature teaching from over 50 leading Christian counselors, teachers and pastors who speak on topics important to people in separation or divorce. The videos also contain real-life stories of people who've been through a marital breakup, as they share their pain, challenges and path to healing. No cost to attend. For more info or to register, go to divorcecare.org, contact Sarah Fillar at 616-558-0456 or the Prairie Edge Church office at 269-327-1570.

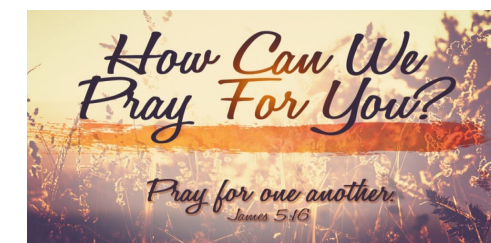
Family Faith Formation Tip

"Pausing with children to read and to wonder about meanings in words and in illustrations of Bible stories is a spiritual practice," writes Elizabeth Caldwell in *I Wonder: Engaging a Child's Curiosity about the Bible*.



For a list of some wonderful Christian picture books, visit bit.ly/FFpicturebooks

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 or 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.

