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## Morning Worship Service

Scripture: Ephesians 2:11-22

Message: “Church is a Community Connected by Covenant”

## Evening Worship Service – at Hamilton CRC

## Congregational & Community News

### **Our 2018-2019 Education year begins today.**

*There are classes for everyone 3 Years old through adult. Classroom information can be found on the insert in today's HRC Pulse or on the back of the bulletin.*

**Education Openings:** There are still a few opening for Leaders and Helpers for our education year. Sign up on the bulletin board by the carport or talk to Nicki or Gracie.

### **Song Time**

*1-2 Leaders*

### **Sunday School**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Grade**

*1 Leader*

### **Kid Connection**

*Many Helpers are needed*

**Church is...** Each week you are invited to fill it out a “Church is...” card by finishing the sentence. Completed cards can be hung on the bulletin board outside the Library. Blank cards can be found outside the Sanctuary as well as the ledge outside the Library.

### **October Heartbeat Deadline:**

Monday, September 24, is the deadline to submit articles and information to be published in the October Heartbeat.

### **Women's Sunday School Class:**

All women are welcome to be part of this class as we continue to study “He Chose the Nails” by Max Lucado. We will be discussing Lesson 6 entitled “I Will Let You Choose” when Sunday School begins on September 16. Please consider joining us, even if you don't have a book. Let's grow together as sisters in Christ.

**Consistory Nominations:** Ballots for Elder and Deacon nominations are due Thursday, September 20, and may be placed in either of the boxes outside the Sanctuary or Library. Pray for God's guidance in the selection of individuals to fill these leadership positions.

**Attention Moms:** Moms in Prayer International gathers moms together to pray for God to transform our children and schools. There are three groups that meet at Hamilton Reformed each week

- Moms of Adult Children meet on Thursdays at 8:00am
- Moms of Middle School Students meet on Thursdays at 9:00am
- Moms of High School Students meet on Thursdays at 9:00am

**Tim Hawkins:** Both youth groups will be going to see Tim Hawkins on Friday, November 2. **Students must sign up on the bulletin board by Sunday, September 16.** Tickets will be \$15/student.

### **Hungry for Christ Food**

**Distribution:** The last Hungry for Christ food distribution at Haven Reformed for 2019 is scheduled for Wednesday, September 19. Volunteers are needed for various tasks from about 11:30am-1:30pm with food distribution scheduled to happen from 12:30-1:30pm. If you are able to help, please contact Gloria at: haven@havenchurch.com.

### **Camp Li-Wa Barn Raising**

**Fundraiser:** The Mission Committee is having a fund raiser for the barn stabilization project at Camp Li-Wa in Alaska. The barn needs stabilizing, because of perma-frost shifting, for safe use of the barn for their year round ministry. See the inserted brochure for more details. Check your mail box next week for your order form from the Rise-N-Roll Bakery. Fill it out and place completed forms in box provided on the shelf near the mail boxes (with payment) by Sunday, October 7. If you have any questions, contact Tracy Van Den Beldt.

## Prayer Corner

### Please Pray for:

- Loren Rigterink is a patient at Spectrum Butterworth
- Sharon Haverdink has returned home

### Recovery & Rehab:

- Karen TerHaar
- Ruth VanHeukelom at Resthaven Care Center (280 W. 40<sup>th</sup> St.)

### Undergoing Treatments:

- Lorraine Nyhoff
- Stu Woldring

### Our Sympathies to:

- Stu & Bev Woldring and family on the passing of their sister-in-law, Myra Woldring, on September 7.

### This Week's Friend at Home

Leona Boerigter

### Missionary of the Week:

Chad & Dara Vanden Bosch  
Audio Scripture Ministries  
760 Waverly Rd.  
Holland, MI 49423  
Email: chad@asmtoday.org

### Missionary Prayer Requests:

- Give thanks for the time that the Zurita family spent with their family here and for their safe return to Guatemala. Pray that the programs they have for the kids in their area are fruitful and that the kids come to know the love of the Lord and accept God in their hearts and lives.

### **September Mission of the Month**

Audio Scripture Ministries

### Tithes & Offerings

September 9 Offering - \$8,329

## Happening this Week

### **Sunday, September 16**

- 9:30am Pastor Adam
- 10:45am High School Parent Meeting
- 11:00am Sunday School
- 11:15am Middle School Parent Meeting
- 6:00pm Evening Worship at HCRC

### **Monday, September 17**

- 8:45am Preschool
- 10:00am Pantry
- 6:30pm Zumba

### **Tuesday, September 18**

- 8:45am Preschool
- 1:00pm Quilting Group

### **Wednesday, September 19**

- 8:45am Preschool
- 9:00am Zumba
- 10:00am Pantry
- 6:30pm Discipleship Team Meeting

### **Thursday, September 20**

- 8:00am Moms In Prayer (Adult)
- 8:45am Preschool
- 8:45am Staff Meeting
- 9:00am Moms In Prayer (HMS/HHS)
- 5:00pm Pantry
- 7:00pm Zumba

### **Friday, September 21**

- 8:45am Preschool
- 10:00am Pantry

### **Saturday, September 22**

- 8:30am Zumba

### **A Look Ahead...**

### **Sunday, September 23**

- 9:30am Pastor Adam
- 6:00pm at Hamilton CRC

**September 24** – Consistory Meeting

### **Ministry Helpers**

**Greeters:** Gord & Linda Poll

**Nursery Helpers:** Kelsey Carroll  
Ruth Keegstra

### **Next Week (September 23)**

**Greeters:** Marion Poll

**Nursery Helpers:** Karen TerHaar  
Lisa Hulst

**Praise Team:** Tim, Brian, Paul & Dale

## A Note of Thanks

*Special thanks to all those that helped with the construction workers lunches in the recent summer weeks. For those that donated food, prepared food and the many that came to serve and clean up – thank you!! What a blessing to have so many construction folks come through our doors and be welcomed with a warm meal and a friendly smile from many of you!*

*The Women's Ministry Team*