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## Morning Worship Service

Scripture: Psalm 37:23-29

Message: “2020 Vision”

## Evening Worship Service – at HRC

Hymn Sing led by Nate & Friends

## Congregational & Community News

**Evening Worship Service:** Join us this evening at 6:00pm for a hymn sing led by Nate & Friends.

### **Family Night Meals Supplies:**

Paper products (plates, bowls, napkins, plastic-ware, Styrofoam containers) are located in the cupboards in the basement kitchen. Please check the supply before going out and purchasing items. Thank you to all who have signed up to prepare meals for our Family Night!

**Congregational Meeting:** The annual Congregational Meeting is scheduled for Tues., November 6 at 7:00pm

**Youth Group Prayer Partners:** We are looking for prayer partners for the next three months. Unlike prayer buddies, we are not looking for one on one prayer partners, but instead, a few people who will commit to praying for the students of HRC Student Ministries for the next three months. If you have any questions, please talk to Shaelee Van Der Stoep.

**Kids Hops Christmas Party:** Kids Hope will have a “store” at their Christmas party in December to give the kids a chance to shop for their family members. New and gently used items are being collected. Please place them in the KIDS HOPE tote outside the Library. Thanks!

### **Attention Men:** KIDS HOPE USA

Hamilton is seeking 3 male mentors to mentor three 4<sup>th</sup> grade boys. Do you have ONE hour a week for ONE school year to give to a boy in our community. I can almost guarantee it will be one of the most rewarding hours of your week. The teachers are very flexible with mentoring times. The only qualifications for this opportunity are: You must be 18 years old, read at or above a third grade level and want to make a difference in someone’s life. I know some of you are saying but I go south for a month in the winter, which is not an excuse because I have willing substitutes. Please prayerfully consider this opportunity. Contact Bev Ende at bendkidshope@gmail.com

**Elders Meeting:** The next Elders meeting is scheduled for Monday, November 5, at 7:00pm. Anyone interested in membership or baptism at HRC, please contact Pastor Adam.

### **Teen Challenge/Thanksgiving**

**Dinner:** On November 18, Teen Challenge will once lead our morning worship. Following worship we will gather for a Thanksgiving feast in the Fellowship Hall with those from Teen Challenge. All are invited and it’s a great time to bring a friend. We ask you to please sign-up on the sheet by the kitchen to let those planning the meal know how many to expect. Second, if you are able, please sign-up to bring a dessert, salad or rolls or to help with set-up or clean-up. We have much to be thankful for!

**Attention Snowbirds:** We want to stay in touch with you! Before you leave for a warmer climate, pick up an address form outside the Library. We can mail you the weekly HRC Pulse and the monthly Heartbeat, we can e-mail them to you, or you can find them on the church website at: [www.hamiltonreformedchurch.org](http://www.hamiltonreformedchurch.org) Return completed forms to the church office or Sara’s mailbox.

## A Note of Thanks

*Thank you to Women’s Ministry for the beautiful mum plant.  
Wilma Johnson*

*Thank you to Women’s Ministry for the wonderful mum plant and to Stan & Adella for delivering it and their nice visit.  
Sharon Haverdink*

## Prayer Corner

### Recovery & Rehab:

- Orv Deters is at Resthaven (280 W. 40<sup>th</sup> St.) for rehab and further recovery following double knee repair surgery on October 22
- Norma Reeves is recovering at home from knee replacement surgery on October 23
- Ruth VanHeukelom is a patient at Zeeland Hospital

### Undergoing Treatments:

- Lorraine Nyhoff
- Ron Kleinheksel
- Stu Woldring

### Under Hospice Care:

- Lottie Hieftje

### Our Sympathies to:

- Nancy Joostberns & Clara TenHagen on the passing of their sister and sister-in-law, Betty Wentzel, on Tuesday, October 23

### This Week's Friend at Home

Irene Slotman

### Missionary of the Week:

Ron & Ruth VerWys  
Leadership Resources  
International

### Ministry Prayer Request:

- Please pray for Grand Valley Campus Ministries and Hope College Chapel Ministries and their outreach to the students this year. Pray for the staff at each campus and for the students that all may grow in their faith through this work.

### October Mission of the Month

Hope College Chapel Ministries

### Tithes & Offerings

October 21 Offering - \$8,085

## Happening this Week

### **Sunday, October 28**

9:30am Pastor Adam  
11:00am Sunday School  
6:00pm Hymn Sing

### **Monday, October 29**

8:45am Preschool  
10:00am Pantry  
6:30pm Zumba  
7:00pm Consistory Meeting

### **Tuesday, October 30**

8:45am Preschool

### **Wednesday, October 31**

8:45am Preschool  
10:00am Pantry  
5:30pm Trunk or Treat at Cultivate (Hamilton High School parking lot)

### **Thursday, November 1**

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

### **Friday, November 2**

8:45am Preschool  
10:00am Pantry

### **Saturday, November 3**

8:30am Zumba

## A Look Ahead...

### **Sunday, November 4**

9:30am Pastor Adam  
6:00pm at HCRC  
6:00pm The Gathering

**November 5** – Elders Meeting

## Ministry Helpers

**Greeters:** Reed & Sandy Sloothaak

**Nursery Helpers:** Sally Elenbaas  
Dave Elenbaas

### **Next Week (November 4)**

**Greeters:** Doug & Karen TerHaar

**Nursery Helpers:** Jessi Boerman  
Sandy Mulder

**Praise Team:** Joyful Sound

## Wednesday Night Activities

*No Family Night Activities this week.*

Regular Wednesday night activities return on November 7.

## Youth Group News

**Gravitate - 5<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade:** No meeting this week, October 31

**The Gathering - 9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade:** Meets Sundays 6:00-7:30pm