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**Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00am-1:00pm**

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## Morning Worship Service

Scripture: Psalm 37:25-26

Message: “2020 Vision”

## Evening Worship Service – at HCRC

## Congregational & Community News

**Congregational Meeting:** The annual Congregational Meeting is scheduled for Tues., November 6 at 7:00pm. Agendas are in mailboxes this week. Please bring your agenda with you to the meeting. Absentee ballots for Consistory nominees are available outside the Library. There will be a special vote to decide on padding the Sanctuary pews.

### **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.

### **“At Home with the Word”:**

The RCA has a daily devotional available based on the church lectionary calendar. Pick up a copy of the November 2018 – November 2019 devotional outside the Library.

### **Save the Date!!**

Gravitate and The Gathering are planning a Chili Cook-off and BINGO fundraiser on Wednesday, December 19. From 6:00-6:45pm sample chili made by our own HRC staff and vote for your favorite. At 7:00pm BINGO begins! Watch for more details coming soon...

**Attention Men:** KIDS HOPE USA Hamilton is seeking 2 male mentors to mentor two 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. 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. Please prayerfully consider this opportunity. Contact Bev Ende at bendkidshope@gmail.com

**Kids Hope 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!

**Teen Challenge:** On November 18, Teen Challenge will lead our morning worship

### **Thanksgiving Celebration Dinner:**

We will be celebrating Thanksgiving with a church meal on Sunday, November 18, at 11:30am. All are invited and it's a great time to bring a friend. Please sign-up on the sheet by the kitchen to let those planning the meal know how many to expect. Also, if you are able, please sign-up to bring a dessert, salad or rolls or to help with set-up or clean-up.

*Refrigerator space will be needed for the dinner. Please check if you or your group have items in it and remove them. Thanks!*

### **Women's Ministry Christmas**

**Party:** The Women's Ministry Christmas Party is scheduled for December 4. ALL ladies are invited!! More details to come...

## A Note of Thanks

*Thank you so much for all of the cards, words of encouragement, as well as the West Coast Cash. We are so grateful to be here at HRC.*

*Pastor Adam & Shaelee*

*Thank you to Women's Ministry for the beautiful mum plant.*

*Joyce VanDam*

## Prayer Corner

### Please Pray for:

- Ruth VanHeukelom is a patient at Spectrum Butterworth
- Ken Haverdink is a patient at Holland Hospital after suffering a stroke

### Recovery & Rehab:

- Orv Deters at Resthaven (280 W. 40<sup>th</sup> St.)
- Norma Reeves

### Undergoing Treatments:

- Lorraine Nyhoff
- Ron Kleinheksel
- Stu Woldring

### Our Sympathies to:

- The family and friends of Lottie Hieftje who passed away on Monday, October 29
- Howard & Deb Busscher on the passing of Howard's sister, Joyce Scholten, on Sunday, October 28

### This Week's Friend at Home

Barb Bleeker

### Missionary of the Week:

David & Linda McCleery  
9305 Northwind Dr.  
Zeeland, MI 49464  
Email: dave@innetworkusa.org

### Missionary Prayer Request:

- Please pray for Chad and Dara Vanden Bosch as they add a new mission venture to their outreach. Pray that the help they give in teaching how to rotate crops and grow nourishing food will bring a better physical life as the Word they give in Audio Bibles gives spiritual life.

### *November Mission of the Month*

Zeeland Classis Planning & Development - Asking

### *Tithes & Offerings*

October 28 Offering - \$7,169

## Happening this Week

### **Sunday, November 4**

9:30am Pastor Adam  
11:00am Sunday School  
6:00pm at HCRC  
6:00pm The Gathering

### **Monday, November 5**

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

### **Tuesday, November 6**

8:45am Preschool

### **Wednesday, November 7**

8:45am Preschool  
10:00am Pantry  
5:30pm Family Meal  
6:00pm Youth Praise Team  
6:30pm Kid Connection, Gravitate, and Adult Classes

### **Thursday, November 8**

8:00am Moms In Prayer (Adult)  
8:45am Staff Meeting  
8:45am Preschool  
9:00am Moms In Prayer (HMS/HHS)  
6:30pm Zumba

### **Friday, November 9**

8:45am Preschool  
10:00am Pantry

### **Saturday, November 10**

6:00am Men's Bible Study  
8:00am Scrapbooking  
8:30am Zumba

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

### **Sunday, November 11**

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

### **Ministry Helpers**

**Greeters:** Doug & Karen TerHaar  
**Nursery Helpers:** Jessi Boerman  
Gracie Bosch

### **Next Week (November 11)**

**Greeters:** Tyler & Jackie Taratuta  
**Nursery Helpers:** Sandy Mulder  
Colin Eding  
**Praise Team:** Musical Instruments

## Wednesday Night Activities

- Dinner is served from 5:30-6:15pm. This week's meal is hamburger tater tot casserole and will be served by Diane and Joan.
  - All are welcome to these meals...free of charge!
- Youth Praise Team Rehearsal 6:00-6:30pm in the Red Carpet Room downstairs for 2<sup>nd</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade students
- Gravitate meets 6:30-7:45pm in the Youth Room downstairs
- Kid Connection begins at 6:30pm in Room 101 downstairs for children 3 years old – 4<sup>th</sup> grade
- Several opportunities are available for adults:
  - Faith and Music meets 6:30-7:15pm in the Fellowship Hall
  - The Prayer Group meets 6:30-7:00pm in Room 8

## Youth Group News

**Gravitate - 5<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> Grade:** Meets Wednesdays 6:30-7:45pm

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