



HRC Heartbeat February 19, 2023

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

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Happening this Week

Sunday, February 19

9:30am Sunday Worship – Rev. Dean VanFarowe

Scripture: Mark 9:2-13

Message: "The Eternal Glory of Christ and His Church"

Children In Worship

10:45am Sunday School Classes

6:00pm The Gathering

Monday, February 20

8:45am Preschool

Tuesday, February 21

8:45am Preschool

1:00pm Quilting Group

Wednesday, February 22

8:45am Preschool

10:30am Library & Play Group

6:30pm Gravitare

7:00pm Ash Wednesday Service

Thursday, February 23

8:45am Preschool

9:00am Staff Meeting

Friday, February 24

8:45am Preschool

10:00am Pantry

Saturday, February 25

A Look Ahead...

February 26

Sunday Worship – Pastor Kevin

A Note of Thanks

Thank you for all the thoughts and prayers as well as the cards and food brought in following my hospitalization for pneumonia. Thanks to Pastor Ron for his phone calls. Norma Reeves

Thank you to all who came and hung out with Student Ministries to play BINGO with them. We all had a great time!

HRC News & Upcoming Events

Ash Wednesday Service: The 40 day season of Lent which leads up to Easter begins with Ash Wednesday. You are invited to join us in the Fellowship Hall on February 22 at 7:00pm for an Ash Wednesday service. Those who desire it will receive the administration of ashes on their foreheads. The service will not be livestreamed or recorded.

Lenten Prayer Calendar: Journey through this season of Lent with daily prayer suggestions. Check your mailbox for a Lenten prayer calendar. Additional copies are available on the ledge outside of the library. Each day's prayer suggestion will also be posted on our Facebook and Instagram pages as well as on the church sign.

Office Hours: Nicki will be covering office hours for Sara while she recovers from ankle surgery. The office will be open Monday-Friday from 8:00am-1:00pm.

The Overisel Colony Anniversary Book: In recognition of the 175th anniversary of Overisel, the 150th anniversary book, which was published in 1998, will be reprinted and released in June. Preorder a copy using the form that is on the bulletin board outside the library.

Kids Hope: Please consider sharing your faith in 2023. There are young people in our area that need a mentor or prayer partner. Email Joy at KidsHopeHRC@gmail.com for more info or to become a mentor or prayer partner for a child in need in the Hamilton community.

Retiree & Senior Adult Ministry: Thank you to everyone who attended the recent Breakfast and Learning event to learn more about the formation of a ministry to retirees and senior adults of our church family. We had a great time of fellowship, sharing, learning, and, of course, eating! If you are part of this population and were unable to attend, please know you are encouraged and invited to attend upcoming opportunities. Please watch future Heartbeats for details.

PRAYER CONCERNS



Please Pray for:

- Sara Groenheide is scheduled for outpatient ankle surgery on Wednesday, February 22
- Brian VandenBrink is scheduled for outpatient shoulder surgery on Tuesday, February 21

Ongoing Cares & Concerns:

- Vern Klein
- Veta Lohman

Friend at Home of the Week:

Leona Boerigter

Missionary of the Week:

Jennifer Lucking
201 Paradise Rd. North
Hamilton, Ontario
L8S 3T3 Canada
Email: jennifer@restorationscanada.org

Missionary Prayer Requests:

Please pray for David McCleery and all those involved with Mission Aviation Fellowship and their work in Euro/Asia.

February Mission of the Month

Words of Hope

Tithes & Offerings

February 12 Total - \$11,995
Offering - \$9,930 E-Tithe - \$2,065
\$7,744 needed weekly to maintain budget

Ministry Helpers

Greeters: Larry & Shelly Boerman
Nursery Helpers: Jen Becksford, Ryleigh Becksford

Next Week (February 26):

Greeters: Phil & Nicki Boerman and family
Nursery Helpers: Libby Casemier, Molly Casemier
Praise Team: Jen, Gracie, Kendra, Brian & Lane

Church Auction Saturday, April 29



The church auction is only two months away! What can YOU donate? Everyone has a skill or a knack for something! Here's some ideas to get you started:

Gift Cards ~ Quilts ~ Weekend Getaway ~ Toys
Game Tickets ~ Theme Baskets ~ Baked Goods
Babysitting ~ Mowing ~ Fishing Trip ~ Boat Ride
Combine Ride ~ Tools ~ Desserts for a Year
BE CREATIVE!!

If you have an item or items you are willing to donate, please sign up on the bulletin board outside the library. If you have questions, please contact Women's Ministry:
Karen TerHaar, Shelly McCormick,
Lisa Hulst, or Donna Jurries.

We need YOUR help to make this auction a success!

*Items may be dropped off in the office Monday-Friday from 8:00am-1:00pm. Thanks!!



Recipes Wanted

We want to create an information book with ingredient lists and quantities from our Wednesday night meals. If you have provided a Wednesday night meal in the past (doesn't have to be this year), and have an ingredient/quantity list, please send the information to Pat Kragt or the church office.

Thanks for your help with this – the information will make future Wednesday night meal planning easier.

Wednesday Night Activities

- No meal will be served this week. Please join us at 7:00pm for our Ash Wednesday service.
- Youth Praise Team, Kid Connection and Grow will not meet this week
- Gravitate (6th-8th grade) will meet at 6:30pm in the Youth Room downstairs. They will be attending the Ash Wednesday service at 7:00pm.

Regular Wednesday Night activities will resume March 1.

Heartbeat Deadline

Monday, February 20, is the deadline to submit March-related larger articles or newsletter information to be published in the Heartbeat.