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

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Morning Worship Service – Pastor Adam

Scripture: James 1:1-8

Message: “Perspective from a Servant of God”

No Evening Worship Service

Congregational & Community News

Communion: This morning we will be celebrating The Lord’s Table.

- If you need help carrying the cups to your seat, an Elder will be present to assist you.
- When the service is finished, please take your communion cups and dispose of them into the garbage bins located at the exit of each zone of worship.

Communion Vespers: Communion Vespers will be offered on Sunday, October 11, in the Fellowship Hall at 10:30am sharp. However, if you would like access to receive communion in the church building but need extra measures of security for social distancing, you may request communion by appointment. Feel free to call Pastor Ron or one of the Elders and line up a time to meet in the church building while it’s empty. Or, if you are comfortable with it, you may request an in-home visit to receive communion as well.

Wednesday Night Kick-Off

Wednesday, October 7
5:30pm
Heath Township Park

Join us as we kick off our Wednesday Night activities! The night begins with PIZZA! Following the meal, enjoy a time of fellowship, play on the playground or join in on a game of kickball!

We hope to see YOU there!!!
(rain date – October 14)



Get Involved at HRC

Is God calling or nudging YOU to become involved at HRC? There are several opportunities with FLEXIBLE scheduling! (signing up does NOT commit you to the entire year... volunteer to help out by the month or even the week)

Children’s Ministry

(contact Nicki Boerman or Gracie Bosch)

- Children in Worship
 - Teachers and Helpers
- Sunday School
 - Teachers
 - Helpers
 - Substitute Teachers
- Kid Connection (4-8 people needed)
 - Crowd Control
 - Traffic Control
 - Story Readers
 - Craft Helpers
 - Game Helpers
- Supplies
 - Beach Towels (new or gently used)
 - Disinfecting Wipes
 - Pre-packaged Snack Crackers

Kids Hope

(contact Bev Ende)

- Craft Ideas / Activity Sheets (Nothing religious)

Grow (4th/5th Graders)

(contact Lisa Helder)

- Pre-packaged Snacks
- Individual Drinks
- People who are willing to share stories of a time when they experienced God’s wisdom, power, or love in their lives - a time when they really trusted God and He took control of a difficult situation in their life.

Gravitate & The Gathering

(contact Drew Boerman)

- Meals for The Gathering on a Sunday night
- Prayer Partners for Gravitate

Sign up on the bulletin boards by the carport or outside the kitchen.

James Challenge: For the next two months you are invited to set aside time on four separate days of the week and encounter the book of James in a life-giving way. Our sermon series will coincide with the James Challenge – come and hear a message on the passages you have been connecting with all week!



Prayer Corner

Please Pray for:

- Greg Kalmink is a patient at St. Mary's Hospital
- Amy Carroll is awaiting further medical testing

Recovery & Rehab:

- Ken Haverdink
- Franklin Workman

Undergoing Treatments:

- Brandon Boerigter
- Buster Stafford has concluded his radiation treatments

Friend at Home of the Week:

Harv Bultman

Missionary of the Week:

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

Ministry Prayer Requests: Please pray for the work of Words of Hope. Pray for those who live in difficult places in the world that are able to hear the Word of God in their language, and that they understand and accept the salvation offered them.

Missionary Update: A new update from Marvin & Tabitha Zurita is available by the Missionary Board

Tithes & Offerings

September 27 Total - \$5,899
Dropped Off - \$5,219 E-file - \$680
\$7,560 needed weekly to maintain budget

Special Offering for Marvin & Tabitha Zurita - \$1,500

Congregational & Community News (continued)

Church Address Directory:

Please let the office know **by October 15** if any of your information has changed since February (address, home phone, cell phone, email address). New directories will be available later this month.

Red Cross Blood Drive:

The next Red Cross Blood Drive for our community will be held on Thursday, October 15, from noon-5:45pm at HRC. To schedule an appointment visit: redcrossblood.org or call 1-800-RED CROSS (appointments required). Sponsor code: Hamiltonreformed

Job Openings: We are looking to fill several positions here at HRC:

- KIDS HOPE Director
- Building Organizer
- Maintenance & Repair Custodian

Job descriptions are available in the church office. Anyone interested should contact the Personnel Committee (Kathy Weerstra, Jen Becksford, Gary Jurries, Joy Essenburg, Peg Klingenberg) or a Deacon.

Mailbox Cart: The mailbox cart is back out with publications in your mail slot. If you prefer to only receive publications through email, please let the office know. The office will also continue to mail printed copies.

Happening this Week

Sunday, October 4

9:30am Pastor Adam
Children In Worship
6:00pm The Gathering

Monday, October 5

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

Tuesday, October 6

8:45am Preschool

Wednesday, October 7

8:45am Preschool
10:00am Pantry
5:30pm Wednesday Night Kick-Off at Heath Township Park

Thursday, October 8

8:45am Staff Meeting
8:45am Preschool
9:00am Allegan County Health Dept. COVID Testing in Parking Lot

Friday, October 9

8:45am Preschool
10:00am Pantry

Saturday, October 10

A Look Ahead...

Sunday, October 11

9:30am Pastor Ron
Communion Vespers

October 14 – Wednesday Night Activities Begin

October 15 – Red Cross Blood Drive

November 1 – Sunday School Begins