#### **NURSERY:**

June 26	Brenda Ouwinga, Megan Pluger, Melissa Oeverman, Claire Thompson
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July 3	Madelyn Benthem, Cindy Vennema
	Patti Koop, Addean Oeverman
July 10	Lizelle Bazuin, Julie Dorman,
	Bev Kamphouse, Jayden Benthem
July 17	Kasey McQuestion, Shari Benthem, Karen Oeverman, Charlotte Thomas

# Thank you

to all of our faithful volunteers for their service each week in helping to promote the kingdom of God!

#### LITTLE LAMBS / CHILDREN IN WORSHIP:

	***Summer Break***
June/July/Aug	If you are interested in helping with Children's Church
	this fall, please contact Anne Thomas.

# **SOUND / VIDEO / POWERPOINT:**

June 26	Cary Sikkema; Jonathan Ouwinga; Sue Cook	
July 3	Kyle Meyering; Roger Hagerman; Tami Eisenga	
July 10	Matt Thompson, Dan Ouwinga, Jodi Meyering	
July 17	Kyle Meyering, Jonathan Ouwinga, Kendra Jenema	

#### **OFFERINGS:**

June: July:

**5**<sup>th</sup> –Booster Club **12**<sup>th</sup> –New Building **19**<sup>th</sup> –Friends Ministry **3**<sup>rd</sup> –Booster Club **10**<sup>th</sup> –New Building **17**<sup>th</sup> –World Renew

**26**<sup>th</sup> –Eric Hoeksema **24**<sup>th</sup> –Existing Building Fund

31<sup>st</sup> –Feeding America

# **USHERS**

**June:** Matt Thompson, Lars Fredin, Ken VanPolen, Jr, Gary Hesselink **July:** Kerwin Huttenga, Kevin Huttenga, Butch Karsten, Aaron Koetje

\*\*If you are unable to serve on your scheduled date, please find your own replacement. Please call the church office (231) 825-2171 if you have any questions.

Thank you!



# June 26, 2022 HIGHLAND CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

Striving to be the heart and hands of Jesus

#### **MISSION STATEMENT:**

"Centered on Jesus Christ and his Word,
Highland Church seeks to glorify God with joyful and reverent worship;
nurture our children and people of all ages through biblical teaching;
promote Spirit-filled fellowship through acceptance and respect, healing and love;
and share the good news of Jesus both individually and together."

#### **CORE VALUES:**

Worship joyfully and reverently.

Treasure familiar neighbors and warmly welcome new relationships.

Nurture our covenant children and serve our community.

Earnestly pray and eagerly work.

Embrace diversity and emphasize unity.

Empower ministry staff and employ the ministry gifts of all.

Give generously and invest globally.

office@highlandcrc.org www.highlandcrc.org Rev. Neil Jasperse Sunday Worship 9:30 AM Sunday School 10:50 AM (Sept-May)

9034 23 Mile Rd; Marion (231) 825-2171

### HIGHLAND CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

Morning Worship Service – 9:30 am June 26, 2022

This morning we welcome Calvin Seminarian, Micah Ringelberg.

#### The People of God Gather

Prelude

Call to Worship from Psalm 46

Welcome

God's greeting

Greeting one another

#### To Praise God

Our God

Goodness of God

How Great Is Our God

**Prayer of Praise** 

# To Pray and Serve God:

Announcements

The Apostles' Creed

Congregational prayer

# To Proclaim God's Word:

Children's Message: Micah Ringelberg

Song of Preparation: Yet Not I

Text: **Matthew 6:25-34** 

Title: Jesus' Gracious Commands

Prayer of response

Song of Response & Offertory: Living Hope

1st Offering: General Fund; 2nd Offering: Eric Hoeksema

#### To Go in God's Name:

God's blessing

Closing Song: You Never Let Go

Postlude

- Nursery is available in the basement for children ages infant-3 years old.
- **Children's Church** is available for ages 3-Kindergarten downstairs following the children's message. A parent must pick them up there after the service.
- **LIVE** streaming of our Sunday service is available on our Facebook page; Recordings are available on USB at the sound booth after the service or on DVD by request.

#### Officers for 2022:

Pastor	Neil Jasperse
President	Jon Dracht
Vice President	Jerry Koop, Jr.
Clerk	Ken Meyering
Secretary of Deacons	Greg Tossey
Vice Treasurer	Kasey Rees

#### **Districts for 2022:**

Elders	District	Deacons
Den Kamphouse	#1, A-C	David Wing
Dale Fredin: Adjunct Elder	#2, D-E	Greg Tossey
Ken Meyering	#3, F-L	Devon Dracht
Paul Shaarda	#4, M-O	Kasey Rees
Jerry Koop, Jr.	#5, P-T	Doug Mitchell
Bryan Eisenga	#6, U-Z	Adam Swiler
Ken Roede: Adjunct Elder		Church Office 825-2171

**PASTORAL VISITS:** If you would appreciate a pastoral visit for whatever reason, please contact Pastor Neil via Sara Bruno in the church office by calling (231) 825-2171 or by email at npjasperse@gmail.com or in person.

# **CHURCH OFFICE**

(231) 825-2171 office@highlandcrc.org

#### Office Hours for 6/26-7/2:

Mon & Thurs: 8:30 am – 2:00 pm Tues: 8:30 am -11:00 am Wed: Closed Fri-Sun: Closed

\*\*All bulletin content is due by noon on Thursdays\*\*

# **MINISTRY TEAM LEADERS**

Care & Fellowship Team (Cindy Vennema)

**Education Team** (Megan Pluger)

Facilities Team (Greg Hesselink)

Outreach Team (Jodi DeHate)

Prayer Team (Sandy Rice)

**Service Team** (Carrie Thompson)

Worship Team (DaNay Tossey)

#### **PRAYER CORNER**

- Please pray for Cindy Vennema as she heals from a broken ankle.
- Please pray for Carol Niver, that she may have the strength that she needs each day.
- ♣ Please pray for Steve Zuiderveen. He is the nephew of Bob and Barb Lee & Ken VanPolen and a cousin to many at Highland. Steve is currently battling a cancerous mass near his jaw. Please pray for strength and healing as he undergoes chemo and radiation.
- ♣ Please continue to pray for our Pastor Search Team and Youth Director Search Team as they continue with the process of finding the individuals that God has called to lead our church and youth.

#### **DAILY PRAYER FOCUS**

Psalm 44:6 "I do not trust in my bow, my sword does not bring me victory; but you give us victory over our enemies."

Heavenly Father, you and I both know I am weak. Besides that, I often don't know who or what my enemies are. But you know, Lord, and only you have the strength to make me victorious. Thank you for helping me live victoriously.

\*Content for the Daily Prayer Focus is contributed by the Highland Prayer Team

#### **OUR MISSIONARIES**

Josh & Mandy Shaarda & Family

Serving in Uganda

Email: jshaarda@crcnapartners.org Blog: http://shaarda.blogspot.com

George & Sarah de Vuyst & Family

Serving in Ukraine & the U.S.

Email: gdevuyst@crcna.org
Website: http://www.devuysts.com

#### **OUR ACIVE MILITARY**

Tyler Bode

(Staff Sargent, U.S. Air Force) Davis Monthan Airforce Base, Tucson, AZ

#### **SERMON OUTLINE**

**Title: Jesus' Gracious Commands** 

Text: Matthew 6:25-34

- What is said matters
- 2. How it's said matters
- 3. Who says it matters
- 4. Jesus takes ownership for your needs.
- 5. The doubts of Adam & Eve

Conclusion

Notes:			

#### **OUR CHURCH WEEK: JUNE 26-JULY 2**

SUN 6/26	9:30 AM	A time of prayer in the prayer room Morning Worship Service Highland's Annual Fishing Tournament (see below for details)
TUES 06/28		Ladies Bible Study (Summer Social) Office Closing early
WED 6/22		Office Closed all day Prayer Meeting

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Today**, we welcome Micah Ringelberg to proclaim God's Word. Micah was just approved by Synod as a Candidate for Ministry, contingent on finishing a few summer courses.

**Today's 2<sup>nd</sup> Offering** is for the ministry of Eric Hoeksema in Ukraine. Eric is from McBain, but has been working to share the Good News and love of Jesus to Ukrainians and Hungarians for 20 years. He works on a farm in the U.S. four months each year to earn living expenses for himself and his family while they minister in Ukraine for 8 months. Currently he is bringing food and other supplies into war torn Ukraine and bringing out refugees. Today's offering will directly support that effort through International Christian Community Development.

In celebration of Pastor Neil's 65<sup>th</sup> birthday, there will be cake served in the fellowship hall after this morning's worship service.

**TODAY:** 1<sup>st</sup> **Annual Highland Fishing Tournament!** Fishing tournament is all set for this afternoon from 2-6 pm. All ages and skill levels are welcome! We are going to fish Lake Cadillac and Lake Mitchell. You may use whatever launch you want for either lake. We will get all the rules, prizes and other info to each person that registered by June 22<sup>nd</sup>. We are going to anchor our boats at Dale and Faye's cabin at 6:00 pm to turn in fish and eat some food and give away prizes. Call or text Alan Baas or Shari Benthem if you have any remaining questions. Multiple prizes awarded. Thanks and tight lines!!

**Communion -**We will be celebrating the Lord's Supper on June 10<sup>th</sup>. If any of our shut-ins would like Communion brought to their home, please contact one of the elders or the church office so this can be arranged.

**Modified Office Hours:** The office will be closing at 11:00am on Tuesday, June 28 and closed all day on Wednesday, June 29 and Monday, July 4. Please check the hours posted on the office door for additional information.

Save the Date! Highland's 2022 VBS has been scheduled for July 25-28 from 6-8 pm. Our theme this year is "Monumental". This event is for all kids, ages 4 through 8<sup>th</sup> grade. Tell your friends! We will have sign-ups available for teachers and helpers soon!

**Thank you** Highland Church for your continued support of Right to Life of Michigan and to those that attended this year's banquet. This year was our most successful dinner yet. In addition to a full house, an excellent speaker and great food, this event raised nearly \$50,000! GOD IS GOOD! -Bonnie Veddler

Wexford/Missaukee Right to Life Please join us on July 9th for our annual 'SCRAMBLE FOR LIFE' golf outing, to be held at the Missaukee Golf Course. Registration between 9-9:45am with a shotgun start at 10am. Reservations: 231 839-2212 (Includes a box lunch with custom made sandwich's and homemade buns) Please visit the Wexford/Missaukee Right to Life Facebook page for additional information and fees.

NMCS's 32rd Comet Open Golf Tournament –Friday, July 15<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am at the Missaukee Golf Club. All proceeds benefit Northern Michigan Christian School. To register, visit Missaukee Golf Club, go to nmcs.us or call (231) 825-2492. Entry Fee is \$240/4 person scramble (Includes lunch, golf and awards!) Questions, email Maddie Marks at mmarts@nmcs.us

**Save the Date!** All ladies are invited to a fun and relaxing women's retreat at Center Lake Bible Camp on September 16-18, 2022. Author, speaker, prayer leader and more, Jolene DeHeer, shares what it means to walk as a - Daughter of the King! Enjoy a weekend of rediscovery, laughter, and fellowship. Early Bird Full Weekend price is \$150, Commuter is \$110 (Ends June 30th). Regular Full Weekend price is \$175, Commuter is \$125 (July1 - Sept.9). For more information and to register, please visit centerlake.org.

