

NURSERY:

Aug 16	Becky Wemple, Anne Thomas, Franklin Baas Megan Benthem, Melissa & Emma Oeverman
Aug 23	Ruth Kulhawick, Sue Cook, Christina Dodde Caitlin Dodde, Karen Oeverman, Linda Ellens
Aug 30	Sheri Fiet, Donna Veddler, Leah Thompson Jodi DeHate, Barb Dore, Jodi Meyering
Sept 6	Maggie Southwick, Tami Eisenga, Diane Nemeth, Kendyn Meyering, Mikayla Powers, Cindy Vennema

CHILDREN IN WORSHIP – LITTLE LAMBS:

* * * * Summer Break * * * *

SOUND SYSTEM, VIDEO, POWERPOINT:

Aug 16	Al Baas, Roger Hagerman, Tami Eisenga
Aug 23	Cary Sikkema, Dan Ouwinga, Jodi DeHate
Aug 30	Matt Thompson, Roger Hagerman, Deb Eisenga
Sept 6	Kyle Meyering, Paul Rivera, Jodi DeHate

Thank you!
...to everyone
who serves
either up
front or
behind the
scenes each
week in
helping to
further the
kingdom of
God!

OFFERINGS:

<u>AUGUST</u> <u>OFFERINGS</u>	2nd: Booster Club 9th: New Building 16th: Friends Ministry 23rd: Feeding America 30th: Oasis Family Resource Center	<u>SEPTEMBER</u> <u>OFFERINGS</u>	6th: Booster Club 13th: New Building 20th: MOPS 27th: Josh & Mandy Shaarda
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AUGUST USHERS: Adam Swiler, Kevin Huttenga, Bryce Eisenga, Scott VanPolen

SEPTEMBER USHERS: Jun Brinks, Rick/Mike VanPolen, Aaron Pluger, Jason Benthem

**If you are unable to serve on your scheduled date, please find your own replacement. If you need assistance with contact information, please contact the church office (231) 825-2171. Thank you!



HIGHLAND CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

August 16 2020

Vision Statement:

**In our endeavor to seek Christ's will and follow His calling,
we desire to strengthen our church through
growth in prayer,
growth in vibrant worship,
growth in committed outreach,
and growth in thriving fellowship.**

9034 23 Mile Rd. • Marion, MI 49665
(231) 825-2171
Email: office@highlandcrc.org

Morning Worship: 9:30 AM
Rev. Dr. Gregory J. Kett
Website: www.highlandcrc.org

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE – 9:30 AM
Highland Christian Reformed Church
August 16, 2020

Prelude

Welcome & Greeting

“He Has Made Me Glad” & “Great and Mighty”

“Grace Greater than Our Sing” vs 1, 2, & 4

Apostles’ Creed

Congregational Prayer

Scripture: Revelation 5 (page 1918)

Sermon: “Grab A Harp!”

“You Are Worthy” 2x

“What The Lord Has Done In Me” –All 3 vs

Closing Blessing

“We Receive Your Blessing”

Postlude

*****Tithes & Offerings** should be placed in the collection boxes near the main entrance to the sanctuary - **1st: General Fund; 2nd: Friends Ministry**

Technology permitting, we will have the following media options available:

- **Audio recordings** of our services are available on our website: www.highlandcrc.org under the Sermon Audio tab. There you will also find a link to the video on our Facebook page.
- **Live Videos** of our services will available on our Facebook page (public).
- **DVDs** will be made available in the rack on the information table. The most current service is at the bottom of the rack. If you would like a DVD, please let the video tech know prior to the service to ensure we make enough copies.

2020 Council		
Exec. Board: *	Rev. Dr. Gregory J. Kett *	825-2171 Church Office
Elders		Deacons
Bob Vennema	District #1, A-C	Gary Hesselink
Dale Fredin *Pres.	District #2, D-E	Kyle Meyering *Sec. of Deac.
Al Thomas *Clerk	District #3, F-L	Tom Ouwinga *V.T.
Ken Roede *V.P.	District #4, M-O	Dan Villwock
Larry Witt	District #5, P-T	Larry Sikkema
Chad Dodde	District #6, V-Z	Ryan McQuestion

July		2nd Offering	
5th	4,347.00	Highland Booster Club	542.00
12th	4,229.00	New Building Fund	4,537.00
19th	5,065.00	Marion Food Pantry	458.00
26th	5,837.00	Church Building Fund	441.00
Budget needed weekly	6,334.68	CRC Loan Fund - Beginning Balance	262,382.85
Times 30 weeks	<u>190,040.35</u>	Principal Paid to Date	25,619.98
Received to date	188,872.77	Ending Balance CRC Loan Fund	236,762.87
Balance	(1,167.58)		
		Interest paid to date	7,107.02

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Pastoral Support:</u> Pastor Greg Kett (231) 825-2171 Office Hours: Mon-Thurs: 8:30 AM – 12:00 PM & 1-2:00 PM. Or by appointment as needed. Call anytime.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Ministry Team Leaders:</u> Connection Coordinator (Amie Kett) Care & Share Team (Cindy Vennema) Prayer Team (Sandy Rice) Education Team (Mary Rees) Service Team (Julie Dorman) Worship Team (Jodi Meyering) Facilities Team (Rick Dorman) Safe Church Team (Linda Wing) Safety Team (James Bazuin)</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Church Office:</u> Sara Bruno (231) 825-2171 office@highlandcrc.org</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Office hours: The office will be CLOSED this August 17-21</p>	

AREA FOOD BANKS AND DISTRIBUTION

Marion Food Bank is available to residents of the Marion area. Their pantry is open to walk-ins the 3rd Wednesday of each Month from 9:30 am to 11:30 am. Please call (231) 743-6092 for an appointment outside of this timeframe.

The Feeding America Mobil Food Truck will be at the Marion VFW Hall, 520 Main Street this Saturday, **August 22nd**. Registration starts at 10:00 AM. Please enter the VFW property from Lowry Street and Exit on First Street. Once you enter the property, you are to remain in your vehicle at all times! You must have your vehicle ready to receive food. The trunk/hatch or truck bed must be available for the food to be placed there. No one will be reaching into the vehicle interior.

FREE GROCERIES! If you or someone you know could benefit from some help right now, we're here for you! Any Missaukee County resident, regardless of income, is welcome to stop at one of the following three locations each week. Each family will receive fresh and non-perishable food items, as supply allows.

- Thursdays, 2-4 pm: Lake City EPC, 5804 W Houghton Lake Rd, Lake City
- Thursdays, 4-6 pm: Prosper CRC, 1975 E Prosper Rd, Falmouth
- Thursdays, 4-6 pm: Rehoboth Reformed Church, 8372 S Lucas Rd, McBain

NOTES:

PRAYER CORNER

Dear Heavenly Father, please be with, Steve Sluiter, Dick Bruno, Marilyn Ouwinga, Mike Dodde and Sarah Dodde. Bless each of them in ways only you can do. Give them the healing and the patience they need.

Prayer Requests:

- Pearl Koetje’s heart valve replacement surgery went very well this past Monday.
- Please pray that God will provide new youth leaders.

DAILY PRAYER FOCUS

God of love, help us, as a congregation, to be pure and obedient before you so our love for each other will be sincere and from the heart. Give us a spirit of unity so we glorify You with one heart and voice. Help us accept one another in love.

***Daily Prayer Focus is contributed by the Highland CRC Prayer Team*

OUR MISSIONARIES:

George & Sarah de Vuyst & Family
Serving in Ukraine
Email: gdevuyst@crcna.org
Website: <http://www.devuysts.com>

Josh & Mandy Shaarda & Family
Serving in Uganda
Email: jshaarda@crcnapartners.org
Blog: <http://shaarda.blogspot.com/>

***CURRENTLY SERVING IN OUR MILITARY:**

Mike* & Dawn (Dodde) Winkle
(Master Sargent, Air Force)
Spokane, WA

Tyler* Bode (Senior Airman, Air Force)
Davis Monthan Airforce Base,
Tucson, AZ

Caleb* Dodde (Private, Army Reservist)

OUR CHURCH WEEK: AUGUST 16-22

SUNDAY 8/16	9:15 AM	A time of prayer in the prayer room
	9:30 AM	Morning Worship Service
	4-7 PM	Old-Fashion Family Fun Night
WEDNESDAY 8/19	7:00 PM	JUMP Practice
THURSDAY 8/20	12:00 PM	1955 NMC Class Reunion

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TONIGHT! August 16th: “Highland Old-Fashioned Family Fun Night”. Good clean fun for all ages! Join us for a night of food, fellowship, live music, various carnival games, “Name-that-tune”, face painting and more. **Volunteers are still needed!** Please take a moment to check the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall.

Thank you for the many prayers, phone calls, cards and visits leading up to and after my heart valve replacement. –Pearl Koetje

The church office will be CLOSED the week of August 16. Please have all bulletin announcements for the August 23 bulletin in by noon of August 13. Please notify Pastor Greg or an elder of any additional announcements during that week so they can be announced from the pulpit Sunday morning or sent out over the Bright Arrow phone tree. Thank you.

On August 30th we have the privilege of Communion. “Lord, create in me a new heart and cast me in your image.” Is your heart and soul ready to receive God’s grace?

August 30th Kayaking Trip- All high school students, along with any willing parents are invited to a kayaking trip down the Pine. There will be a quick lunch in the Youth Building after the morning service. Personal kayaks are encouraged, but additional kayaks will be provided if you don’t have one. Please contact either Pastor Greg or the church office by August 13 if you plan to attend.

Reminder: Please refrain from gathering in the fellowship hall after services. We encourage that these gatherings be taken outside for the time being.

Online Giving: We now have the ability to give our tithes and offerings online via our website www.highlandcrc.org. You can use debit, credit or your bank account and does not require a login. All donations are secure but if you prefer, you may still mail your tithes and offerings to either Shari or the church office.

Save The Date: The Annual Highland ORV Ride will be Sunday, September 27th.

NMC Job Opening: Northern Michigan Christian School has an immediate need for a Christian person who loves children to work 5 days/week as an Early Childhood Assistant. Please contact Scott Curell (scurell@nmcs.us) with questions or to apply.

Garden produce: If your garden is producing more than you can eat or preserve, Rehoboth Reformed Church is accepting the extras on Thursday, August 20 between 9 am and noon. Everything that's dropped off will be divvied up and shared with the people who come to the food distribution that afternoon.

Food Drive for the Marion Food Bank—we are still collecting non-perishable foods and hygiene products for the Marion Food Bank. Donations can be dropped off at the church office Monday – Thursday, 9:00 am – 2:00 pm. Any questions, please contact the church office. Let’s be the heart and hands of Jesus to each other and to our neighbors. If you would like to make a monetary donation, please makes checks out to the Marion Food Bank and mail to: PO Box 271; Marion, MI 49665 ****Thank You** for your generosity in donations toward the Marion Food Bank!