

| <u>GREETERS:</u> | <u>North</u> | <u>South</u> |
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| May 31 | ----- No Greeters ----- | |
| June 7 | ----- No Greeters ----- | |
| June 14 | ----- Pending ----- | |
| June 21 | ----- Pending ----- | |

| <u>NURSERY:</u> | |
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| May 31 | ----- No Nursery ----- |
| June 7 | ----- No Nursery ----- |
| June 14 | ----- Pending ----- |
| June 21 | ----- Pending ----- |

CHILDREN IN WORSHIP – LITTLE LAMBS:

* * * * Summer Break * * * *

SOUND SYSTEM, VIDEO, POWERPOINT:

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| May 31 | Matt Thompson, Dan Ouwinga, Tami Eisenga |
| June 7 | Kyle Meyering, Roger Hagerman, Sue Cook |
| June 14 | Al Baas, Deb Eisenga, Jodi DeHate |
| June 21 | Kyle Meyering, Dan Ouwinga, Deb Eisenga |

OFFERINGS:

| <u>MAY</u> <u>OFFERINGS</u> | 3rd: Booster Club | <u>JUNE</u> <u>OFFERINGS</u> | 7th: Booster Club |
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| | 10th: New Building | | 14th: New Building |
| | 17th: Existing Building | | 21st: Existing Building |
| | 24th: GEMS | | 28th: Josh & Mandy Shaarda |
| | 31th: Benevolence | | |

MAY USHERS: Todd Schmid, James Bazuin, Mike Pluger, Bob Vennema
JUNE USHERS: Devon Dracht, Dale Taylor, Todd Oeverman, Dale Veddler

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



HIGHLAND CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

May 31, 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
May 31 2020

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Acts 2: 1-6, *The Story of Pentecost*

Joyful, Joyful; vs 1-3

Congregational Prayer

Scripture: **Acts 9:19b-31**

Sermon Title: “*What’s Your War Admiral?*”

The Wonder of it All; both vs

Trust and Obey; vs 1-4

Just a Closer Walk; vs 1

Benediction

Postlude

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

***In accordance with recommendations from the CRC Denomination, There will be no Children’s Church, Sunday school or Coffee & Fellowship at this time.*

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.
- **Videos** of our services will be posted to our YouTube Channel “Highland CRC”. We are currently unable to live stream.
- **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 | | |
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| 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 |

Have a Prayer Request? If you have a prayer request you would like included in the congregational prayer, please contact your elder or Pastor Greg. You can also submit anonymous congregational prayer requests at any time by texting "HIGHLANDCRC627" to 22333. Once you're signed up, you'll be able to submit prayer requests at any time.

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| <p>Pastoral Support: Pastor Greg Kett (231) 825-2171 Normal Office Hours: Mon-Thurs: 8:15 AM – 12:00 PM & 1:00 PM – 2:00 PM Or by appointment as needed. Call anytime.</p> | |
| <p>Youth Director: Justin Sluiter hcrctstrongtower@gmail.com</p> | <p><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>Church Office: Sara Bruno (231) 825-2171 office@highlandcrc.org Office hours: Monday-Thursday, 8:30 am -2:00 pm</p> | |

AREA FOOD DISTRIBUTION CONT.

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.

Feeding America Distribution Locations:

- **Osceola:**
 - **June 10, 2020**
4:00 PM - Covenant Presbyterian Church, 108 W Church St, Tustin, MI 49688
 - **June 13, 2020**
10:00 AM - VFW Hall Marion MI, Main Street, Marion, MI 49665
 - **June 16, 2020**
5:00 PM - Church of Nazarene, 5300 220th Ave., Reed City, MI 49639
 - **June 20, 2020**
10:00 AM - Dighton Wesleyan Church - 19522 130th Ave., 19522 130th Ave., Tustin, MI 49688
12:00 PM - Ventra Plant 2, 530 N. River Street, Evart, MI 49631
- **Missaukee:**
 - **June 3, 2020**
4:00 PM - Living Light Christian Church - 7700 W. Blue Lake Rd., 7700 W. Blue Lake Rd., Lake City, MI 49651

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PRAYER CORNER

Dear Heavenly Father, please be with Joe Medendorp, Mary Lou Karsten, Pearl Koetje, 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:

Dale Fredin: As he continues to recover from prostate surgery and awaits test results.

Dick Bruno would appreciate prayers as he is in constant pain. Some of the hardware in his back has come loose. He is currently awaiting surgery to have this repaired.

Daily Prayer Focus:

Today is Pentecost, the day “the Holy Spirit came”. This week pray daily that you, yourself, as well as each of us will experience the gift and blessing of the Holy Spirit in new, exciting, and peace filled ways. Also pray that the Holy Spirit will become even more evident in our lives.

***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: MAY 31-JUNE 6

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| SUNDAY 5/31 | 9:15 AM | Prayer in the Prayer room |
| | 9:30 AM | Morning Worship Service |

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

A Note of Thanks: Thank you for all your prayers, cards, visits, meals and snacks after my knee surgery. My surgery went extremely well and I'm healing fine. Thanks again. –Bob Vennema

Dear Highland Family, Thank you so much for the outpouring of love, care and concern for our daughter Dawn during the past five years. Words cannot express our appreciation to our church family and community throughout her journey with ALS. Thanks again, Kerwin & Sally Huttenga & family.

Grocery Shower –Jacob Cook & Maria Murphy were married here Saturday, May 30th. Please help us bless this couple with a basket of groceries and pantry staples.

A sign-up sheet for watering outdoor flowers is available on the information table in the fellowship hall. Thank you to Carol Southwick and family for the beautiful barrels of flowers by each entrance.

Mask Making Ministry – We have masks available! If you need a mask please stop by the church to pick one up. They are located on the rolling card near the North entrance. If you would like to donate masks, please feel free to drop them off at the same location. If your size isn't available on the cart or if you need raw materials (fabric, elastics) to make them, please contact Marcy Dracht.

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.

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 make checks out to the Marion Food Bank and mail to: PO Box 271; Marion, MI 49665

Our Next Versiti Blood Drive will be Wednesday, June 10, 2020 from 2-7 PM in the church fellowship hall. Please visit their website, www.versiti.org/MI or call 1-866-MI BLOOD (642-5663) or Sara in the church office to schedule your appointment. In order to maintain social distancing, appointments are strongly encouraged.

Life Resources has launched their 2020 Baby Bottle Fundraiser- Due to current circumstances, this will be a virtual fundraiser rather than sending baby bottles home with people. Like so many things, their St. Patrick's Day Auction and Banquet in March was cancelled so the need is great. Please check out their website, www.liferesourcesnm.org to donate. Thank you.

Pastor Church Resources from the CRC Denomination has released their final report and it is now available on our website. We have posted it under the Bulletin Archives. You will need to login just as you would to view the directory. If you need assistance resetting your password please contact the church office. If you would prefer a printed copy, please contact Sara in the church office and one can be mailed to you. The council has requested that we limit this report to 1 per household and that you limit this information be kept within our congregation. Please address all questions to either Pastor Greg or one of the elders.

Notes of Encouragement will now be posted on our website and on our Facebook page rather than on the Bright Arrow phone tree.