

“Use whatever gift you have received to serve others” -1 Peter 4:10

NURSERY

June 23 Diane Eisenga, Stephanie VanHouten, Ruth Kulhawick, Leah Thompson

June 30 Nicole Schutlz, Maggie Southwick, Donna Veddler, Karsyn Meyering

July 7 Esther Bode, Diane Nemeth, Barb Dore, Harper Tossey

July 14 Jodi DeHate, Tami Eisenga, Jodi Meyering, Leah Thompson

CHILDREN’S CHURCH

Summer Break – No Children’s Church

SOUND / VIDEO / POWERPOINT

June 23 Cary Sikkema, Kaylie Benthem, Kendra Jenema

June 30 Kyle Meyering, Deb Eisenga, Tami Eisenga

July 7 Cary Sikkema, Jon Ouwinga, Jodi DeHate

July 14 Matt Thompson, Dan Ouwinga, Deborah Ouwinga

USHERS

June: Larry Visser, Butch Karsten, Dale Medendorp, Franklin Baas

July: Jim Ouwinga, Greg Hesselink, Dale Taylor, Adam Swiler

GREETERS – PLEASE ARRIVE BY 9:15 AM

June 23 South: Kevin & Tami Eisenga; North: Steph & Sam VanHouten

June 30 South: Jim & Bev Ouwinga; North: Steve & Sue Meeuwenberg

July 7 South: Paul & Carole Shaarda; North: Dale & Bev Taylor

July 14 South: Bonnie Veddler; North: Curt & Becky Wemple

2ND OFFERINGS:

June:

2nd: Booster Club

9th: World Renew

16th: Josh and Mandy Shaarda

23rd: Benevolence

31st: Existing Building Fund

July:

7th: Booster Club

14th: Oasis

21st: Life Resources

28th: Existing Building Fund

If you are unavailable to serve on your scheduled day, please find a replacement. If you need directory assistance, please call the church office during normal office hours, (231) 825-2171.



June 23, 2024

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.*

Rev. Mark Bonnes & Rev. Ashley Bonnes

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Sunday Worship 9:30 am

Sunday School & Catechism

10:40 am – 11:30 am (Sept-May)

9034 23 Mile Rd; Marion

(231) 825-2171

HIGHLAND CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

Morning Worship Service – 9:30 am June 23, 2024

The People of God Gather:

Welcome & God’s Greeting
Greet One Another

To Praise God
How Great Is Our God
Thrive

Prayer of Praise

To Pray and Serve God
Announcements
Congregational Prayer

To Proclaim God’s Word
Children’s Message: Jodi Meyering
Song of Preparation: *Stand In Your Love*
Scripture: Proverbs 10:19, 14:30, 17:1, 18:8
Title: Practice Wisdom from Proverbs
Prayer of Response
Song of Response/Offertory: *Praise*

Today’s Offerings: 1st: General Fund; 2nd: Benevolence

To Go in God’s Name
God’s blessing
Closing Song: *The Blessing*
Postlude

- **Nursery** is available year-round downstairs for children ages 0 - 3 years old.
- **Children’s Bulletins** are available on the information table in the Fellowship Hall.
- ****Children’s Church, Sunday School & Catechism are on summer break but will resume in September.**

NEXT COUNCIL MEETING:

Monday, July 15
(3rd Monday due to VBS)
6:30 pm Elders
7:00 pm Deacons
7:30 pm Full Council

PREACHING SCHEDULE:

June 2 – Rev. Mark Bonnes
June 9 – Rev. Mark Bonnes
June 16 – Rev. Jim DeZeeuw
June 23 – Rev. Ashley Bonnes
June 30 – Rev. Bill Vander Heide

HIGHLAND COUNCIL:

Officers for 2024:

President	Don Eisenga	Pastor Mark Bonnes Pastor Ashley Bonnes *personal contact info is not posted online. Please call the church office.
Vice President	Bob Vennema	
Clerk	Alan Baas	
Sec. of Deacons	Kyle Meyering	
Vice Treas.	Curt Wemple	

Districts for 2024:

Elders	District	Deacons
Jerry Nemeth	#1, A-C	Carrie Thompson
Alan Baas	#2, D-E	Kyle Meyering
Bob Vennema	#3, F-L	Curt Wemple
Mark Eisenga	#4, M-O	Gary Hesselink
Don Eisenga	#5, P-T	Scott Oeverman
Don Ellens	#6, U-Z	Anne Thomas

Church Office Contact Info:

Phone: (231) 825-2171
Email: office@highlandcrc.org

Office Hours:

Monday – Thursday
8:30 am – 2:00 pm
**All bulletin announcements must be submitted to the church office by noon on Thursdays. Please drop them off at the office or submit them via email to office@highlandcrc.org

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

OUR CHURCH WEEK: JUNE 23-29

SUN 6/23	9:15 AM	Prayer
	9:30 AM	Worship Service
	4:30 PM	Fellowship Bible Study – in the MS Youth Room
	5:00 PM	Youth Building Use

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Fellowship Bible Study will resume today at 4:30 pm, downstairs in the MS Youth room to continue their DVD-series “Cultures in Conflict”.

Scuba VBS 2024 has been scheduled for **July 8-11** from 6-8 pm. Dinner will be provided at 5:30 pm for all volunteers and their families. Please check out the various opportunities for helping with this amazing ministry for our kids and community. Sign-ups are on the red bulletin board in the fellowship hall.

The Education Team has several leadership positions that need to be filled for our fall programs. Please contact Megan Pluger if you are willing to help with any of the following:

- Children in Worship Coordinator
- Sunday School Superintendent
- High School Youth Group Leader

Christmas Shoebox: Throughout the year we are collecting items on a monthly basis to help fill our Christmas Shoeboxes this November. For **May/June:** HYGIENE ITEMS: Toothbrushes and toothbrush holders, Combs, hairbrushes, hair ties/bows, washcloths, bars of soap, Band-Aids, lip balm, etc. A tote labeled for the donations each month is in the Fellowship Hall. Please feel free to purchase any of these items at any time as we greatly appreciate all the support.

Versiti Blood Drive Results: Thank you to all of our donors for your generous gift of time and blood. We had a total of 17 donors and 18 pints of blood collected. Every donation truly matters, the blood supply has been very low since the start of summer! Your blood drive has made a HUGE IMPACT and will be used to help as many as 54 patients needing life-saving blood!!!

Help Needed: Friends Ministry relies on the dedication of volunteers to continue is ministry to the community. Volunteers are currently needed in the following areas:

- Afternoons in the Thrift Store (Lake City, Evert & Harrison locations available)
- Drivers for deliveries
- Strong people for moving/pickup

ENCOUNTER Night of Worship - Summer Series: 7 - 8:30 PM three times through this summer! Come join a mix of worship leaders from Cadillac and McBain for a respite from the craziness of summer and some time to rest in the presence of our God through worship! Cookies and fellowship after worship! For additional information, check out Encounter Night of Worship on Facebook.

- ~~June 21 at Mark & Sue Lanser's: 9510 E 50 Road, Cadillac, MI 49601~~
- July 9 at Jim & Renee Ransom's: 6249 Crosby Road, Cadillac, MI 49601
- August 6 at Stahl's Event Barn: 9421 S Lucas Road, McBain, MI 49657

Marion Food Pantry is in need of the following items: condiments (ketchup, mustard, mayo), gravy packets, rice packets, macaroni and cheese, diapers (sizes 3 and 4), canned soup, canned fruits and vegetables (they already have a lot of canned peaches and mixed veggies, so anything other than that), and small/medium boxes of cereal. Any questions, please let Carrie Thompson know!

Northern Michigan Christian School currently has two teaching positions open for the 2024-2025 school year. If you are interested in applying and joining the Comet Nation faculty family, please email Scott Curell (scurell@nmcs.us) or call NMCS at 231-825-2492.

- First grade classroom teacher (state of Michigan certification required)
- Third grade classroom teacher (state of Michigan certification required)

Lucas CRC hosts, Dr. Jeffrey Weima of Calvin Theological Seminary: You are invited to join us, June 30, 2024 at 6:00 pm as we host Dr. Jeffrey Weima from Calvin Theological Seminary. Dr. Weima is Professor of New Testament at Calvin. He is a sought-after speaker who is able to communicate well the truths of the Bible in an interesting, contemporary and practical manner. He has 6 published books and is also the author of numerous scholarly articles, academic essays and book reviews.

He also leads biblical study tours to Greece, Turkey, Israel/Jordan, and Italy.

Community Hope is pleased to announce that we are hosting a **Women's Retreat, Sept. 20-22** at Timber Wolf Lake Camp in Lake City, MI. Our hope is that women from the Northern Michigan area and beyond will gather that weekend to worship the Lord, celebrate the goodness of His abundant gifts in our lives and connect more deeply not only with Christ, but the women around us. The results could be a growing community of more loving hearts, homes, work places and churches! For more information, check out the green insert with this bulletin.