

NURSERY:

June 27	Emma Oeverman, Brandy VanPolen, Ruth Kulhawick, Christina Dodde, Caitlin Dodde, Nicole Schultz
July 4	Linda Ellens, Maggie Southwick, Donna Veddler, Esther Bode, Leah Thompson, Diane Nemeth
July 11	Jodi DeHate, Barb Dore, Tami Eisenga, Bev Taylor, Jodi Meyering, Karsyn Meyering
July 18	DaNay Tossey, Harper Tossey, Cindy Vennema, Becky Body, Jayden Bode, Patti Koop

LITTLE LAMBS / CHILDREN IN WORSHIP:

June 20-August 29: Summer Break!

SOUND SYSTEM, VIDEO, POWERPOINT:

June 27	Cary Sikkema; Jonathan Ouwinga; Deb Eisenga
July 4	Kyle Meyering; Jonathan Ouwinga; Sue Cook
July 11	Matt Thompson; Deb Eisenga; Tami Eisenga
July 18	Matt Thompson; Roger Hagerman; Jodi DeHate

OFFERINGS:

JUNE	6th: Booster Club	JULY	4: Booster Club
	13th: New Building Fund		11: New Building Fund
	20th: George & Sarah de Vuyst		18: Benevolence
	27th: McBain Area Backpack Program		25: MOPS

USHERS:

June: Kyle Meyering, Todd Oeverman, Gary Hesselink, Jim Ouwinga

July: Larry Visser, Kevin DeHate, Alan Baas, Aaron Pluger

****If you are unable to serve on your scheduled date, please find your own replacement. Questions, please call the church office (231) 825-2171.**

Thank you!



HIGHLAND CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

June 27, 2021

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.

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Rev. Neil Jasperse
Sunday Worship: 9:30 AM

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE – 9:30 AM
Highland Christian Reformed Church
June 27, 2021

The People of God Gather:

Prelude: *“Surely the Presence of the Lord is in this Place”*

Call to worship

Welcome

God’s greeting

To Praise God:

“You are my All in All”

“You are My King (Amazing Love)”

Prayer of praise

To Pray and Serve God:

Announcements

Congregational prayer

To Proclaim God’s Word:

Children’s message:

Song of preparation: *“People of God”*

Bible reading: **Mark 14: 66-72; John 21:15-17; Galatians 5:22-23**

Message: ***“The Fruit of the Spirit: PATIENCE”***

Prayer of response

Song of response: *“Oh Master Let me Walk with Thee” –PH# 573: 1-3*

To Partake in the Lord’s Supper:

The preparation

“How Deep the Father’s Love for Us” vs 1-3

The celebration

“Revive us Again”

To Go in God’s Name:

God’s blessing:

Parting song: *“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow” –GH inside cover*

Postlude

Today’s Offerings:

1st: General Fund

2nd: McBain Area Backpack Program

*Tithe & Offering boxes are next to the information table in the fellowship hall.

2021 COUNCIL

Exec. Board: *		Church Office(231) 825-2171
Elders	District	Deacons
Bob Vennema -*Clerk	#1, A-C	Gary Hesselink
Dale Fredin *Pres.	#2, D-E	Greg Tossey *Sec. of Deac.
Ken Meyering	#3, F-L	Tom Ouwinga *V.T.
Ken Roede *V.P.	#4, M-O	Dan Villwock
Jerry Koop	#5, P-T	Doug Mitchell
Bryan Eisenga	#6, V-Z	Adam Swiler

****Pastoral Visits-** If you would appreciate a pastoral visit for whatever reason, please contact Pastor Neil- via Sara Bruno in the church office, by email at npjasperse@gmail.com or in person.

CHURCH OFFICE

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Hours: Monday-Thursday: 8:30 am – 2:00 pm; Friday-Saturday: Closed

(All bulletin content due by noon on Thursdays)

MINISTRY TEAM LEADERS

Care & Share Team (Cindy Vennema)

Safe Church Team (Linda Wing)

Education Team (Mary Rees)

Safety Team (James Bazuin)

Facilities Team (Rick Dorman)

Service Team (Julie Dorman)

Prayer Team (Sandy Rice)

Worship Team (Jodi Meyering)

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

Volunteers to Water Outdoor Flowers- Thank you to everyone that has signed up to help keep our beautiful outdoor flowers in bloom. We still have a few weeks available that need volunteers. If you would be willing to serve in this area, please see the sign-up sheet on the information table in the fellowship hall.

Blood Drive Results: here were 30 donors that came through the door and even 1 FIRST TIME DONOR, and we collected a total of 23 units! We were just shy of our goal of 27 but had a wonderful turn out! The units collected will save the equivalent of 69 local patients in need! Thank you for your continued partnership, and generously providing the space for the community to donate generously. Our next blood drive is scheduled for August 11. Please contact Versiti Blood of Michigan at to scheduled your next donation.

Cadillac CRC has a part-time Custodian Job Opening: This paid position is for approximately 10 hours per week. Those interested are encouraged to contact the Cadillac CRC office as soon as possible for more information and the job description (call Bev at 231-775-5291 or email to office@cadcrc.org). To apply, send your resume and cover letter to the attention of the Executive Team at office@cadcrc.org.

Shipshewana “Fun Day” Trip: The Rehoboth Reformed Church Women’s Ministry is organizing a day trip to Shipshewana on Tuesday, September 7th. Women and men are both invited. The group will travel by motor coach. For additional details please see the bulletin board near the information table. Please contact Ruth Stahl: (231) 878-4961 or ruthstahl@gmail.com OR Judy Meyering: (231) 878-9116 or judy.meyering@yahoo.com. Sign-up ASAP to reserve your seat!

PROFESSIONS OF FAITH:

The following individuals have met with Pastor Neil and the Elders of Council and have made a profession of their faith in Jesus. We will witness their public professions as scheduled below:

- June 20** Andrew & Nathan Eisenga, Analiese Fredin, Leah Thompson, Sean Sikkema, and Sarah VanPolen.
- August (TBA)** Emma Tossey & Karsyn Meyering

MESSAGE OUTLINE

Sermon Title: The Fruit of the Spirit: PATIENCE
Scripture Text: Mark 14: 66-72; John 21:15-17; Galatians 5:22-23

Introduction: Anne Sullivan and Helen Keller

1. The fruit of the Spirit is patience
 - a. The Greek word: makrothumia = long-tempered
 - b. A virtue in our instamatic culture
2. The fruit of patience flows from God
 - a. God’s patience with the Israelites
 - b. Jesus’ patience with Peter
 - c. God’s patience in ushering in the Judgment Day
3. The fruit of patience: in three directions
 - a. With ourselves
 - b. With others
 - c. With God himself

Conclusion

Copies of Today’s Service:

LIVE streaming of our Sunday service is available on our Facebook page
Video recordings on USB are available for sign-out at the sound booth each Sunday. DVD’s can be made available upon request by Monday afternoon.

PRAYER CORNER

Heavenly Father, we lift up before you those that need healing. Please be with Ken VanPolen, Dick Bruno, Carol Niver, Steve Sluiter, Marilyn Ouwinga, BJ & Sue Cook, Corey DeZeeuw, Levi Oeverman, and Carol Southwick. Lord, give them the healing and the patience they need and bless each of them in ways only you can do.

- ✚ Our condolences to Kerwin & Sally Huttenga in the passing of Kerwin's brother, Ron Huttenga this past Wednesday. His funeral service was Saturday at Aetna Christian Reformed Church.
- ✚ Let us lift up prayers of thanks for the refreshing rain that we received this past week.

DAILY PRAYER FOCUS

Proverbs 23:4 "Do not wear yourself out to get rich;"

Precious Father, I cannot labor hard enough or long enough to acquire the riches you have already given me. I will not measure riches or wealth in terms of dollars but in terms of the blessings that are mine because of Jesus Christ.

*Content for the Daily Prayer Focus is provided by the Highland Prayer Team

MISSIONS

Josh & Mandy Shaarda & Family

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MILITARY

Tyler Bode

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

OUR CHURCH WEEK: JUNE 27-JULY 3

SUN 06/27	9:15 AM 9:30 AM	A time of prayer in the prayer room Morning Worship Service
WED 06/30	7:00 PM	Prayer Meeting

ANNOUNCEMENTS

This morning: If you have welcomed Jesus into your life as your Lord and Savior, we invite you to join us in celebrating the Lord's Supper. Individual packages of the elements will be available as you enter the sanctuary. Each package contains the juice and the bread (wafer). Please wait until the end of the service to open them as Pastor Neil will lead us in Communion together.

Congratulations to our High School and College Graduates! High School: Bobby Vennema, Caitlin Dodde, Lydia Shaarda; College: Maggie Eisenga, Kaylie Benthem and Sarah VanPolen.

Next Sunday we welcome Ken DeZeeuw as he leads our morning worship service. Pastor Neil and Ruth will be out of contact July 3-7. Please contact your district elder with any pastoral care questions or concerns during that time. You may also contact the church office for assistance.

Directory Update: Thank you to Roger Hagerman, our committee volunteers and for the congregation's participation in updating our directory photos and contact information. We hope to have the directory ready for print soon!

Highland Christian Reformed Church is seeking a Youth Ministry Leader for high school students. To learn more about this paid part time position (10-15 hours/week) or to submit your resume, please email hrhighlandcrc@gmail.com with "Youth Director" in the subject line. All applications should be received by 7/7/2021.

VBS 2021: Jesus is the one who lights our way! Join us on a Cave Quest as we explore all that Jesus has in store for us! **July 26-29 from 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM**, all kids age 4 through those going into 8th grade are invited to be a part of the fun!