

NURSERY:

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
July 25	Lizelle Bazuin, Aubrynn Bazuin, Bev Kamphouse, Amy Eisenga, Kasey McQuestion, Becky Wemple

LITTLE LAMBS / CHILDREN IN WORSHIP:

June 20-August 29: Summer Break!

SOUND SYSTEM, VIDEO, POWERPOINT:

July 4	Kyle Meyering; Jonathan Ouwinga; Sue Cook
July 11	Matt Thompson; Deb Eisenga; Tami Eisenga
July 18	Matt Thompson; Roger Hagerman; Jodi DeHate
July 25	Cary Sikkema, Dan Ouwinga, Deb Eisenga

OFFERINGS:

JULY
4: Booster Club
11: New Building Fund
18: Benevolence
25: MOPS

USHERS:

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

August: Jason Benthem, Jonathan Ouwinga, Joey Kulhawick, Marlin Venema

****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!



July 4, 2021

HIGHLAND CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

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Rev. Neil Jasperse
Sunday Worship: 9:30 AM

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE – 9:30 AM
Highland Christian Reformed Church
July 4, 2021

The People of God Gather:

Prelude
 Call to worship
 Welcome
 God's greeting

To Praise God:

"To God be the Glory" –vs 1 & 3
"God of our Fathers" –vs 1, 2 & 4
 Prayer of praise

To Pray and Serve God:

Announcements
 Congregational prayer

To Proclaim God's Word:

Children's message:
 Song of preparation: *"Lord Speak to Me" –vs 1-3*
 Bible reading: Ezekiel 37; 1 Corinthians 15: 1-4
 Message: ***"Promises Made, Promises Kept"***
 Prayer of response
 Song of response: *"Standing on the Promises" –vs 1-3*

To Go in God's Name:

God's blessing:
 Parting song: *"My Tribute"*
 Postlude

Today's Offerings:

1st: General Fund
2nd: Booster Club
 *Tithe & Offering boxes are next to the information table in the fellowship hall.

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.

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.

Upcoming Council Meetings:

July 12 Elders 7:00 pm
 July 12 Deacons 7:00 pm
 July 12 Council 7:30 pm

CHURCH OFFICE

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**** Monday, July 5: Closed****

Tuesday-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)

MESSAGE OUTLINE

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 in August and September 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.

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 ruthlstahl@gmail.com OR Judy Meyering: (231) 878-9116 or judy.meyering@yahoo.com. Sign-up ASAP to reserve your seat!

Guest Speaker: Ken DeZeeuw
Scripture Reading: **Ezekiel 37; 1 Corinthians 15: 1-4**
Message: **“Promises Made, Promises Kept”**

Notes:

Reference Mentioned: “Through the Bible Ministry” by Les Feldick Ministries

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.

- **Thank you** to everyone for all your cards, meals, words of encouragement and most of all for your prayers during our cancer treatments. We are truly blessed to be part of an amazing church family! As a quick update, I have completed all my radiation treatment and BJ is now on a maintenance chemo program as his strength continues to improve. –BJ & Sue Cook
- **Thank you** to the people of Highland for all the prayers and phone calls after my back surgery. It was greatly appreciated. –Mark & Deb Eisenga

DAILY PRAYER FOCUS

Job 8:21 "He will yet fill your mouth with laughter and your lips with shouts of joy".

God, my days can be so hard. When I am sad, or lonely, disappointed, or in pain of any kinds, it is hard to imagine I will ever laugh again. However, I choose to look forward to the time when will laugh. I am so ready to shout for joy.

*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

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OUR CHURCH WEEK: JULY 4-10

SUN 07/04	9:15 AM 9:30 AM	A time of prayer in the prayer room Morning Worship Service
WED 07/07	7:00 PM	Prayer Meeting

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY: We welcome Ken DeZeeuw as he leads our worship this morning.

Pastor Neil and Ruth Jasperse will be out of the office through Wednesday as they are at a family reunion. If you have any pastoral care questions or concerns, please contact either your district elder or the church office for assistance.

VBS 2021: We are so excited that VBS is back this summer! Kids age 4 – Middle School are invited to join us this year for a CAVE QUEST! July 26-28 from 6-8 PM. Dinner will be provided for volunteers and their families before VBS starts each evening. Nursery will be provided for the young children of volunteers. **We need your help!** Please check out the sign-up sheet in the fellowship hall. Contact Anne Thomas at (231) 878-2131 if you have any questions.

Thank you to Highland Church for giving me the opportunity to serve our church through the photography for our new directory. Thank you also to Bev Taylor, Sara Bruno, Jean Venema, Gin Dodde and Ruth Jasperse for their time and help with the family information sheets. –Roger Hagerman

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

Highland Hymn-Sing with Pastor Dave McMahon, Sunday July 11 at 5:30 pm followed by a potluck supper with sloppy joes provided. Everyone is invited!

Position Available: 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 hrrhighlandcrc@gmail.com with "Youth Director" in the subject line. All applications should be received by 7/7/2021.