

GREETERS:

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| June 14 | ----- No Greeters ----- |
| June 21 | ----- No Greeters ----- |
| June 28 | ----- No Greeters ----- |
| July 5 | ----- No Greeters ----- |

NURSERY:

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| June 14 | ----- No Nursery ----- |
| June 21 | ----- No Nursery ----- |
| June 28 | ----- No Nursery ----- |
| July 5 | ----- No Nursery ----- |

CHILDREN IN WORSHIP – LITTLE LAMBS:

* * * * Summer Break * * * *

SOUND SYSTEM, VIDEO, POWERPOINT:

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| June 14 | Al Baas, Deb Eisenga, Tami Eisenga |
| June 21 | Kyle Meyering, Dan Ouwinga, Deb Eisenga |
| June 28 | Cary Sikkema, Roger Hagerman, Tana VanPolen |
| July 5 | Matt Thompson, Roger Hagerman, Jodi DeHate |

OFFERINGS:

**JUNE
OFFERINGS**

7th: Booster Club
14th: New Building
21st: Existing Building
28th: Josh & Mandy Shaarda

**JULY
OFFERINGS**

5th: Booster Club
12th: New Building
19th: Food Pantry
26th: Existing Building

JUNE USHERS: Devon Dracht, Dale Taylor, Todd Oeverman, Dale Veddler

JULY USHERS: Alan Baas, Jerry Koop Jr, Bob Lee, Ken Roede

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

June 14, 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

**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!

MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE – 9:30 AM
Highland Christian Reformed Church
 June 14, 2020

Prelude
 Welcome & Announcements
“Come, Now Is The Time To Worship”
 The Apostle’s Creed
 Congregational Prayer
 Scripture: **2 Corinthians 9:6-13**; page 1803
 Sermon Title: *“Sowing Grace”*
“Jesus Draw Me Ever Nearer”
“In Christ Alone”
“Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me”
 Closing Blessing

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

***In accordance with recommendations from the CRC Denomination, There will be no Nursery, 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. 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 | | | | |
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| Exec. Board: * | | Rev. Dr. Gregory J. Kett * | | 825-2171 Church Office |
| Elders | | | Deacons | |
| Bob Vennema | 920-5032 | District #1, A-C | Gary Hesselink | 388-2661 |
| Dale Fredin *Pres. | 388-4457 | District #2, D-E | Kyle Meyering *Sec. of Deac. | 846-6075 |
| Al Thomas *Clerk | 878-6468 | District #3, F-L | Tom Ouwinga *V.T. | 878-0468 |
| Ken Roede *V.P. | 825-2795 | District #4, M-O | Dan Villwock | 846-1044 |
| Larry Witt | 884-6492 | District #5, P-T | Larry Sikkema | 920-5248 |
| Chad Dodde | 878-3164 | District #6, V-Z | Ryan McQuestion | 590-8012 |

| May | | 2nd Offering | |
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| 3rd - no church | 4,534.45 | Highland Booster Club | 580.00 |
| 10th - no church | 1,320.00 | New Building Fund | 5,750.00 |
| 17 th | 16,563.00 | Church Building Fund | 3,108.00 |
| 24 th | 14,559.00 | Highland Gems | 114.50 |
| 31 st | 3,707.00 | Gems Girls Club | 114.50 |
| PPP Loan | 26,770.00 | Benevolence | 2,535.00 |
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| Budget needed weekly | 6,334.68 | CRC Loan Fund - Beginning Balance | 262,382.85 |
| Times 22 weeks | <u>139,362.93</u> | Principal Paid to Date | 18,291.12 |
| Received to date | 146,196.27 | Ending Balance CRC Loan Fund | 244,091.73 |
| Balance | 6,833.34 | | |
| | | Interest paid to date | 5,145.88 |

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| <p align="center">Pastoral Support: Pastor Greg Kett (231) 425-8819 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 align="center">Ministry Team Leaders: 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 align="center">Youth Director: Justin Sluiter hcrctstrongtower@gmail.com</p> | |
| <p align="center">Church Office: Sara Bruno (231) 825-2171 office@highlandcrc.org Office hours: Mon-Thurs 8:30 AM - 2:00 PM Please have bulletin announcements in by Thurs. at 12 pm</p> | |

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PRAYER CORNER

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

Dick Bruno's back surgery has been moved to June 18 to redo everything which was done two years ago and to also have the next lower disk repaired. Please pray that this will relieve the intense pain and allow for more mobility.

Laurie Koning (NMC teacher and wife of Calvin CRC pastor) has found out that her cancer has returned. The tumor has doubled in size within a month. She will be seeking radiation treatments as soon as possible. Please keep Pastor Ken & Laurie and their family in your prayers.

Sarah de Vuyst (Missionary in Ukraine) has been diagnosed with shingles on her forehead. Please pray that it does not affect her eye.

Our Nation- Please pray for the family of George Floyd and the sin of racism in our country. Please pray for forgiveness and healing of our nation.

Daily Prayer Focus:

Consider our Heavenly Father this week. Praise Him and thank Him for a different "fatherly" attribute each day. Perhaps begin with His love, then His protection, His wisdom, etc.

***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@crnapartners.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: JUNE 14-20

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| SUNDAY 6/14 | 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.

Next Sunday: A Congregational Meeting has been scheduled for Sunday, June 21 immediately following the morning service to vote on a \$16,000 bid for our roof repair project. Sections to be repaired will include the East side of the old Sanctuary and the South side of the East wing. Absentee ballots are available in the fellowship hall if you are unable to attend.

We look forward to celebrating Holy Communion in 2 weeks on June 28th.

We want to celebrate! Kathy Vana sustained her classical ordination exam earlier this spring and she is now a Minister of the Word and Sacrament in the Christian Reformed Church! Her installation service will be here, at Highland church on June 28. Come and enjoy!

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.

Tables and Chairs for Open Houses/Events: Just a reminder that all tables and chairs need to be reserved by contacting Sara in the office. We have 20 of the white, eight-foot tables. Please note that the blue stackable chairs **MUST STAY IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL**. If you need chairs for an off-site event, we have 80+ folding chairs in the white shed & youth building

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.

Versiti Blood Drive ~~RESCHEDULED**~~** Our June 10th blood drive had to be rescheduled due to a power outage. If you were scheduled to donate this past Wednesday, 6/10, you will be contacted by Versiti blood once a new drive is scheduled, possibly as soon as Wednesday, 6/17.

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.

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

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.