

Fourth Reformed Church

To celebrate and worship our Lord and King

17 September 2017

Welcome! Thanks for joining us! If you're new, please fill out a connect card (found in the bench rack), and drop it in the offering plate when it's passed, or give it to one of the people standing by the doors at the end of the service.

Today we continue our mission series focusing on the cost of discipleship. Through our text this morning, we'll see that following Jesus means we're called to Him, and away from many of the things that hold us back from true discipleship. Pray that God would open our hearts to hear His call in a fresh way today.

Order of worship

Prelude <i>Worship Team</i>	<i>Always</i>
Call to Worship	
Singing	<i>He Reigns In Christ Alone How Deep the Father's Love</i>
Prayer	
Our Giving <i>Offering for Hurricane Relief</i>	<i>The Heart of Worship Children's worship (ages 3-5) begins in room 3</i>
New Members	Dave & Judy Portinga
Kingdom Prayers	
Singing	<i>I Surrender All</i>
Message <i>Pastor Eric Schalk</i>	Follow Jesus Together - The Cost <i>Luke 14:25-35 (p.1012)</i>
Singing	<i>Lead Me to the Cross</i>
Benediction	

This week at **Fourth**

Today	Nursery	<i>Dawn Faasse, Laura O'Brock Next week: Suzanne Bolt, Melissa Schalk</i>
	Children's Worship	<i>Tim Brinks, Erin, Elianna Next week: Amy Coeling, Anna, Kara</i>
	Greeters	<i>Ruth Meendering, Beth Rossiter Next week: Nancy Aukeman, Jean Stadt</i>
	Coffee	<i>Paul & Amy Baragar Ken & Amy Coeling Next week: Greg & Leslie Hawkins Gary & Mary Proos</i>
	11:00 AM 11:15 - Noon 5:00 PM 5:00 PM	Kids Praise Team Christian Education Sunday Night Fuel Youth at Dennis home - 1251 Union
Monday	6:00 PM	GEMS Kick off
Tuesday	10:00 AM 7:00 PM	Women's Bible Study Women's Study at McDowell's
Wednesday	6:30 AM 7:00 PM	Men's Bible Study at New Beginnings Men's Study A Clash of Kingdoms
Thursday	10:00 AM	Prayer Shawl Ministry at Rest Haven

Praise and Prayer

We continue to pray for the Faasse family as they grieve the death of their father and grandpa.

Pray for members of our congregation who struggle with challenges that often go unnoticed. Pray for God's comfort and peace to be upon them.

Announcements

Women's Monthly Bible Study

Beginning this Tuesday, September 19th, the women of 4th are invited to join in a monthly Bible study, which will meet the third Tuesday of the month at 7pm in the McDowell's home. Please see Leslie Hawkins if you have questions.

Mission of the Month - New City Neighbors

It has been a special year as we reflect on all God has done through a decade of ministry together! Thank you, Fourth, for being a part of building God's Kingdom with us in our neighborhood, piece by piece. As we celebrate and reflect this fall, we are also preparing for our 10th Anniversary Celebration! This celebration will include our annual auction. Save the Date for Thursday, November 9th (more info to come). If you have an auction item that you'd like to donate this year - please contact Alaina at alainad@newcityneighbors.org or (616) 970-4817. We continue to be grateful for Fourth's support as we work together to empower youth to reach their full potential in our community. Our offering for NCN will be next Sunday.

New City Neighbors

Volunteer with New City Afterschool!

Work with second through fifth grade students from the Creston neighborhood. The program meets every Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday from 3:30 to 6:00pm starting October 10. Opportunities include tutoring, van driving, providing snack, leading a club, or leading a Bible study. Come for an hour or stay for the whole time. Come once a week or all three days. Put your name on the volunteer interest form in back and Holly Hetherington will contact you.

TRIP

Credit this year is \$1539. New orders can be picked up on Tuesday.

Kids Hope USA

We will kick off our 19th year of partnership with Kent Hills Elementary School with a prayer gathering on October 1, from 11am to noon, in the sanctuary. Mentoring begins the week of October 2 with our returning students. It's not too late to become a mentor! If you're interested, please see Mary Kay Townley.

Cadets

You are invited to join the Coit Church cadet program for boys second grade through middle school. They meet on Monday evenings (except the fourth Monday) from 6-7:30. Dues are \$10 for the year. See Jeff Broene if you are interested, as he and his dad serve as leaders of this group.

GEMS

In order for this program to continue we need teachers! Please prayerfully consider becoming a part of GEMS and invest in the lives of our young girls.

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A Community Redeemed
to Redeem Our Community



Empowered by the Spirit to follow
Jesus together, serve others, and
share God's love

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