

Fourth Reformed Church

To celebrate and worship
our Lord and King

8 September 2019

Welcome! Thanks for coming. 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.

We're nearing the end of Revelation which means we have finally arrived at the vision for the new heavens and new earth. As we begin to unpack this vision, we'll explore what it means that we are able to dwell with God our Father.

Order of worship

Prelude
Worship Team

Holy Spirit

Welcome

Call to Worship

Singing

*There Is Power In the Blood
Worthy Is the Lamb/Crown Him
Worthy, You Are Worthy*

Prayer

Our Giving

*Behold, I Make All Things New
Children's worship (ages 3-5) begins in room 3*

Kingdom Prayers

Message
Pastor Eric Schalk

The Dwelling of God
Revelation 20:1-8 (p.1205)

Singing

Glorious Day

Benediction

This week at **Fourth**

Today

Nursery

*Julie Gleason and Co.
Next week: Leslie Hawkins, Beka McDowell*

**Children's
Worship**

*Amy Baragar, Liam
Next week: Erin Meendering, Bre, Kate*

Greeters

*Bob & Connie Scherpenisse
Next week: Sandy Moll, Nancy Aukeman*

Coffee

*Ed & Noreen Reitsma
Kathy Burggraaf, Nancy Springfield
Next week: Brian & Becky Tubergen
Bob & Lynn Berthiaume*

11:00 AM
11:15 AM - Noon
5:00 PM

**Kids Praise Team
Christian Education
Youth Group**

Tuesday

10:00 AM

Women's Bible Study *in fireside room*

Wednesday

6:30 AM
7:00 PM

Men's Bible Study *at New Beginnings*
Men's Study *in fireside room*

Thursday

10:00 AM

Prayer Shawl Ministry *at Rest Haven*

Praise & Prayer

Barb Blystone is temporarily at Laurels of Hudsonville and hopefully she can be moved to her permanent home at Addington Place soon. Continue to pray for her and the family.

Pray for **Dave Bolt** as he continues to recover from gallbladder surgery and some complications.

Pray for our Christian education **teachers** as they begin a new season of teaching and leading our children into a deeper fellowship with Jesus: Nancy Brinks & Co with preschool, Tim Brinks in room 6 with K-2nd, 3rd-6th graders in room 5 with Gideon Eising, upstairs the middle schoolers will have Jeff Broene, Aaron Wetzel and Sarah Parler will meet with the high schoolers.

Pray for the search team for **New City Neighbors** as they enter the final stages of interviewing for a new Executive Director.

Announcements

Mission of the Month - New City Neighbors

Mark your calendars for Tuesday, November 5, as the Fall Fundraiser will be held at Clearwater Place. They are looking for sponsors and tickets will be on sale soon. Fall shares are still available at the Farm and don't miss out on a delicious pizza from 4:00-6:30 on Thursdays through September! Our offering for NCN will be received on September 22.

Youth Group Info

There will be a meeting today at 11:15 in the fireside room. We'll be discussing the coming year and Lesson Connections for at Home.

Tonight Youth Group begins at 5-7 pm at the church. We're kicking off with a big game that combines the Amazing Race with an Escape Room and we'll finish out the night with dinner! Questions? See Sam or Kristi Dennis.

GEMS

GEMS is kicking off for the year on September 16 with our Carnival at 6 - 7:30 pm. Special friends, moms, aunts, and other women who love the girls are welcome to come and enjoy a fun night with our GEMS girls. Our regular schedule (1st & 3rd Mondays) starts on October 7 from 6-7:30pm.

Anyone who desires to be a special friend please contact Shayla Newman at gemsatfourth@gmail.com or by phone at 616-405-1361. Or you can contact Nancy Aukeman at gatoluvcats@yahoo.com or 616-690-9320. Thank you!

Consistory Nominations

Next week Sunday, September 15, nominations for elder and deacon are due. Please spend time over the next week prayerfully seeking the Lord's will regarding who should be asked to serve in the leadership of Fourth Church. Once you've filled out your ballot, please drop them in the wooden box on the sign-up table.

Cran-Hill Ranch 2020

Are you interested in making memories that will last a lifetime? Please join our church family for our annual tradition of camping at Cran-Hill Ranch over Labor Day weekend next year. This is a time guaranteed to be filled with fun and fellowship and the weather this year was perfect! The sign-up sheet for camping at Cran-Hill over Labor Day weekend 2020 is located in the Narthex. The deadline to sign up is Sunday, September 29. Please make sure to reserve a spot before it's too late! More information on booking your actual reservation will come out in the weeks following. If you have any questions, please contact Suzanne Bolt.

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