

# Fourth Reformed Church

To celebrate and worship  
our Lord and King

26 February 2023

Welcome! If you are visiting this morning, we're glad to have you with us today.

In our text for today, we see Jesus meet two very different people in need of healing. In both contexts, we will see the vital importance of faith in Jesus, the Lord of healing and life.

Prelude *This is Amazing Grace*  
*Worship Team*

Welcome  
Call to Worship

Singing *Oh You Bring  
O Come to the Altar*

Prayer of Confession

Singing *Great Are You Lord*

Kingdom Prayers *Children's worship (ages 3-5) begins in room 3*

Message **A TALE OF TWO DAUGHTERS**  
*Dr. Branson Parler* **MARK 5:21-43 (P. 973)**

Communion

Singing *The Blessing*

Closing Blessing

Our offering this morning will be received  
following our worship service

This week at **Fourth**

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<b>Today</b>	<b>Greeters</b>	Paul & Amy Baragar Next week: Sandy Moll, Darold & JoAnn Parks
	<b>Nursery</b>	Erin Broene, Ruby Parler Next week: Abbie Schalk, Kara Berrevoets
	<b>Scripture Reader</b>	Sarah Parler; Next week: Sam Dennis
	<b>Children's Worship</b>	Jaidyn Bolt, Eliana Parler Next week: Brianna Tubergen, Liam Baragar
	<b>Coffee</b>	Eric & Julie Schalk, Caren Bills Next week: Brian & Becky Tubergen
	11:15 AM	<b>Christian Education Classes Middle &amp; High School Small Groups Wetzel/Townley Care Group</b> <i>in Room 1</i>
	6:00 PM	<b>Middle &amp; High School Youth Group</b>

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**Monday** 6:00 PM **GEMS** *in the Fellowship Hall*

**Tuesday** 10:00 AM **Women's Bible Study** *in the Fireside room*

**Wednesday** 6:30 AM **Dude's Group** - *New Beginnings - Michigan St*

**Thursday** 10:00 AM **Knitting Group** *at Rest Haven*

**Saturday** 9:00 AM **Women's Passion Prayer** *in the Fellowship Hall*

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## Praise & Prayer

**Dianne Waterloo** experienced a couple setbacks this week and continues her long road of recovery. She was moved to a rehab facility on Thursday and at this time requests no visitors. Continue to pray for healing and encouragement.

**Gina Schalk** is recovering well and will likely be home this weekend. Pray that her body would continue to respond well to medicines, and that her pain would be controlled as she recovers from heart surgery.

Continue to pray for **Mike Brinks** as he seeks relief from blood clots in his lungs that can make him short of breath. Pray that those clots would dissolve and he would feel better. Pray also for **Nancy** as she meets with doctors soon to determine if she should change her cancer medication. Pray for continued healing for both Mike and Nancy.

**Bob Monsma** will likely need surgery on his right shoulder, unless a miracle happens and God heals him. He has to choose between 3 types of surgery. Please pray for God's wisdom and guidance in making a decision that will benefit him the most.

**Margaret Baker** was admitted to the hospital again on Thursday. Pray for healing, and also that her landlord would help her with necessary accommodations.

Continue to pray for **students at MSU** as they deal with the lingering trauma of the recent school shooting. Pray that God would give peace to the campus, and that students would encounter His grace.

### **Announcements**

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#### **Missionaries of the Month: Mission India**

With time dedicated to singing songs, playing games, hearing Bible stories and getting homework help, children are drawn to Bible Clubs for all kinds of reasons and have plenty to look forward to each day. In addition to training leaders, Mission India provides weekly lesson plans, Scripture books and sports equipment. On average, 60% of Year-Long Clubs transition into new churches. \$4,800 sponsors one project of five Children's Bible Clubs to reach approximately 200 children! Donations for Mission India can be given anytime during the month of February.

#### **Attention Wetzel/Townley Care Group**

The Wetzel/Townley Care Group will be meeting in Room 1 at 11:15am today for a time of fellowship. Coffee and treats will be provided!

#### **Free Stuff!**

We are cleaning out the Kids Hope office and donating all the games, books, shirts, crafts, prizes, water bottles, etc. to anyone that can use them. Be sure to check out the tables in the Fellowship Hall for some great items!

#### **Youth Group**

Tonight from 6:00-8:00pm, we'll be gathering in the church basement for another great time together. All middle and high school students are welcome!

#### **You're Invited**

What is the power of story to shape our faith? How do the stories we tell and the stories we listen to make us more capacious in our faith and in our thinking, more gracious in our lives? Trinitas Classical School presents "Complicated Narratives and Important Failures" with Dr. Jennifer Holberg (Calvin University) on Monday, March 6, at 7:00 PM. This program is free and open to the public. Refreshments to follow. For more information and to register go to: <http://www.trinitasclassical.org/category/school-news/> This program is made possible through a Vital Worship Grant from the Calvin Institute of Christian Worship, Grand Rapids, Michigan, with funds provided by Lilly Endowment Inc.

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

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