

## A.M. ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude

\*Songs: “Crown Him with Many Crowns” [Gray bk. 410]  
“Oh, For A Thousand Tongues to Sing” [Gray bk. 501: 1, 3, 4, 7]  
“I Sing Praises”

\*Prayer

\*God’s Greeting/We Greet Each Other

\*Song: “Behold, What Manner of Love”

God’s Will For our Lives

Pastoral Prayer

\*Song: “The Power of Your Love”

Offertory Prayer and Offering: General Fund & Faith Promise  
[As offerings are being received, please sign and pass the Friendship Register]

Children’s Worship [3’s, 4’s, Pre-Kindergarten 5’s] The Pastor will call the children to the front of church for a brief prayer before dismissing them for children’s worship. **Visitors are welcome!**

Scripture Reading: John 8: 31-47

Message: “The Truth Shall Set You Free”

\*Prayer

\*God’s Blessing

\*Song: “I Then Shall Live”

\*Postlude

[\*Those who are able, please stand]

Pastor: Terry Genzink Pianist: Jen Leep Worship Leaders: Nancy Engelsman Scott Roon
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Offerings for next week: A.M. General Fund  
P.M. Youth Unlimited

\*\*\*August Prayer Theme: Souleyman Mansare’\*\*\*  
Guinea, West Africa

**Fall Camping:** Anyone still interested in fall camping should call the CR Conference Grounds directly. We have solidified families for our sites, but if we don’t need them all, we will turn them back over to the Conference Grounds. Call (616) 842-4478 or go to [info@crcg.org](mailto:info@crcg.org).

**M.I.S.T. Breakfast** – Wednesday, August 6, 8:00 a.m. at Russ’ in Grandville. Please sign up at the coffee counter.

**M.I.S.T. Trip to Fair Oaks Farm in Indiana** – Tuesday, September 30. Cost is \$42 each. Your payment is your reservation (to Shirley V.D.) Friends are welcome. Sign up at the coffee counter.

If you will be working in any of the church youth programs (including nursery) starting this fall and are over 18 years old, you **must** attend one of the **Abuse Prevention Policy** training classes before the programs start. Sign-up sheets for the next few available classes are on the coffee counter. Please contact **Jon Frens** if you have any questions: 662-4097. These classes are offered on Sundays or on a Wednesday evening. Even if you are a leader now and have attended something like this a few years ago, you must attend again, because some things have changed. Sign up soon.

The **Adult Ministries Committee** is making plans for our next Couples’ Retreat in February 2010. Anyone with a suggestion for a speaker is invited to contact Carolyn Woudwyk.

**Softball news.** . . Team #1 was defeated Wednesday night 10-5, but they are looking forward to their make-up game this week. We have been informed about a FALL LEAGUE, which begins on September 2. (This is a 7 game league.) Talk to Joe Vugteveen and sign up soon!!

**Mark your calendars . . .** The softball play-offs are Wednesday, August 13 at Hughes Park. Team #1 plays at 6:00 PM, Team #2 at 7:30 PM. Come out and cheer for the Messiah teams!

\*\*\***REMINDER**\*\*\*

**The Church Sanctuary doors MUST remain open because of the air conditioning.**

**Church Library Today:** Dale De Lange  
Next Week: Betty Boersma

**Children's Worship Teacher:** Roxanne Bloem  
Next Week: Roxanne Bloem

**Church Calendar:**

Sun. 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship  
2:00 p.m. African Worship Service – Friendship Room  
5:30 p.m. Evening Worship  
Mon. 6:30-7:30 Trip-to-Go: Christy Breuker, Mary Soodsma  
Tues. 7:30 a.m. Prayer Time in the Fireside Room  
7:00 p.m. Adult Ministries Committee meets – Fireside Room  
Wed. 6:30 a.m. Early Risers Bible Study at Rainbow Grill, Hudsonville  
8:00 a.m. M.I.S.T. Breakfast @ Russ' in Grandville  
6:00 p.m. Softball Team # 1 – (Make-up game @ Sunrise Park)  
6:50 p.m. Softball Team # 2 – (Make-up game @ Sunrise Park)  
7:30 p.m. Administrative Elders meet – Fireside Room

**Our Church Family:**

**Please Pray for:**

- **Our Missionaries – Brenda Vander Schuur, Wanda Kunzi, Pastor Wayne & Sandy De Young, Tim & Paola De Young, Pastor Ray & Angie De Lange, Pastor Phillip & Joan Holmes, Pastor John & Ruth Hoekwater, Pastor Paul & LaVonne Worster, Pastor Marvin & Barb Vander Vliet, Pastor Ken & Pat Vander Ploeg;**
- **Jean Leep and Chris Stepanek**, continuing to deal with cancer;
- Betty Weayou's husband **Benjamin Toe**, that he may be able to come to the U.S. for medical treatment;
- **Others with continuing health concerns including: Firdene Branderhorst, Shirley Coeling, Judie Dyke, Judy Geers, Bill Hoonhorst, Danette Hoonhorst, Bob Hoonhorst, Jean Leep, Mel Meekhof, Pastor Tim Mejeur, Ann Ritsema, Louise Schutt, Ruth Vanden Berg, Andy Van Zalen**

**Transportation for Pastor Tim to therapy** – A sign-up sheet with new dates is on the coffee counter.

**CADET COUNSELORS** – Please attend the counselor's meeting on Monday, August 18 at 7:30 PM. The meeting should last for approximately an hour and a half. For those who have not attended an abuse policy refresher, please let Bob Van Koevering know.

**CHURCH SCHOOL TEACHERS** – Please attend (1) informational meeting for the coming educational season. 1. Sunday, August 17 immediately following the morning worship service, or 2. Wednesday, August 20 at 7:30 PM. Calendars and materials will be distributed at that time. The meeting should last for approximately one hour. For those who have not attended an abuse policy refresher, please let Bob Van Koevering know.

**G.E.T. M.A.D. . . . is going to the Avalon Concert on August 17** at the Hudsonville Fairgrounds. It begins at 7:30 PM and costs just \$2. The time to meet and other details will be coming. Let your leader know if you can go, else you'll get a call.

**S.T.R.O.N.G. Members** – incoming, returning and outgoing members: Reminder for THIS Saturday, August 9, we are spending the day at the Van Noord cottage. We will leave church at 8:30 a.m. and return at 10:30 p.m. Lunch, dinner, mega water sports, a ski show and loads of fun included – all for \$5.00! Talk to Katie Koetje to reserve your spot. (813-1420). Can't wait to see you there!

**Thank you to July Ushers:** Brian De Vries, Todd Dornbush, Don Hoekstra, Phil Tanis, Jim Van Dyke, Carl Marlink and Jim Winters.

**August Ushers:**

**AM**  
Hank Bloem – East  
Erv Gruppen – West  
John Elders – Center  
Troy Duggins – Center

**PM**  
John Crumb – Center  
Hank Bloem – West  
Larry Plowman – East

The Calvinist Cadet Corps is asking for prayer for the upcoming international camporee that will be starting August 6 in Burk Falls, Ontario. Please pray for safe travel for the 1,300+ campers, and that all the final details/plans will fall into place so that this will be a great spiritual blessing to all those who attend.

Do you have the need to transport a child under 9 years old who isn't 4' 9"? Need to borrow a **booster seat**? Call or see Kristin DeKock. There is a booster seat available to "check out" in the Supply Room downstairs.

**Messiah Christian Reformed Church**  
**August 3, 2008**

**Welcome friends! As we gather in this house of prayer, let us earnestly implore with the Psalmist, “Teach me Thy Way, O Lord.” – Psalm 27: 11**

**Morning Message:** Bible doctrine is very practical. Pastor Genzink’s message show how our current understanding of Biblical truth shapes the way we look at ourselves and all of life.

**Evening Worship:**

Pastor: Terry Genzink  
Message: “The Call of Gideon”

Pianist: Sandy Baukema  
Offering: Love, INC

**Evening Message:** Gideon was a man with obvious weaknesses who was used by God in a wonderful way. Pastor Genzink’s message challenges us to see God at work in our lives in spite of weaknesses.

**Host Couple Today:** Bob & Ruth Bosscher  
Next Week: Bill & Etta Post

**Caring for Our Children:**

A.M. Lisa Timmer, Salli Vugteveen, Karen Lanning  
Aaron Brock, Brianna De Fouw  
P.M. Andrea Ludema, Danae Brinks

Next Week:

A.M. Amy De Vries, Kerri Tanis, Lindsey Rozeboom  
Tonya Vugteveen, Sarah Wolf  
P.M. Becca Vander Broek, Gwen De Fouw

**Greeting Us Today:**

	<b>A.M.</b>	<b>P.M.</b>
Parking Lot Door:	Greg & Robin Kerkstra	Ron & Jan Brinks
North Door:	Phil & Kerri Tanis	Jon & Rachel Huisman

Next Week:

Parking Lot Door:	Dale & Lisa De Lange	Kurt & Kristin De Kock
North Door:	Jim & Shirley Coeling	Dale & Barb Brouwer

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**Messiah Christian Reformed Church**  
**EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE**  
**August 3, 2008**

Prelude

\*Songs: “Shine, Jesus Shine”  
“He is Ever Over Me”

\*Prayer

\*Song: “He is Able”

\*We Profess Our Faith: The Apostles’ Creed

Offertory and Offering: Love, INC

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Pastoral Prayer [with suggestions]

\*Song: “Standing on the Promises” [Red bk. 96: 1, 2, 4]

Scripture Reading: Judges 6: 1-35

Message: “The Call of Gideon”

Prayer

\*God’s Blessing

\*Song: “Grace Alone”

\*Postlude

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