

Serving Others May 2, 2010

Children's Worship: Laura Landstra, Marissa Slager
Sam Landstra, Derek Slager
Host Couple: Terry & Marcia Hollemans
Library: Betty Boersma
Nursery AM: Crystal Mejeur, Sandee Grasman, Heather Ter Haar
Trey Duggins, Sarah Wolf
Nursery PM: Jess Bosch, Lynette Gruppen
Greeters: Parking Lot Door: AM Tim Albers
PM Jon & Karen Lanning
North Door: AM Jay & Shirley Van Dyken
PM Harve & Eunice Gemmen
Offerings: AM General Fund and Faith Promise
PM Cadet Corps

Serving Others May 9, 2010

Children's Worship: Arenda Van Klompenberg, Lisa Ten Harkel
Katie/Nate Van Klompenberg, Korin Wolf
Host Couple: Art & Barb Gerrits
Library: Harlene Gabrielse
Nursery AM: Amy De Vries, Phil & Theresa De Lange
Katie Van Klompenberg, Rachel Brock
Nursery PM: Kathy Wierenga, Christopher Hoekstra
Greeters: Parking Lot Door: AM Gene & Mickey Talsma
PM Ken & Kim Bosscher
North Door: AM Bill & Etta Post
PM Craig & Salli Vugteveen
Offerings: AM General Fund
PM Jehovah Jireh

Our Staff/Contact Information

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MESSIAH CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

*2900 Springdale St.
Hudsonville MI 49426*

May 2, 2010

*"Give thanks to the Lord, call on his name;
sing to him, sing praise to him;
glory in his holy name."*

| Chronicles 16:8a, 9a, 10a

Worship Services: 9:30 am & 5:30 pm

9:30 am Service

Pastor: Terry Genzink

Pianist: Sandy Baukema; **Worship Team;** **Drums:** Benjamin Toe

Prelude

*God's Greeting/We Greet Each Other

*Songs: "The Heart of Worship"
"Blessed Assurance"

Recognizing Servants

Prayer

*Song: "Sanctuary/Take My Life"

Offertory Prayer and Offering: General Fund and Faith Promise
[Children's Worship – ages 3-kindergarten will be called
to the front for a prayer before dismissal]

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture Reading: I Corinthians 13: 13-14:5

Message: "Love and Spiritual Gifts"

Prayer

*God's Blessing

*Song: "We Receive Your Blessing"

*Postlude

[Please stand, if you are able]

In recognition of the conclusion of another church education year, this morning's service will take note and give thanks for all our members who serve in a great variety of ways.

Our service is followed by a Congregational Brunch to which EVERYONE IS INVITED.

Morning Message: Thinking about the service of so many, Pastor Genzink's message reflects on the Biblical challenge to use our gifts while following "the way of love".

Evening Message: Continuing with the theme of giftedness, our message focuses specifically on DESIRING spiritual gifts.

This evening's service will include the public profession of faith of Keith Brouwer. Keith's membership by baptism comes to Messiah by transfer from the Zutphen Chr. Ref. Church.

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 John & Ruth Hoekwater, Pastor Paul & LaVonne Worster, Pastor Marvin Vander Vliet, Gilbert Napila, church planter in the Philippines; **Andrea Ludema**, who anticipates outpatient surgery in Detroit on Thursday, which will involve a fairly long recuperation time;

Others with continuing health concerns . . .

Ruth Bosscher, Firdene Branderhorst, Jen De Went, Rich De Young, Harlene Gabrielse, Jacob & Kellan Gainey, Irv Gruppen, Bill Hoonhorst, Danette Hoonhorst, Bob Hoonhorst, Mel Meekhof, Kevin Peibenga, Ann Ritsema, Ann Tameling, Ruth Vanden Berg, Andy Van Zalen

This Week's Calendar

- Sun.** 9:30 am Morning Service
5:00 pm Prayer Time – Fireside Room
5:30 pm Evening Service
6:45 – 8:15 pm G.E.T. M.A.D. meets – D.E.C.K.
- Mon.** 6:30 – 7:30 pm TRIP-to-Go: Don Veltman, Dawn Wustman
- Tue.** 7:30 am Prayer Time – Fireside Room
6:00 pm M.O.M.S./Jr. Cadets meet at Hudsonville Lanes
- Wed.** 6:30 am Early Risers Bible Study – Rainbow Grill
8:00 am M.I.S.T. Breakfast at Russ' in Grandville
9:30 am Ladies Bible Study – Fireside Room
6:00 pm STRONG Stockholder's Dinner
7:30 pm Admin. Elders meet – Fireside Room
- Thurs.** 8:00 am Men's Life meets – Fireside Room
9:30 am Messiah Circle meets – Belhar Confession

Youth Announcements

G.E.T. M.A.D. SNAC Night – Tonight, 6:45 in the D.E.C.K.

G.E.T. M.A.D.ers: Get ready to have some fun this year at the Spring Retreat, May 15-16! We are going to Pine Trail Camp in Saugatuck. We will meet at church at 12:45 PM on Saturday and will be back to church at 2:00 PM on Sunday. See the Flyer in your boxes for more information.

If you went on the Mission Trip with **S.T.R.O.N.G.**, this Tuesday at 7:30 pm set up begins. Dinner responsibilities start at 5 pm on Wednesday. See the flyer from your mailbox for more details. Please remember to bring your dessert and 2 memories on Wednesday. Thanks!

Sunday, May 9 **S.T.R.O.N.G.'s End of the Year party** will take place at Randy's parents' house on 40th, just south of Baldwin St. during normal youth group time, 6:45-8:20 pm. If you need a ride either way, please contact any leader.

Community Announcements

Fishing for Family Fun? Join the **Jenison** Christian School community at school (7726 Graceland, Jenison) for our **Spring Community Event** – **Tuesday, May 4**, from 5:30 – 7:30 PM (rain date is May 6). There will be fun outdoor activities and crafts for children, and pizza dinner for the family. Cost: **FREE!** For details, visit www.jenisonchristian.org.

The Hudsonville and Jenison Post Offices once again sponsor their annual spring food drive this Saturday, May 8th for Love INC's Food Pantries. If you will place non-perishable food items in or by your mailbox, your mail carrier will pick up the food on May 8.

Join us Monday, May 10, for an evening of **volunteering at Crossroad Bible Institute!** Gather your group or come on your own and we'll put you to work on the assembly line. Doors open 6:00-8:30 PM. For availability, call 530-1300.

Don't miss the **Steve Green Concert** on Friday, May 14 at Beechwood Reformed Church in Holland. Proceeds are for The Bible League. There are some (\$10) tickets in the office. (See Nancy Engelsman.)

Congregational Announcements

We rejoice with Doug and Sandy Laninga on the birth of a girl, **Danielle Joy**, on Tuesday. Sandy and the baby are doing well.

“We were at peace while we waited for the results of the tests. Thanks for your prayers. Please keep praying for healing.” – **Harv & Eunice Gemmen**

As a congregation we express our Christian sympathy to Jim and Shirley Coeling and their family in the death on April 22 of Shirley's sister, Delores Van Noord. May the Lord comfort all who mourn.

Membership Transfer: At their request the membership of Gene, Marilou and Krysta Kuipers has been transferred to Roosevelt Park Community Chr. Ref. Church in Grand Rapids. May the Lord bless the Kuipers in their new church home.

Congratulations to Jared and Kristen Schuitema who were united in marriage yesterday. May the Lord bless Jared and Kristen and their life together.

FYI Grads and Parents: The Worship Committee has scheduled the graduation service for **May 23 AM**. As you plan for open houses, etc. please keep this in mind.

National Day of Prayer Service
Thursday, 7:30 PM

First Church has been invited to join us

There will be a **congregational meeting** on Sunday, May 16 after the morning service to vote on the selection of Elders and Deacons. Below is a list of the nominees. The selection will be completed at the evening service.

Administrative Elder

(2 to be selected)

Terry Brinks
Kevin Piebenga
Todd Van Noord
Rick Wierenga

Pastoral Elder

(3 to be selected)

Wayne Boven
Wil De Kraker
John Elders
Scott Roon

Bob Van Koevering
Maynard Wildeboer

Deacon

(2 to be selected)

John Boven
Jon Burman
Terry Coeling
Joe Oosterheert

There will be a **congregational meeting** on Wednesday, May 26 at 7:00 pm to approve the budget for fiscal year 2010-2011.

M.I.S.T. Breakfast at Russ' in Grandville – Wed., May 5 at 8:00 am. Please sign up at the coffee counter.

ALL-CHURCH BRUNCH (sponsored by the Church Life and Youth Ministries Committees) to wrap up the end of the church school year. This will take place immediately after the morning service **TODAY**. ALL the food will be provided.

Does your directory picture need updating? Has your family grown or changed somehow? Tammie Rozeboom will be in the Friendship Room on May 16 after the PM service and again on June 6 after the AM service to take pictures. If you have questions, please talk to Tammie.

Coffee and Punch servers needed for the summer. Check the sign up sheet on the coffee counter and see if there is a week (or weeks) you could help out. Any questions, give Jan Brinks a call – 662-4085.

Just a note of thanks for the couples that signed up for greeting and host & hostess – but we need more young couples to sign up. Please pray for this ministry; it is so important that we reach visitors, but also to greet our own congregation and get to know everyone. Special thanks to the one person greeters (Outreach Person). We need 4 more. Please speak to or call Hank Bloem – 669-5539. There is no schedule or time slot for the “Outreach Greeter”. It's easy, and Hank can tell you all about it.

STRONG is looking forward to this Wednesday's Dinner with those who RSVP-ed. We are immensely grateful for all who have prayed and financially supported STRONG and their mission trip to Cedar Rapids. We are excited for the opportunity to share more with you starting at 6:00 pm.

Here's your chance Guys! Take that special lady out for “Dine to Donate” at Applebee's in Grandville, Tuesday, May 4 from 4pm - 9pm, show the flyer that will be in your box on May 2 and Applebee's will donate 20% of your bill to the organization “Through Education Liberating Liberia” (TELL). This fundraiser will help support the Kingdom Foundation School in Liberia while you meet your friends from Messiah, Immanuel and Jamestown churches. Kingdom Foundation is a Christian School in Paynesville, Liberia just outside Monrovia.

Mary Soodsma will be taking over **janitorial duties** for the month of May. Please call her with any needs (669-4292).

Ladies: Today is the last day to sign the reservation sheet on the coffee counter for the free luncheon, informational video, and tour of **Love INC**, 3300 Van Buren St., May 6 at 11:30 am. If you have questions, call Mary (669-0577) or Hazel (669-6587).

UPCOMING EVENT: All church bowling night at the Hudsonville Lanes, scheduled for 6:00 pm on Friday, **May 22**. Come to bowl and enjoy pizza and fellowship.

*****May Prayer Theme*****

John & Ruth Hoekwater

This week – Our new life in Christ

Thank you to the **April Ushers:** Brian Mulder, Ross Bosch, Phil Tanis, Scott Vander Broek, Dale Wittengen, Kyle Knoper and Joel Mulder.

May Ushers:

	AM	PM
East	Jake Van't Hof	Hank Bloem
West	Elmer Vlastuin	Carl Marlink
Center	Jack Postma	Art Gerrits
Center	Troy Duggins	

Coming at Messiah:

May 6 (Thurs.) – National Day of Prayer Service

May 9 PM – Tim Mejeur

May 16 AM – The Lord's Supper

May 23 AM – Graduation Service

June 6 – Commissioning of Fig VanderMolen as our new Youth Pastor and installation of new Elders and Deacons

Mary Verwys invites us to **visit The House of Hope** on Monday, May 10. Meet at church at 7:00 pm and we will go there together.

A BIG thanks to all who donated time, labor and materials to work on the landscape around church. The property committee appreciates all those who helped in any way. Everything looks great!

Messiah Christian Reformed Church
May 2, 2010
5:30 pm Service

Pastor: Terry Genzink
Pianist: Kelli Haverkamp; **Worship Team**

Prelude

*Songs: “Open the Eyes of My Heart”
“Be Thou My Vision”

*Prayer

*Song: “Lord, Be Glorified”

Public Profession of Faith: Keith Brouwer

Evening Prayer

*Song: “Lord, I Lift Your Name on High”

Offering: Cadet Corps

Scripture Reading: I Corinthians 12: 1-3, 27-31

Message: “*Desiring Spiritual Gifts*”

Prayer

*God’s Blessing

*Song: “Knowing You”

*Postlude

[*Please stand, if you are able]