

MORNING WORSHIP ~ 9:30 AM
November 20, 2022

God Gathers Us into Worship

Prelude

Welcome

*Mutual Greeting

*Prayer

*Opening Song: CH 793

For the Beauty of the Earth

*Call to Worship

*Songs: CH 139

Great Is Thy Faithfulness

170

Give Thanks

*Reading of the Law/Christian Living

We Respond through Prayer

Prayer Concerns and Praises

Congregational Prayer

Offering

Christian Neighbors

God Speaks to Us in His Word

Scripture

Isaiah 6:1-6 (p.1068)

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

This Is Jesus

*Song of Response: CH 3 vs 1-3

Holy, Holy. Holy

God Blesses Us as We Go Forth in Mission

*Parting Blessing

*Parting Song: CH 3 vs 4

Holy, Holy, Holy

**please stand*

**EVENING SERVICE
6:00 PM**

God Gathers Us into Worship

Prelude
Welcome and God's Greeting
Opening Prayer

We Lift our Voices to God in Worship

*Call to Worship
*Opening Songs: CH 171 *Come into His Presence*
193 *God Is So Good*
*Apostles' Creed

We Respond through Prayer

*Song of Prayer CH 191 *Father, I Adore You*
Prayer Concerns and Praises
Congregational Prayer
Offering Pine Rest

God Speaks to Us in His Word

Scripture **Matthew 4:1-11** (p.1499)
Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: **Thanks be to God.**
Sermon **The Temptation of Christ**
Prayer
*Song of Response: CH 311 vs 1-4 *Hallelujah, What a Savior!*

God Blesses Us as We Go Forth in Mission

*Parting Blessing
*Parting Song: CH 311 vs 5 *Hallelujah, What a Savior!*

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East Martin Christian



Reformed Church

Loving God by Loving Others

Worship Times:
9:30 a.m.; 6:00 p.m.

OUR VISION

Our purpose, having been called by Christ to a life of service, is to glorify God through Biblical worship, strengthening and enriching one another in the Christian life, and sharing Christ's love through word and deed in faithful witness, both within our congregation and outside our fellowship.

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COUNCIL MEMBER PRAYER REQUEST

Please remember to pray for God’s guidance and direction for Keith Smit this week.

OFFERINGS

Today AM: Christian Neighbors
PM: Pine Rest

Thanksgiving Thanksgiving Envelopes

Next Week AM: General Fund/Ministry Shares
PM: Luke Society

GREETERS

Today AM: Les & Rena Lynema, Keith Smit
PM: Joel & Jen DeYoung

Thanksgiving Scott & Becky Rillema

Next Week AM: Jonathan & Amy Kalkman, Tom Rook
PM: Keith Smit

LIBRARY

Today Carolyn VanderMeulen

Next Week Linda DeYoung

NURSERY

Today Jen and Violet Tuinstra

Thanksgiving

Next Week Laura DeMaagd

USHERS

Today Kevin Bouman, Jared Westendorp, Preston Rillema

Next Week Dave Misner, Nate Rillema, Toby Smith

LORD’S SUPPER December 11, March 12

OUR WEEK

November 20, 2022

Sunday

8-9:00 AM

Prayer Group

10:30 AM

Fellowship Coffee

Sunday School

Monday

7:00 PM

Building Committee

Tuesday

7:00 PM

Elders

Thursday

8:00-9:15

Thanksgiving Breakfast

9:30 AM

Thanksgiving Service

Welcome to Pastor Charlie Post who leads us in worship and brings us God's word at both of today's services. Next week will be Mr. Jeff Blamer in the morning and Mr. Zach Toth in the evening.

Thanksgiving offering envelopes are located in the pews and will be collected at the Thanksgiving service this Thursday November 24th. ***A tithe of everything from the land, whether grain from the soil or fruit from the trees, belongs to the Lord; it is holy to the Lord. – Leviticus 27:30***

Thanksgiving Day Pancake Breakfast – Everyone is invited to come enjoy pancakes, breakfast casserole, sausage links, coffee and apple juice before the service. The HS Youth Group will be serving breakfast from 8 - 9:15 in the church fellowship room.

Council is pleased to announce that Pastor David Prince is our new interim pastor effective November 14. He starts doing visits with the congregation and will be leading us in worship starting December 4 and every other Sunday for 3 months. Please welcome Pastor David and his wife Patrice.

High Schoolers: Meet at church this Wednesday, November 23 at 7:30 PM to set up for the Pancake Breakfast.

Thanksgiving Day: Be here at 7 AM, ready to start flipping pancakes!

December's Creative Stitching will be moved to Thursday the 1st at 9:30 AM. We are going to be making Scandinavian origami fabric Christmas stars that are nice for the tree or gift decorations. You can bring your own project or bring the following supplies for stars: small amounts of Christmas fabric and fabric glue. This will be the last time we meet until April 2023.

Cadet Sunday is scheduled for December 4 this year. We will be having a baked potato lunch following the morning service to benefit our EMCRC Cadet club; the morning offering will also go toward our Cadets here as well. Thank you in advance for all your support this season.

Directory update: Kathy Adrianson has moved to Alamo Nursing Home. Her new address is 8290 C Ave, Kalamazoo, MI 49009. Phone is 269-343-2587

Beginning in January, our church will once again take turns corresponding weekly with our missionaries, Josh and Mandy Shaarda. There will be a pre-addressed stamped envelope in your mailbox for you to write a note of greeting, news from home and encouragement to the Shaarda family. Do not include a bulletin.

Faith Promise sheets are available on the shelf in the back of church. Please put it in prayer before the Lord how you can respond to supporting our missions. Then fill out the sheet and detach the bottom section. Place the bottom section in the offering plate or give to a deacon. Thank you!

Christmas with the Calvin Choirs - The Calvin University choirs invite you to celebrate the Christmas season by joining them for two performances this December! On Friday, Dec. 2 at 7:30pm and Saturday, Dec. 3 at 3:00pm the Calvin Oratorio Society will perform Handel's Messiah at Calvin's Covenant Fine Arts Center. On Sunday, Dec. 4 at 3:00pm and 6:00pm the student choirs will present a service of Lessons and Carols at LaGrave Avenue CRC (107 La Grave Ave SE, Grand Rapids). Messiah tickets can be purchased from the Calvin box office (calvin.universitytickets.com), and the Lessons and Carols services are offered free of charge.

Elder/Deacon Districts 2022/2023

<u>Elder</u>	<u>District</u>	<u>Deacon</u>
Tom Rook	A-DenBoer	Scott Tuinstra
Keith Smit	Dendel-G. Leep	Ryan Tucker
Earl Wykstra	N. Leep-Rillema	Doug DeMann
Dave Mejeur	Rook-VanderMeulen	Bob Katje
Bruce Tiemeyer	VanElderen-Z	Jonathan Kalkman