

## MORNING WORSHIP ~ 9:30 AM

January 7, 2024

### God Gathers Us into Worship

Prelude

\*Call to Worship

\*Opening Song: CH 107

*Lord, I Lift Your Name on High*

\*Prayer

\*Mutual Greeting

### We Lift our Voices to God in Worship

\*Songs of Praise: CH 308

*There Is a Redeemer*

310

*Lead Me to Calvary*

Reading of the Law/Christian Living

### We Respond through Prayer

Praises and Prayer Concerns

Congregational Prayer

Offering

General Fund/Ministry Shares

### God Speaks to Us through His Word

Scripture:

**Acts 1:1-11** (p. 1691)

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Message:

**Jesus, the Holy Spirit, and the Christian Life**

\*Song of Response: CH 377

*Alleluia! Sing to Jesus*

### God Blesses Us as We Go Forth in Mission

\*Parting Blessing

\*Closing Song: CH 56 vs 3

*To God Be the Glory*

Postlude

*\*please stand if able*

**EVENING SERVICE**  
**6:00 PM**

**God Gathers Us into Worship**

- Prelude
- \*Call to Worship
- \*Opening Prayer

**We Lift our Voices to God in Worship**

- \*Opening Songs: CH 78 *I Love You, Lord*  
79 *My Jesus, I Love Thee*
- \*Apostles' Creed

**We Respond through Prayer**

- \*Song of Prayer: CH 219 *Surely the Presence*
- Praises and Prayer Concerns
- Congregational Prayer
- Offering ReFrame Ministries (Back to God Hour)

**God Speaks to Us through His Word**

Scripture: **Ephesians 5:21-33** (p. 1823)

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

**People: Thanks be to God.**

Message: **The Worthwhile Life: Husbands and Wives**

- \*Song of Response: CH 571 vs 1, 2 *Trust and Obey*

**God Blesses Us as We Go Forth in Mission**

- \*God's Parting Blessing
- \*Closing Song: CH 571 vs 3 *Trust and Obey*
- Postlude

## BUILDING AND GROUNDS

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Kevin DeKoekkoek, Stan Leep

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## JR HIGH YOUTH

# **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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