

**Morning Worship ~ 9:30 AM
April 27, 2025**

God Gathers Us into Worship

Prelude
*Call to Worship Hebrews 12:22-24
*Opening Song: LUYH 488 vs. 1, 2, 4 *Jerusalem the Golden*
*Prayer
*Mutual Greeting

We Lift Our Voices to God in Worship

*Songs of Praise: LUYH 511 *Amid the Thriving Worshippers*
181 *See, What a Morning*
Reading of the Law/Christian Living

We Respond Through Prayer

Praises and Prayer Concerns
Congregational Prayer
Offering East Martin Christian School

God Speaks to Us through His Word

Scripture: **Psalm 22** (P. 861)
Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.
Message: **My God, My God, Why Have You Forsaken Me?**
*Song of Response LUYH 594 v. 1-3
The Ends of All the Earth Shall Hear

God Blesses Us as We Go Forth in Mission

*Parting Blessing
*Closing Song LUYH 594 v. 4 *The Ends of All the Earth Shall Hear*

**Evening Worship
6:00 PM**

God Gathers Us into Worship

Prelude
*Call to Worship Psalm 123:1-2
*Opening Prayer

We Lift Our Voices to God in Worship

*Opening Songs: CH 161 I Will Sing of the Mercies
153 *Worthy of Worship*
Heidelberg Catechism Lord's Day 4 (Back of the Psalter, P. 11)

We Respond Through Prayer

*Song of Prayer CH 157 *The Love of God*
Praises and Prayer Concerns
Congregational Prayer
Offering Rehoboth Christian School

God Speaks to Us through His Word

Scripture: **Psalm 119:1-8** (P. 957)
Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.
Message: **The Rule of Life**
*Song of Response CH 604 I Then Shall Live

God Blesses Us as We Go Forth in Mission

*God's Parting Blessing
*Closing Song CH 56 *To God Be the Glory*

*Please stand if able

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Reformed Church

Loving God by Loving Others

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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We welcome Joel Trinidad for today's services. Next Sunday, we will Joel Trinidad have for both the morning and evening service.

Jonah Wubben is on deployment. There is a Facebook page where we can follow along: USS Blue Ridge (LCC 19). Please keep him in your prayers.

The shower for Trey Rillema and Kassi VanderLind will end May 4th. Trey and Kassi's baby boy was born on March 6. They are all set with newborn items. If you would like to gift them diapers (size 2 and 3) or 6 month or larger clothes for Josiah that would be appreciated. Please place your gifts in the pack 'n play in the narthex. Instead of a card you may sign a children's book as they would love to read Josiah a book picked out by you.

The annual East Martin Christian School Golf Outing is Saturday, June 21st at Mullenhurst Golf Course in Delton. The day includes 18 holes of golf, a shirt, lunch, and a chance at prizes. The 4 person golf scramble begins at 8 am. If you have interest in playing and/or sponsoring this event, please call/text Kelvin DeVries at 616 481-3872.

SON-Life Camp: Spring Work Week, May 5-9, 2025. Come out and help us get ready for another amazing summer of ministry! Fellowship with others, do some projects and camp for free! We're looking for anyone willing to lend some time and energy to help camp get ready for summer. Perfect for retirees, home school families, college students and anyone in between. Serve for one day or serve for the week! Be sure to contact us to let us know you will be joining us. Call the office at 269-792-2081 or email us at office@son-lifecamp.org.

Dorr CRC invites you to come to a Rummage Sale/Bake Sale on May 1st & 2nd from 9:00 am – 5:00 pm in our fellowship hall. All are welcome to attend.

COUNCIL MEMBER PRAYER REQUEST

Please pray for God's guidance and direction for Wayne Leep this week.

OFFERINGS

Today AM: East Martin Christian School
PM: Rehoboth Christian School
Next Week AM: General Fund/Ministry Shares
PM: Kalamazoo Christian School

GREETERS

Today AM: Larry & Phyllis Tuinstra, Wayne Leep
PM: Rebekah and Thomas Westendorp
Next Week AM: Ron & Lorraine VandenBerg, Dave Misner
PM: Harold Wykstra

LIBRARY

Today Ida Westendorp
Next Week Rena Lynema

NURSERY

Today Rebekah Westendorp
Next Week Jen and Violet Tuinstra

USHERS

Today Dean Wubben, Don Wubben, Bruce Aukema
Next Week Kevin Bouman, Randy Bouman, Joe DeKoekkoek

LORD'S SUPPER: June 8

	<u>OUR WEEK</u>	April 27, 2025
<u>Sunday</u>	8:00 AM	Prayer Group
	10:30 AM	Fellowship Coffee
		Sunday School
	7:30 PM	Youth Group
<u>Monday</u>	7:00 PM	Education
<u>Tuesday</u>	7:00 PM	Elders
<u>Wednesday</u>	9:45 PM	Coffee Break

Call to Confession: Based on Psalm 51:1 (Responsive)

Pastor: Have mercy on me, O God,

People: According to your unfailing love;

Pastor: According to your great compassion

People: Blot out my transgressions.

Prayer of Confession: Based on Psalm 51:2-4 (Unison)

Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin.

For I know my transgressions, and my sin is always before me.

Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight; so you are right in your verdict and justified when you judge.

Assurance of Pardon: Based on Psalm 51: 7, 10, 11 (Responsively)

Pastor: Cleanse me with hyssop, and I will be clean;
wash me, and I will be whiter than snow.

**People: Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit
within me.**

Pastor: Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me.

The Decalogue in Metric Form (Unison)

You shall not have more gods than Me

Before no image bow the knee

Take not the name of God in vain

Nor dare the Sabbath to profane

Give both your parents honor due

Take heed that you no murder do

Abstain from words and deeds unclean

Nor steal though you are poor and mean

Nor make a willful lie nor love it

What is your neighbor's do not covet

Sermon Series: The Psalms and the Christian Life

Sermon Title: My God, My God, Why Have You Forsaken Me?

Sermon Text: Psalm 22

Sermon Points:

I. The Doe of the Dawn

II. The Psalm of the Cross

Sermon Series: The Heidelberg Catechism

Sermon Title: The Rule of Life

Sermon Text: Psalm 119:1-8

Lord's Day 4

Question 9: But does not God do man an injustice by requiring in his law what man cannot do?

Answer: No, for God so created man that he was able to do it. But man, at the instigation of the devil, in deliberate disobedience robbed himself and all his descendants of these gifts.

Insights:

I. Pre-Fall State of Man

Able to _____, able to not _____

II. Post-Fall State of Man

Able to _____, unable to not _____

III. Converted State of Man

Able to _____, able to not _____

IV. Glorified State of Man

Able to not _____, unable to _____

Conclusion:

God's Justice and Mercy Meet at the Cross