

MORNING WORSHIP ~ 9:30 AM
September 1, 2024

God Gathers Us into Worship

Prelude
*Call to Worship Psalm 106:1-4
*Opening Songs: CH 154 We Bow Down
188 Praise Him, Praise Him
*Prayer
*Mutual Greeting

We Lift Our Voices to God in Worship

*Songs of Praise: CH 224 We Have Come into His House
225 Come, Christians, Join to Sing
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: Romans 8:1 (p.1756)
Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

Message: Our Assurance in Christ
*Song of Response: CH 770 In Christ Alone

God Blesses Us as We Go Forth in Mission

*Parting Blessing
*Closing Song: CH 190 Love Him, Love Him

**Please stand if able.*

**EVENING SERVICE
6:00 PM**

God Gathers Us into Worship

- Prelude 2 Corinthians 1:3-4
*Call to Worship
*Opening Prayer

We Lift our Voices to God in Worship

- *Opening Songs: CH 577 *In Times Like These*
581 *'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus*
*Apostles' Creed

We Respond through Prayer

- *Song of Prayer: CH 585 *Be Still and Know that I Am God*
Praises and Prayer Concerns
Congregational Prayer
Offering Christian Neighbors

God Speaks to Us through His Word

- Scripture: Isaiah 40:1-11 (p.1119)
Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.
Message: **Part 1: Comfort, Comfort in God's Unrelenting Grace**
*Song of Response: CH 343 vs 1,2,4,5 *Amazing Grace*

God Blesses Us as We Go Forth in Mission

- *God's Parting Blessing
*Closing Song: CH 343 vs 3 *Amazing Grace*

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East Martin Christian



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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Dorr CRC would like to invite you to our car show on Sept. 7 from 4:00 - 7:00 pm. We will have food, kids' games, bounce house and the opportunity to vote for your favorite car. Please come for fun and fellowship.

COUNCIL MEMBER PRAYER REQUEST

Please pray for God's guidance and direction for Don Wubben this week.

OFFERINGS

Today AM General Fund/Ministry Shares
PM: Christian Neighbors
Next Week AM: East Martin Christian School
PM: Martin Resource Center

GREETERS

Today AM: Bill & Bonnie Snook, Don Wubben
PM: Ryan & Jessica Tucker
Next Week AM: Elders
PM: Cameron & Kristie Tuinstra

LIBRARY

Today Carolyn VanderMeulen
Next Week Linda DeYoung

NURSERY

Today Jen, Violet, Willow Tuinstra
Next Week Laura DeMaagd

USHERS

Today Bob Katje, Bram Katje, Vern Klaasen
Next Week Leep: Glenn, Robert, Wayne

LORD'S SUPPER September 8, December 8

Elder/Deacon Districts 2024/2025

Elder	District	Deacon
Tom Rook	A-DenBoer	Scott Tuinstra
Cameron Tuinstra	Dendel-G. Leep	Vern Klaasen
Dave Misner	N. Leep-Rillema	Dean Wubben
Wayne Leep	Rook-VanderMeulen	Tim Westendorp
Bruce Tiemeyer	VanElderen-Z	Jonathan Kalkman

OUR WEEK

September 1, 2024

Sunday

8-9:00 AM Prayer Group

10:30 AM Fellowship Coffee

Welcome to Seminarian Joel Trinidad who leads us in worship and bring us God's word at both of today's services. Next week will be Pastor Dave for both services.

Happy anniversary to Dennis and Linday DeYoung who will celebrate their 53rd anniversary on Tuesday, September 3. Congratulations! We thank God for His blessing on your marriage.

We will celebrate the Lord's Supper next week, September 8.

After this morning's coffee time, there will be a fellowship lunch gathering with the Trinidad family in the basement. Everything will be provided; just come eat and fellowship together.

Mark your calendars: The start of our Sunday school classes begins September 15th. We look forward to another great year!"

Young at Heart will meet on Thursday, September 19. Please come at 11:30 for fellowship. Lunch will be served at noon. Please sign up in the narthex if you plan to come.

Would you like to connect more deeply with God's grace? Then please join us for **The Grace Course**. Josh Shaarda will lead us on a journey exploring the depths and riches of God's grace, including its practical benefits in our lives. Sunday evenings at 6:00 PM beginning October 6.

Coffee Break Women's Bible Study will begin its fall season on Wednesday morning, September 11. We will be studying *Proverbs 31 - A Woman That Feels the Lord*, by Emalyn Spenser. This study points us to the biblical picture of a woman, made in the image of God, called to reflect the character of God. We meet every Wednesday morning in church, at 9:45, with a short time of fellowship and a snack, and get into the Bible study at 10. If anyone has questions or would like to join, please see Deb Smit or Denise Leep for a book.

GEMS Girls Club Prayer Partners Needed: Amy Kalkman, our GEMS leader, is looking for adult females from our congregation to pair with our GEMS students for the 2024-2025 school year. This lady would be asked to pray for her assigned girl regularly, mail her a monthly note, and mail the girl a birthday card. It is a way to show these GEMS girls that our church cares about them, that God loves them, and to support them in their faith journey. Ladies, if you feel called to serve in this role, please sign up on the clipboard in the narthex. Contact Amy Kalkman if you have any questions.

East Martin Christian School is excited to announce that the 81st Annual Harvest Sale will be Saturday, October 12 at 4:00 P.M. If you would like to donate or sponsor this event, please contact Jessica Tucker (269) 998-2960 with items/description to be included in the Harvest Sale booklet. Please be sure to turn in all donations (excluding perishable items) and auction items to the school office by October 4th. Thank you for your support of the Harvest Sale and of Christian education at EMCS.

The Bible League Volunteers present The Helmsmen in concert at Westwood Christian Reformed Church on Thursday, September 19 at 7 p.m. They will perform a variety of gospel music. Come at 6:30 pm to enjoy refreshments and fellowship prior to the concert. An offering will be taken, all of it used to provide the hope of salvation in Jesus Christ through Bible League's ministry of engaging people worldwide in God's Word. Please join in this uplifting and entertaining evening.

Men and women, join us Sept 6 at Friendship CRC in Byron Center for the Bible League conference, GRIT, GRIP, and the GOSPEL! Inspiring audiences of all ages and stages, keynote speakers Craig & Molly Sanborn share their passion and biblical insight. Their love for laughter, each other, and Jesus is contagious. Elisabeth Sooy and husband Mark will lead us in worship, and Santosh Chandran will share about Asia-Pacific ministry. Go to bibleleague.org/tickets.

Dorr CRC is having a pancake breakfast on Monday, September 2 from 7:00 am - 10:30 am. All proceeds of the event will go towards our 2025 Guatemala mission team.