

**Sunday, January 31, 2010
Morning Order of Worship**

LET ALL THINGS THEIR CREATOR BLESS

Prelude and Personal Meditation

*Call to Worship from Psalm 148

*Hymn of Praise: **"All Creatures of Our God and King"** #431 : 1, 2, 5

*God's Greeting

*Hymn of Praise: **"Bless His Holy Name"** #627

O LORD, HAVE MERCY ON US

Prayer of Confession

Song of Confession: **"Let Us Break Bread Together"** #304 : 1, 3

God's Will for Our Lives

BEFORE THE FATHER'S THRONE, WE POUR OUR ARDENT PRAYER

Prayers of God's People

*Song of Preparation: **"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"** #315 : 1 - 4

WE DEVOTE OURSELVES TO THE APOSTLES' TEACHING

Scripture: Acts 2 : 42 - 47

Message: **Group Benefits**

Prayer of Application

LET US DEDICATE TO HIM OUR ALL

Video: CRWRC Response to Haiti Earthquake

Offerings: Calvinist Cadet Corp, General Fund

Song of Response: **"The Servant Song"** Vs. 1 - 6

Vs. 1 & 2 - All; Vs. 3 - Men; Vs. 4 - Women; Vs. 5 & 6 - All

*Benediction

*Doxology: **"We Are Called to Be God's People"** Vs. 1 - 2

*Postlude and Christian Fellowship

Pastor: Rev. Dave Jolman

Pianist: Kim Byker

*Congregation stands if able

JANUARY 31 AT FIRST

A.M. Service: Scripture: Acts 2 : 42 - 47 Message: **Group Benefits** In Acts 2 we learn how the early church gathered to encourage one another in their faith. As a result, God blessed the early church with amazing spiritual and numerical growth. In this message we'll discover what we might learn from their example.

P.M. Service: Seminarian Glenn Adams will lead our service. Scripture: Ephesians 5 : 3 - 20
Message: **Who We Are** Offering: Barnabas Ministries

FEBRUARY 7 AT FIRST

A.M. Service: Scripture: Philippians 2 : 1 - 11 Series: **The 7 Deadly Sins** Message: **Pride**
Pride, Envy, Anger, Sloth, Greed, Lust, Gluttony. For centuries these have been referred to as the 7 Deadly Sins. Why? Because they seep into our lives and take up residence in our souls and in the process leave little room for God. As we move through the season of Lent we'll examine these soul poisons as well as the antidotes the Bible offers.

Offering: Samaritans Carriage, General Fund

P.M. Service: Scripture: Romans 8 : 26 - 27 Series: **The Transformed Life**

Message: **Intercessor** Last week we saw how the Holy Spirit helps us in our suffering. But what about prayer? Does the Holy Spirit help us to pray? We'll think about that together as we continue our study of Romans 8. Offering: Touch of Joy

CHURCH NOTES

Next Sunday evening "Touch of Joy," a local Christian vocal group, will participate in our worship service. There will be a freewill offering for their ministry in Western Michigan.

The Deacons will be accepting offerings for the **Haiti Relief** effort. Today and for the next two Sundays you can put your offering in ANY collection, but make sure to write **CRWRC-Haiti** on the envelope so we can keep these offerings separate from the others. Thank you.

Our special offering next Sunday morning will be for Samaritan's Carriage. This ministry provides outings such as to Meijer Gardens and to Old Country Buffet for lunch for wheelchair-bound residents of nursing homes and/or living centers who often do not get out. These outings are provided at no cost to the residents or the home; all expenses are covered by donations. Only a part-time director is paid - the 100+ others are volunteers including five of our church members. Other members of our church have benefited from this ministry.

7 Week Sermon Discussion Group Begins next Sunday morning during the Sunday School Hour. Do you ever leave a worship service wishing you could spend a little more time figuring out how to apply what you just heard? This group will provide an opportunity to do just that. This sermon discussion group will coincide with the sermon series on the 7 Deadly Sins. It will be hosted by Vicki Brinks and will meet in the basement fellowship hall by the kitchen. If you would like to host a similar group at another time or location, contact Pastor Dave for a discussion guide.

Young At Heart - Seniors Sign up today or next Sunday for breakfast at Rainbow, Thursday, February 11 at 9 AM. **See you there!**

Secret Pals and anyone who would like to join us for the next year. It's time for our reveal tea! It will be Tuesday, February 16 at 7 PM in our church basement. The sign up sheet is at our Welcome Center. I hope many more ladies will join us this year to be a blessing and in return receive a blessing too. This is a fun way to show Christ's love to one another and to get to know another person in your church family better. Bring your reveal gift and a spirit of fun. If you would like to join or just can't come that evening to the tea, please fill out a secret pal form and put it in Julia's mailbox. Everyone else will be able to fill theirs out at the tea. Thank you.

VBS-June 14-17 in the evening. Start thinking about how you want to help. Signup sheet will be out in February. The theme this year is based on Joshua 24:15. We will be looking at different people in the Bible and what it means to choose Jesus as their Savior. Any questions? See Sandy Helms or Cheri Huisman

OUR CHURCH GIVING: Last Week - General Fund: Budget: \$5297.00 Collected: \$3468.49
Faith Promise: \$1527.50; Safe Haven Ministries: \$191.59

Walk Thru the New Testament Seminar

TODAY: By experiencing *Walk Thru the New Testament*, each participant will walk where Jesus walked, relive the birth and growth of the early church, and journey with the apostle Paul to the ends of the earth. Each also will come to see how God used ordinary people - people like you and me - to do extraordinary things. At the end of this fun, interactive seminar you will be able to: • Arrange the events of Jesus life in sequence. • Discover how the four gospels complement each other. • Tie together the structure of the New Testament into a complete whole.

There will be an opportunity for walk-up registrations at Bauer CRC today.

YOUTH NEWS

Momentum (Middle School Youth Ministry) Mark your Calendars: Friday, February 26 Bounce Party, 6:00 - 9:15 PM. Check out the flyer in your box for all the details.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Special Days to Remember: *Dick and Connie Woodwyk* will celebrate their 65th anniversary on February 2 and *Jim and Jo Koops* will celebrate their 62nd anniversary on February 5. *Gen De Vries* will celebrate her birthday on February 6.

Belated Missionary Birthdays: Shawn Prins – 15 yrs. old, Jan. 9; Lynn Morrow – Jan. 22

Remembering Our Missionary's Birthdays: Caleb Sluiter – 10 yrs. old, Feb. 4; Angie Sleidrecht – Feb. 26; Jack Sluiter – Feb. 28

We extend our Christian sympathy to Calvin and Jean Feenstra and extended family in the death of their brother and uncle, Lee Feenstra and to the sisters-in-law, Joyce Feenstra and Virginia Feenstra. May God's grace and peace be their daily comfort.

Prayer and Praise....

This week's prayer focus: *For patient concern for others.* When school, church and family life is hectic and busy, help us to listen with patience to each other's worries, troubles, and problems. Matthew 25 : 45 "...as you did it to one of the least of these, you did it to me."

Our Sick:

Lori Krikke was hospitalized last week with heart irregularities.

Fred Holwerda residing at Faith Hospice, Trillium Woods.

Ongoing prayer needs: **Jack Dykema, Joyce Koopman**

CHURCH SERVICE SCHEDULE

NURSERY TODAY

AM - Julie Bos, Marissa Huisman, Hailey Sternberger

PM - Lauren Huisman, Lisa Spoelma

Molly's Helper: AM - Kristin Buskard

PM - Rhonda Kiel

NURSERY NEXT SUNDAY

AM - Kelly Krikke, Barbi Schreur, Tucker Kooman

PM - Mindy Kooman, Karrah Velderman

Molly's Helper: AM - Ben Bouma

PM - Tasha Schnyders

USHERS

AM - Tim Timmer, Blake Timmer, Jeff Persenaire, Joe Persenaire

PM - Harry Vander Brug, Rog Van Loo, Matt Bos, John Bosscher

USHERS FOR FEBRUARY

AM - Jeff Brinks, Jon Brinks, Ben Brinks, Brett Buskard

PM - Bill Brouwer, Zac Byker, Gary De Haan, Jesse De Haan

COFFEE SERVER

TODAY

Judy Moelker

NEXT SUNDAY

Betty Velderman

WEEKLY CALENDAR

TODAY

10:45 Sunday School and Catechism

WEDNESDAY

7:00 Cadets - Club Meeting

7:00 GEMS Meeting

NEXT SUNDAY

7:00 Youth Group - Snack: Tyler Hall, Lisa Spoelma

