

**Sunday, August 29, 2010**  
**Morning Order of Worship**

**GOD GATHERS US INTO COMMUNITY**

Prelude and Personal Meditation

\*Call to Worship from Psalm 34

\*Hymn of Praise: ***"Fill Thou My Life, O Lord, My God"*** #547 : 1 - 3

\*God's Greeting

\*Greeting One Another

\*Hymn of Praise: ***"They'll Know We Are Christians"*** Vs. 1 - 4

**WE BOW BEFORE THE THRONE OF GRACE**

Prayer of Confession

Song of Confession: ***"You Are My King (Amazing Love)"***

God's Will for Our Lives

**WE SHARE IN GOD'S KINGDOM WORK**

Offering: Faith Promise, General Fund

God's Kingdom Work through Kid's Hope USA

Prayers of the People

**GOD SPEAKS HIS WORD**

\*Song of Preparation: ***"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"*** #315 : 1, 2, 3, 4, 6

Scripture: Psalm 133

Series: ***Songs for the Journey***

Message: ***Life Together***

Prayer of Application

**GOD PROMISES TO BE WITH US**

\*Benediction

\*Doxology: ***"God, the Father of Your People"*** #322 : 1 - 2

\*Postlude and Christian Fellowship

Pastor: Rev. Dave Jolman

Organist: Kim Persenaire

\*Congregation stands if able

## AUGUST 29 AT FIRST

**A.M. Service:** Scripture: Psalm 133 Series: *Songs for the Journey* Message: *Life Together* When a person becomes a Christian, he or she also becomes a member of the Church, the family of God. But we know that the family of God is not always one big *happy* family. Psalm 133 will help us to think about the challenges and blessings of life together.

**P.M. Service:** Scripture: Genesis 1, Belgic Confession, Article 12 Series: *This We Believe* Message: *In the Beginning* It's fascinating to hear stories about beginnings. When you learn something about your family's origins, it helps you understand who you are. But what about the beginnings of the human race?, or the universe? In this message we'll explore what it means that God is the Creator of all things. Offering: Mission India

## SEPTEMBER 5 AT FIRST

**A.M. Service:** Scripture: Psalm 134 Series: *Songs for the Journey* Message: *Praise the Lord!* This is the last message in our series on the Psalms of Ascent. Very fittingly it ends with the high note of praise and worship. In this service we will both experience worship as well as get a better understanding of what true worship is. Offering: Benevolent Fund, General Fund

**P.M. Service:** Pastor Al Bytwerk will lead our evening worship service.  
Offering: Safe Haven Ministries

## CHURCH NOTES

**All Catechism and Sunday School Teachers:** Please pick up your material in the Youth Room in the basement. Pay close attention to the schedule for this year and if you have any questions, please ask Steve Schnyders or Linda Horstman.

**I need a complete list of all volunteers** working with youth or children so that needed forms can be filed. If the head of the following groups could put that information in my mailbox, I would appreciate it: GEMS, Cadets, Momentum, Youth Group, Sunday School, Catechism, Nursery/Molly Helpers Please have the information to me by Sept. 19. Thanks, Cheri Huisman  
**There will be some kind of Abuse Prevention/Safe Church** training in the next couple of months. This will be a refresher for some and new information for others. Please watch bulletin for details. Cheri Huisman

**Men of First:** Your gifts are needed. Do you have a skill or hobby to pass down? Have you thought about being a mentor to a young boy in your church family? Share your interests or skills by helping out with your Cadet program. We are looking for assistance, not as Counselors, but as Aids, working on projects and crafts. Whether you can come for a few weeks or all season, please prayerfully consider your involvement

**Young at Heart (Seniors)** Sign up today or Sept. 5 for breakfast at Rainbow in Hudsonville on Thurs. Sept. 9 at 9:00 AM NOTE TIME.

**Ladies:** Everyone is invited to come enjoy a day of shopping in Shipshewana on Tues., Sept 14. There is a sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center with more information. For those who are able to stay, we will eat dinner at Das Essenhaus and order off the menu. Please see Brenda Timmer if you have any questions. I hope to you can come join us!

**Ladies of First Church:** Reserve the evening of October 8 for a ladies craft night here at church. We will be making cards. More details to come! Any questions, call Rhonda Kiel 669-3894.

**Fall Leadership Kickoff Training Program** for the churches of Classis Georgetown, Classis Holland, and Classis Zeeland will be held on September 16, 2010 from 6:30-9:30 P.M. at Faith Christian Reformed Church in Holland, Michigan. You will be able to choose from 12 seminars. Brochures with more information are at the Welcome Center. Questions? Call Milton Doornbos at 616-443-1799.

**OUR CHURCH GIVING:** Last Week - General Fund: Budgeted: \$5297.00 Collected: \$2978.25  
Bethany Christian Services: \$356.25; Youth Unlimited: \$247.25



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**GREETERS**

TODAY  
NEXT SUNDAY

Tim Timmer Family  
Cal Palmbos Family

**COFFEE SERVER**

TODAY  
NEXT SUNDAY

Dawn DeKievit  
Jo Victory