

AM Message: On Firm Foundation

Scripture: Matthew 7: 24-27

Preaching: Pastor Shawn Gerbers

NO EVENING SERVICE

Sermon Notes

Welcome

Welcome to First CRC. We are so glad you're here!

If you have children 3 months through 3 years old, you can safely entrust them to our nursery workers, who will care for them during the service. The nursery is located just below the Sanctuary and can be accessed by going down the stairs near the back entrance.

Restrooms are located just below the Sanctuary and can be accessed by going down the stairs near the back entrance.

After the service, please join us for refreshments which are located in the room just off the Sanctuary.

Offerings

AM—Faith Promise | Financial support to local and international missionaries.

Calendar Notes

Prayer Meeting | Each week members from First Church are invited to come to and pray together at 11:00AM on Thursday. All are welcome. Meet at the office.

No Evening Service | There will be NO evening service today.

GEMS KICK-OFF! All girls grades 1-6 are invited! Moms are invited to come along as well! This week Wednesday, Sept. 7, we will meet at 6 PM at Dutch Treat Campground pool for a private pool party. Plans to swim from 6-7 PM with s'mores to follow from 7-8. We hope to see many girls and moms. THANKS SO MUCH to Dutch Treat for sharing their park and pool with us!

Coffee Break | Women of the congregation are invited to the Coffee Break Kick-off on September 22 at 10 AM to hear Dar Pettinga speak. Because there is a light "breakfast", we need to know how many women are coming so we have enough food for everyone. If you'd like to come, PLEASE sign your name on the paper in the back of church.

Thank You

Thank you to everyone for the phone calls, cards, and prayers when Rollie had surgery. Also a special thank you to Marcia Hoeksema, Wes VanderLugt, and Paul Michmerhuizen for driving him to his doctors' appointments. **Rollie and Aldajean Oshier**

Care and Prayer

Calling Elder | In need of prayer or a visit? Howard Hoeksema is the Calling Elder for September, his phone number is 616.772.2843.

Judy Vanden Bosch is now residing at Freedom Village Nursing Home in Holland. Continue to keep her in your prayers.

Community Announcements

Blessing of the Buses | You are invited to pray over the school buses on Sunday, September 11th at noon at the corner of Central and Fairview in the field next to the bus garages. We will gather with members of Bethel CRC and Third CRC to have a simple lunch, and a short time of fellowship before we get into groups and pray for a new school year.

Septemberfest Arts and Craft Show | Mark your calendars because Septemberfest is right around the corner. Come out and support our school at the annual arts and craft show on September 17th from 9am to 3pm at the Hudsonville Fairgrounds. This will be your one stop shop! Shop our 200+ vendors in all five barns along with many more outside booths. Tickets are \$2 with kids 12 and under free. Strollers are welcome. VIP tickets are available that will allow you early entry before the crowds at 8:15am. The VIP passes also include a shopping bag full of local business coupons. There are limited bags available so get yours soon! Cost is \$10. Please help us spread the word by finding us on Facebook, liking it, and sharing us with your friends. Watch for current updates and giveaways on Septemberfest Arts and Craft Show on Facebook. We can not wait to see you all there!