

Message: The Lord Provides

Scripture: Exodus 15: 22-17:7

Preaching: Pastor Shawn Gerbers

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 back of the Sanctuary.

Offerings

Ministry Shares: Monies to help with missionaries, training, starting new churches, denominational services, as well as synodical and fundraising expenses.

Doors of Hope: Serving the community by helping hurting people, equipping the saints and uniting the community in the name of Jesus.

Sermon Notes

Church Announcements

Bad weather policy: If there is a winter storm warning, blizzard warning, tornado watch or warning one (1) hour before a scheduled event that event will be cancelled. If the schools have cancelled, all activities at church will be cancelled. In all other cases, check WOODTV 8, woodtv.com, jq99.com, or the church's facebook page for information.

New Address for Jamie Bierema | Jamie Bierema is now living in My Sister's House II in Holland. Her address is 701 Homestead Holland, MI. The house phone number is 616-392-7724. If you want to visit, you need to call first. Jamie is either working or drop in every day from 8-4. Continue to pray she adjusts well.

Care and Prayer

Calling Elder | In need of prayer or a visit? Howard Hoeksema is the Calling Elder for May. His phone number is 616.212.5386.

Church Calendar

Helping Hands will meet Tuesday, May 21, at 9:00 A.M.

Council will meet Tuesday, May 21, at 6:30 PM. The Elders and Deacons will meet separately following the conclusion of the Council Meeting.

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

We celebrate **Graduation Sunday** today. Look for the flyers on the back table.

Thank You

Thank you for your love and care for us for the past few months. Thank you for the visits, the cards, the goodies, the food, the prayers, and the love you have shown us. We are grateful to be part of the body of Christ and for the healing God has provided for Barb. With love, Jason and Barb Walters

Community Ann. Cont...

Unfading Truth | God is merciful in electing some to salvation and just in leaving others in their sin. Wrestle with the difficult doctrine of election along with us as we read the Bible each weekday at UnfadingTruth.com.

Parkview Openings | Parkview has some openings for new residents. We have space for 2 women in our home. All of our resident bedrooms are on the second floor, so any new resident must be comfortable with using stairs. If anyone knows of a lady or 2 who might enjoy living at Parkview, please email admin@parkviewafchome.org for an application. Jennifer Letcher

Pre-Synod Prayer Gathering | To all CRC members, leaders, and pastors - come pray! The first ever **Pre-Synod Prayer Gathering** will be held at Calvin University, on June 11 (PM), June 12 (all day) and June 13 (AM). **Theme: God With Us.** We will come together to seek God's face and bathe the campus and all involved in prayer. Register for all or part of the event at crcna.org/synod/prayer and click on the Pre-Synod Prayer Gathering.

Bedding for the Dock | Sleep in Heavenly Peace is running short on bedding, especially, comforters, beds-in-a-bag, and mattress protectors. Can you help us provide them for kids? You can drop them by The Dock (4669 Division Ave. South) during business hours or contact Craig at 616-531-4955 to drop them off.