

Message: Comforted in the Uncomfortable

Scripture: Habakkuk 3: 1-19

Preaching: Pastor Shawn Gerbers

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

Faith Promise: Financial support to local and international missionaries.

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

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.

Church Calendar

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.

Congregational Meeting | This morning following worship.

Community Announcements

Unfading Truth | Bad news: You're unable to come to Christ because you're *dead* in your sins. The good news is that your Father, through the Holy Spirit, draws you to salvation in Christ. Read about how God has overcome your sin induced total depravity each day this week 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

Thank You

Thank you to the congregation for the thoughts, prayers, and cards for my birthday! **Cora Hyman**

Care and Prayer

Glennys Broekhuizen is thankful for successful skin cancer surgery on her cheek. Pray for complete healing.

Birthdays

We would like to wish **Jim DeKock** a very happy 91st birthday on Friday, May 10! May his special day be great!

We would like to wish **Carla Louwsma** a very happy 82nd birthday on Saturday, May 11! May her special day be blessed!

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

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 [this link](#) or go to crcna.org/synod/prayer and click on the Pre-Synod Prayer Gathering.