

Preaching: Pastor Scott Van Oostendorp

Sermon Notes

## *Welcome*

\*Songs: *I Will Enter His Gates*

*He Will Hold Me Fast*

Congregational Prayer

\*Songs: *My Shepherd Will Supply My Need*

*He Leadeth Me*

Offering

Scripture: John 10

Message: **Living and Dying Secure**

\*Song : *Blessed Assurance*

\*Song: *Benediction Song*

## Offerings

**General Fund:** Monies for general church operating expenses.

## Church Announcements

**Pastor Scott Van Oostendorp** will be preaching for us this morning.

**Out of Office** | Lisa will be out of the office Thurs., Oct. 30. Please have any bulletin announcements to Lisa by Weds., Oct. 29, at 9 AM.

## Care and Prayer

**Calling Elder | Calling Elder** | In need of prayer or a visit? Randy Hop is the Calling Elder for October. His phone number is 616.610.1859.

**Prayers for Council and First** | Please continue to pray for Council and 1st Church as we seek God's direction for our future. May His plans be made clear to us. "The Lord is my strength and my shield; my heart trusts in him, and I am helped." Psalm 28:7a

**Concerns/Prayer Requests** | Please contact the church office at 616.772.2866 or email [office@firstzeeland.org](mailto:office@firstzeeland.org) for concerns or prayer requests. You may also contact any Council member. Messages left on the church answering machine are checked frequently and emails are looked at in a timely manner also.

**Jamie Bierema** is living in a new adult foster home in Holland. She needs to adjust and learn the rules of the house and is having a difficult time. If you would like to send her a card, ask Marcia or Denise for her address. She is not able to have people just drop in to visit; a note would be good. Continue to remember her and her family in prayer.

## Church Calendar

**Coffee Break** will meet on Thurs., Oct. 30, at 10 AM.

Breakfast, **WEDS., NOV. 5, 9 AM, at ARROWS in Hudsonville.** Sign up sheet is in the back of church. Let's continue to have a good turnout! **ALL ARE INVITED!** If you want to carpool, indicate that on the sign-up sheet.

## Thank You

Thank you members of First Church for the prayers and cards of encouragement, for the visits and gifts of food. After procedures at five different hospitals and six weeks of hospitalization, I thank God for finally being home. **Hero**

## Birthdays

**Roger Steigenga** will celebrate his 85th birthday on Weds., Oct. 29. May his special day be great!

**Shirley Klingenberg** will celebrate her 89th birthday on Thurs., Oct. 30. May her special day be great!

## Community Announcements

**Unfading Truth** | You've been called out of the darkness and into His light. Constantly watch and pray so you don't slip back into the darkness. Be reminded to do so each weekday as we read the Bible together at [UnfadingTruth.com](http://UnfadingTruth.com). Text **JOIN** to 833-273-2136 to sign up for a daily reminder.

## Community Ann. Cont...

**BCS Pig Roast/Auction** | Join us for a fun-filled community event to support our school with great food, good company, and exciting auction items! Saturday, November 8 at Borculo Christian School. The pig roast will run from 4 to 6pm, silent auction will start at 4pm, and the live auction will start at 6pm.

**Michigan March for Life** | Be a part of the Michigan March for Life on Thurs., Nov. 6, at the State Capitol in Lansing. Held on the anniversary of Proposal 3, which enshrined the "right" to abortion in the state constitution, this march is an opportunity for prolife people to peacefully advocate for the protection of all human life from fertilization to natural death. The rally begins at 11 AM and the march starts at 12. To ride to Lansing on a luxury bus, contact Grand Rapids Right to Life at 616-532-2300, email [info@grrtl.org](mailto:info@grrtl.org), or visit [www.grrtl.org/mimarch](http://www.grrtl.org/mimarch). Bus registration is \$25 and includes transportation, a hat, and a rally sign.

**Thrive Faith Formation Tip | Reformation Sunday** - The Reformers emphasized that the Bible is our authority in matters of faith and life (*sola scriptura*). Ask someone whose faith you admire to share with you how God's Word helps guide their decisions and their view of the world. Brought to you by Thrive: [crcna.org/Thrive](http://crcna.org/Thrive)