

Evening Worship [5:00pm]

Prelude

Call to Worship: Psalm 113

*"Beautiful Savior" (PH 461:1, 2 & 4)

*"My Faith Looks Up to Thee" (PH 262:1-3)

*"Rejoice, the Lord Is King" (PH 408:1, 3 & 4)

*God's Greeting

Confession of Faith: Apostles' Creed

A Time of Sharing and Prayer

*"I Need Thee Every Hour" (vs. 1, 2, 4 & 5)

Bible Reading: 1 Samuel 2:12-4:1 (p. 421-424)

The Message: "Two-sided Story"

Prayer

Offering: Escape Ministries

(offering is received during song)

*"Blessed Assurance" (PH 490:1-3)

*The Benediction

*"God Be with You Till We Meet Again" (vs. 1, 3 & 4)

*Postlude

Accompanist: Jean Boes

**Please stand if you are able*

Announcements

- **Tonight** we consider 1 Samuel 2:12-4:1 and the transition in leadership that is happening in Israel according to God's plan. As the rule of Eli's house is ending, God is raising Samuel up.
- **Next Sunday morning** we are looking forward to celebrating God's grace and promises through the baptism of Vivian Kinnas. Reminder there will be no evening service.
- **Classis Prayer Service:** Classis Zeeland invites all congregations to a worship and prayer service on **Thursday, May 21** at 7:00pm following the afternoon session of Classis. The service will take place at Iglesia Alas de Aguila (Eagle's Wings Church) 6375 Winans St., Allendale, MI 49401. Let us join our hearts and voices together as we come before the Living God.
- **Playground Build:** For those of you who have signed up to help, please note the start time on **Friday, May 29**, is **12 noon** and the start time on **Saturday, May 30** is **7:30am** until it's done. If some of you cannot make the start time on Saturday, you will be put to work when you arrive! (Lunch will be provided on Saturday and other refreshments on both days!)
- **Thank you** to all of you who helped out on Wednesday for the Kids Hope Year End Party. What a lot of fun we had! Lots of food--and sunshine!
- Are you interested in being part of **Bethel's outreach** that explores different ideas and opportunities for reaching out to our community? If you have this passion and are interested in being part of the outreach team, please see Wendy Kragt or Pastor Dan.
- **Bethel Garden Plots** are prepared for another year of growth and fellowship with the community. Please sign up for a plot in the notebook that is in the shed.
- **Logan VBS is July 13-17.** Please see the sign-up sheet at the Welcome Center if you are interested in helping out.
- The 2015 edition of the **CRC Yearbook** is now available. If you are interested in one, please talk to Nicole.

Summer Style Children's Worship will resume on **Sunday, July 12** for ages 3 through 2nd grade.

Sunday, May 17, 2015 | 9:30am & 5:00pm Worship Services



Welcome

As we worship our God and Savior this morning, we pray you feel welcomed as part of this community of God's people. This morning we celebrate the Ascension of our Lord who rules even now at God's right hand. We also are celebrating another year in which our church has been able to minister in our community through Kids Hope. As we celebrate these things, we will consider Mark 10:13-16 and Jesus' words about his kingdom and discipleship.

Available during the worship services:

- Nursery (ages newborn - 3)
- Children's Worship Notes & Activity Bags
- Hearing Loop System
- Bible & Hymnals
- Recorded/Video Taped Services...see sound tech

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Office Hours | Pastor Dan Kinnas: Mon-Thurs 9:30am-5:30pm
Administrative Assistant: Mon & Thurs 9:00am-1:30pm
The deadline for bulletin announcements is on Wednesday.

Morning Worship [9:30am]

Prelude

*"By Faith"

*Opening Scripture: Psalm 47:5-8

*God's Greeting & Our Mutual Greeting

*"Crown Him with Many Crowns" (PH 410:1-3)

Confession of Faith: Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 46 & 49

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Song of Assurance: "When Peace Like a River" (PH 489:1, 3 & 4)

Kids Hope Celebration – Cork Steenwyk & Audrey Veldhof

Offering: General Fund

(Kids Hope video shown during offering)

Pastoral Prayer

*"Cornerstone"

*Bible Reading: Mark 10:13-16 (p. 1570)

The Message: "Children and God's Kingdom"

Prayer

*The Benediction

*"Glorious Day"

*Postlude

Accompanist: Pat De Haan

**Please stand if you are able*

What's Happening at Bethel

Today

8:45-9:15am: Prayer Time (Room 201)

9:30am: Morning Worship "**Children and God's Kingdom**"
& Kids Hope Celebration

5:00pm: Evening Worship "**Two-sided Story**"

Tuesday

7:00pm: Vision Team

Thursday

9:00pm: Men's Softball (Bil-Mar Field)

Looking Ahead

May 24 (Sun) Baptism of Vivian Leigh Kinnas

May 24 (Sun) No Evening Service

May 28 (Thurs) Men's Softball (8:05 & 9:00pm at Bil-Mar Field)

May 29 (Fri) Playground Build (12 noon)

May 30 (Sat) Playground Build (7:30am-until it's done!)

May 31 (Sun) Joint Service at Third CRC (5:30pm)

June 1 (Mon) Administrative/Shepherding/Council

June 3 (Wed) Senior Breakfast at Community (8:30am)

June 7 (Sun) Graduation Sunday & Communion

June 8 (Mon) Congregational Meeting

Prayer Requests [prayer line: 866.688.7799]

- For **Jeremy & Morgan Molewyk** as they were united in marriage on Saturday.
- For God's leading and peace for **Rob and Sue Gruessing and family** as they are seeking a call to ministry.
- For members of our congregation that are home bound because of illness or injury and cannot be physically with us in worship.

Graduation Open House

*You are invited to join us on **Saturday, May 30,**
from 6:00pm-8:30pm at Franks Restaurant in Zeeland
in honor of **Katelyn Den Besten.***

Serving Today [May 17]

Greeters

am: Audrey Veldhof

pm: Leona Veldheer

Nursery

am: Robin Dykema, Esther Walters, Jill De Haan

Ushers

am: Evan Broekhuis, Bryan Kragt, Steve Dykema

Monitors

am: Linda Broekhuis, Virginia Kragt

pm: Bill Verduin

Welcome Center: Doug & Lucy Wierda

Sound: Hugh B. **Power Point:** Shelly B. **Video:** Dave S.

Serving Next Sunday [May 24]

Greeters

am: Doug & Lucy Wierda

Nursery

am: Audrey Veldhof, Kelsy Kragt, Brandon Dykema

Ushers

am: Angie Ploegstra, Gertrude Van Haitsma, Henny Van Beek

Monitors

am: Brandan Compagner, Rob Gruessing

Welcome Center: Bernice Bosscher

Sound: Bryan K. **Power Point:** Libby W. **Video:** Dave S.

Offering:

am: Christian Reformed World Missions

From the Deacons [receipts from offerings]

Envelopes \$3,140,
Christian Education Supplement Fund \$780 (am offering),
CRC Conference Grounds \$170 (pm offering).