

growing disciples who make disciples

TODAY AT ZION

MESSAGE: Does prayer work? What can we expect from prayer? How do we pray anyway? Have you ever wondered why the disciples never asked Jesus how to preach or perform miracles — and all they asked Him was how to pray? Prayer gives us access to the very throne room of God. In prayer, we are shaped by the Holy Spirit. In prayer, we talk directly with the King of the Universe. Over the next several weeks, we will consider how Jesus taught us to pray in the Lord's Prayer. This week, we consider the first of six requests for God's name to be made holy.

PASTOR JEREMY is on vacation today. Sarah McAnally and the praise team will lead us in worship. We thank God for the many people who offer their gifts so freely to our congregation.

AN ELDER is available to pray with you in the Cry Room after the morning service.

OUR SANCTUARY is equipped with a hearing loop for the hearing impaired. Turn your hearing aid to the T-Coil position to use this feature.

SERVING TODAY

Ushers: Troy Austin Family **Greeters:** Tom & Robbi Boeve

Coffee: Maurie & Lorraine Lemmen

Elder: Todd Kempema

THIS WEEK AT ZION WEDNESDAY

6:30PM Praise Team Practice



ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude

Call to Worship: All The Poor And Powerless

Welcome & Greeting

Worship Songs: Who You Say I Am

Glorious Grace

Children dismissed to Summer Children's Program

Announcements

Congregational Prayer Ending in The Lord's Prayer

Scripture: Matthew 6:9-13

Message: How to Pray: Our Father

Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 116

Offering

Worship Song: You Are Good And You Are Good

Parting Blessing

Parting Song: Mighty To Save

Message by Pastor Greg Brower

A FEEDING/CRY ROOM where parents can feed their babies or sit with them during the worship services can be accessed by exiting through the front door on the west side (piano side) of the sanctuary. The Cry Room is the first door on your left.

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED in obtaining a copy of todays service, please contact Tom Verbrugge Jr. at verbrugge.family@att.net or in the balcony after the service.

ZION KIDS ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHILD CHECK IN: All children from birth through 3rd grade must be signed in at the Zion Kids Check-In Kiosk located by door D prior to participating in our kids ministries.

Check in Staff: Kathy MacGraw

NURSERY: Our Infant and Toddler Nurseries are located on the main

floor just off the narthex.

Infant Staff: Sheila Johnson, Kathy VanderWall **Toddler Staff:** Heather Aernouts, Robbi Boeve

ZION KIDS: The kids are enjoying the "Summer Videos" during church. This morning, Preschoolers will be in Room 206, and children who have completed Kindergarten through 3rd grade will be in Room 205. Please have the card that corresponds with your child's name tag ready to show to the volunteers as you check out your child. Thank you!

Preschool: Patti Steere, Justin Steere, Kim Radcliff

K-3rd Volunteers: Jessica Kempema, MacKenzie Wallacce



ZION ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONGREGATIONAL CARE NEED: If you have a pastoral care need or concern we encourage you to contact your elder (assigned by last name):

Matt Eling (A-D)

Tricia Leistra (I-M)

Josh Sanders (E-H)

Emily Morehouse (N-R)

Todd Kempema (S-U) Mike Knott (V-Z)

Often, we come to church each week and put on our best face. We talk about plans for the weekend and the kids and grandkids, but some of us also carry worries about finances or maintaining homes. It is not always easy to tell who needs an encouraging helping hand. If you know of someone in our church family, or if you personally need some help, please contact our Chair of Deacons, Sarah McAnally, at 810-434-6841. Scripture encourages all of us to carry each others burdens (Galatians 6:2). You would bless us by letting us walk with you during this time.

PRAYER REQUESTS: We extend our sympathy to Greg and Michelle Stuyvesant in the passing of Greg's mother, Shirley Stuyvesant, last week Tuesday. The funeral was held on Tuesday, July 17.

Mike MacGraw, Kathy MacGraw's husband, underwent knee replacement surgery on Monday and is doing well recovering at home.

DECLAN LEISTRA is at Camp Geneva and **IAN LOBBES** is at Cran Hill this week. Please pray that their experience will be one where the presence of God is experienced, the love of Christ is demonstrated, and a Spirit-filled life is inspired.

DO YOU WANT an easy way to start a conversation about church and Jesus? Carry around a cup with our church logo on it! You can get your very own Zion travel mug this Sunday. We will be selling the mugs for \$20 and you can buy as many as you want. They come in two colors, silver and gunmetal and both have a cool looking Zion logo. Cups will be available for purchase in the lobby following worship. (If you don't want to buy one on a Sunday, they will also be available from the office during the week.)

PRAYER GROUP: The Wednesday night Prayer Group will not meet in July and part of August while we are hosting Group Workcamps.

WEEKLY OFFERING: July 15, 2018

Weekly Budget: \$10,875.20 Year to Date Budget: \$76,126.40 General Fund: \$11,323.00 Year to Date Contribution: \$56,514.01

DONATIONS of the following items (full size - not travel size) are needed for the Personal Care Pantry:

Laundry Soap Bar Soap Dish Soap Disposable Razors
Shampoo Conditioner Toothpaste Paper Grocery Bags
Deodorant Tampons Maxi Pads Paper towels (1 or 2 pack)
Toilet paper (1-4 pack)

Donations can be placed in the box in the narthex marked "pantry donations".

THE DATE for our next Neighborhood Park Party (formerly Hoops and Hot Dogs) is July 31 from 6:00-7:00PM. Join us if you would like to help welcome and build connections with our neighbors.

ONLINE DIRECTORY: Sign up for access to Zion's online directory by checking the box on the back of the connection card and including your email on the front of the card. If you would like a printed copy of the directory please note that on the back of your Connection Card in the prayer request box.

NEEDED: The Personal Care Pantry needs brown paper bags. (Lots of them!) If you have any you can donate, please put them in the grocery cart in the narthex. Thank you!

PLANNING FOR the Israel 2019 trip is underway. This trip is with Prof. Dan Kroeze from Kuyper College and is a trip that is amazing! For more information (i.e. itinerary, dates, cost, etc.) check out the website www.landofthetext.com. You can also talk to Pastor Rick if you have any questions.

ZION CAMPING WEEKEND is scheduled for July 26-29. We will be camping in Fort Custer State Recreation area which is in Augusta, Ml. Check out the bulletin board by the office for more information or go online to reserve your spot at www.midnrreservations.com/

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ITEMS YOU CAN DONATE

- backpacks
- crayons
- · colored pencils
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- markers
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- · 3-ring binders
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CONSISTORY*

ELDERS**

Tricia Leistra '19 Emily Morehouse '19 (Clerk)

Matt Eling '20 Todd Kempema '20 (Vice President)

Mike Knott '21 Josh Sanders '21

DEACONS**

Tracy Lobbes '19 Sarah McAnally '19 (Chair)

Rachel Eriks '20 (Secretary) Shanda VandePol '20 (Treasurer)

Chip Harkes '21 (Asst. Treasurer) Aaron Huizenga '21

*(meets quarterly) **(meets on the second Tuesday of each month)

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Personnel & Administration - Brandon Deiter Worship - Dianne Kooiker Congregational Care - Rick VanderWall Evangelism - Sean McAnally Building & Grounds - Rick VanderWall Education - Rachel Brower

MISSIONARIES

Paul & Grace Closius, Wycliff
Youth For Christ
Geoff & Tammy Kooistra, HCJB
Jeremiah & Mary Kuria, Kenya
Keith & Denise Krebs, RCA
Bob Offringa, Activation Int.
Comunidad Christiano Int.
Harry & Pat Miersma, RCA
Haluk & Wendy Bilgen - RCA
Nepal Church Planting
Albertha Kuiper, Wycliff
Albino & Sandy Rodriguez, RCA
Downtown Church Plant
Bethany Refugee Resettlement

TV MINISTRIES

WCET Jenison-Grandville & WCET Hudsonville: Fri 12:00PM, Sun 4:00PM WKTV Wyoming: Thurs 8:00PM; BCTV Byron Center: Sun 2:00PM & 6:30PM

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