

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 Kong 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 second of six request for God's kingdom to come.

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: Todd Kempema, Steve Rutledge, Austin Stone, Steve Stegeman

Greeters: Maurie & Lorraine Lemmen

Coffee: Dave Hewitt **Elder:** Mike Knott

THIS WEEK AT ZION

MONDAY

6:00PM Personal Care Pantry

TUESDAY

6:00PM Neighborhood Park Party

WEDNESDAY

6:30PM Praise Team Practice

WEEKLY OFFERING: July 22, 2018

Weekly Budget: \$10,875.20 Year to Date Budget: \$87,001.60 General Fund: \$26,543.00 Year to Date Contribution: \$84,883.01

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude: Unstoppable God

Call to Worship: Open Up The Heavens

Welcome & Greeting

Worship Songs: Counting Every Blessing

Do It Again

Children dismissed to Summer Children's Program

Announcements

Congregational Prayer Ending in The Lord's Prayer

Moment for Missions: Chris Winkler, Wycliffe

Scripture: Matthew 6:9-13

Message: How to Pray: Your Kingdom

Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 123

Offering: Holy, Holy, Holy

Worship Song: Oceans

Parting Blessing

Parting Song: Scandal of Grace

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: Rachel Brower

NURSERY: Our Infant and Toddler Nurseries are located on the main floor just off the narthex.

Infant Staff: Anna Sundberg, Patti Steere

Toddler Staff: Aaron & Jessie Huizenga, Kathy MacGraw

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: Heather Aernouts, Kim York

K-3rd: Rachel & Noah Brower, Rachel Montgomery, Calum Leistra



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) Josh Sanders (E-H) Tricia Leistra (I-M) 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: Les VandenHoek passed away on Wednesday, July 25. We express our sympathy to his wife Alice and their families and ask for prayers for peace and comfort for them during this difficult time. Pray for those in our congregation who deal with ongoing health issues.

DO YOU WANT some good food, friends and fellowship? Then this is the opportunity for you! 729 groups bring 7 to 9 willing people together to meet for a meal 3x in 3 months. The goal is simply to get to know some people in church better. Once groups are formed, the host will contact members to arrange the details for the first gathering. Dinner groups are encouraged to be creative; consider picking a dinner "theme night" (i.e. Italian, dessert or soup night), and everyone can bring a dish that goes along with that theme or meet at a restaurant or church. You can sign-up through the cards found in the bulletin or call the church office at 616-534-7533.

ERIN ERIKS, ELLIE SMITH, & ISABELL VANDERHEIDE are at Camp Geneva 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.

THE FAMILY of Willis Kuiper ask that you help Willis celebrate his 86th birthday on August 5 by sending him a card. His current address is Breton Rehab BEC 2589 44th SE Room 113 Grand Rapids, MI 49512.

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 final Neighborhood Park Party (formerly Hoops and Hot Dogs) for the summer 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.

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

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.)



#Empower StudentsTo Thrive

ITEMS YOU CAN DONATE

- backpacks
- crayons
- · colored pencils
- · dry erase markers
- · ear buds
- erasers
- · folders
- glue sticks

- · post-it notes
- kleenex
- pencils
- markers
- notebooks
- · 3-ring binders
- composition notebooks









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OUR STAFF

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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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