

growing disciples who make disciples

TODAY AT ZION

MESSAGE: After God rescues the Israelites from their captivity in Egypt, he brings them to Mt. Sinai where he gives them the law, which includes the 10 Commandments. These commandments are not guidelines for all humanity, but a call from God to live as a counter-cultural community. They produce a people who in our daily lives live as a sign, a signal, and a witness that God has not left the world to its own devices. Instead, God has come to rescue, save, and restore all that has been broken and marred by sin. On the final week of our study of the 10 Commandments, we face not a behavioral command, but a heart command, do not covet.

SERVING TODAY

Welcome Table: Kathy MacGraw **Ushers:** Mike & Julie Bond, Steve Mott

Greeters: Tom & Robbi Boeve

Coffee: Dave Hewitt **Elder:** Matt Eling

AN ELDER is available to pray with you in the Family Room after the worship service.

IF YOU WOULD like a copy of the worship service, contact Tom Verbrugge at verbrugge.family@att.net or in the balcony after the service. You can also find the weekly messages on our website.

COMMUNION: Next Sunday, November 25, we will celebrate the Sacrament of The Lord's Supper. A special offering for the Benevolence Fund will be received. If you are unable to attend and would like to receive communion in your home, please contact Pastor Rick at 534-7533 ext. 4.

OUR THANKSGIVING DAY Worship service will be held at 9:30AM. Nursery is available. The Deacons have designated our Thanksgiving Offering to support the following needs: Local families as referred by leaders of the Personal Care Pantry and Hand2Hand, Good News Nepal, and Hurricane Relief in Florida through the RCA. Nursery Staff: Roxie VanderHeide, Robbi Boeve

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude: Bell Choir

Call to Worship: This Is Amazing Grace

Welcome & Greeting

Worship Song: The Way

Prayer of Confession

Worship Song: Brokenness Aside

Children dismissed to Children & Worship

Announcements

Congregational Prayer

Scripture: Exodus 20:1-17

Message: Old School: Don't Covet

Heidelberg Catechism Lord's Day 44

Offering: O Come O Come Emmanuel ~ Bell Choir

Communion Preparatory

Worship Song: Do It Again

Parting Blessing

Parting Song: Christ Lives In Me

Message by Pastor Greg Brower

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.

A FAMILY 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 Family Room is the first door on your left.

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: Chris Smith

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

Infant Staff: Anna Sundberg, Beth DeVries

Toddler Staff: Justin & Amanda Vasquez, Michelle Holzgen

Sunday School Nursery: Kathy MacGraw

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP: Children ages 3 through 3rd grade will be dismissed part way through the service to meet in the following rooms: Rm 207 3 year olds - Sylvia Friar, Kyle Friar, Taylor DeVries Rm 206 4yrs-Pre-K - Mackenzie Wallace, Kim York Reagan Davis Rm 205 K-1st Grade - Katie Wagner, Ashley Smith, Michael Kempema Youth Rm. 2nd-3rd Grade - Michelle Holzgen, Treasure Trombley

SUNDAY SCHOOL: The Children & Worship teachers bring the kids to their large group Sunday school room for opening activities. K-5th start in the Youth Room. Preschoolers & Young 5's start in Room 206. When group activities are done children go to their classroom for lesson time. Children can be picked up in the following rooms at 11:45AM:

3 yr olds:Room 2074 yr -Pre-K:Room 206Kindergarten:Room 2051st-2nd grade:Room 2032nd-3rd grade:Room 2044th - 5th grade:Room 201

6th-8th grade: Room 202

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY: "Save the Date". The Children's Christmas Program will be on Sunday morning, Dec. 9. All children ages 3 through 5th grade are invited to participate. Please contact Rachel Brower for more details at rbrower@zionreformed.org.

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: Continue to pray for those in our congregation who deal with ongoing health issues.

CONGRATULATIONS to Ryan & Rachel Kleinjans on the birth of a baby boy. Colton Robert arrived on Friday, Nov. 9 at 4:40PM weighing 6lbs 11oz and measuring 20" long. Mom and baby are doing well.

CHRISTMAS CARD DELIVERY SERVICE: The Middle School Youth are offering a holiday card delivery service! Beginning Sunday, Nov. 24 and continuing through Christmas eve, you can place your cards in the big post office box in the narthex and the youth will sort them and place them in the appropriate church mailbox. In exchange for this service, we ask that you make a donation to the Jr. High Youth to help support their summer mission trip. There is a jar on top of the post office box that you can place your donation in. Thank You!

THE YAH GROUP will be attending the Evergreen Commons "A Christmas Sampler". The program and luncheon, featuring the Evergreen Chorale, is on Tuesday, December 11, 2018 in Holland from 11:30am to 1:45pm. We will leave from Zion at 10:30am. The cost is \$26.00 per person, payable in advance. Make checks payable to Tom Verbrugge. Please call Tom Verbrugge Sr. 669-0171 by Sunday, Nov. 25.

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".

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.

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.)

HAND2HAND: If you can help us set up for packing today please meet us in the basement after worship. We are serving 73 students from West Elementary, Grandview Elementary, and Grandville Middle School, providing students with a backpack full of weekend food. We are in need of 8 oz Jar of Peanut Butter, cans of chicken or tuna, small cans of chicken noodle soup, tuna helper, Rice Krispie treats, granola bars, individually packaged applesauce, fruit cups, and pudding. Food donations can be put in the grocery cart in the back of church.



THIS WEEK AT ZION

TODAY

10:50AM Sunday School

10:50AM H2H sets up for packing-packing-basement

4:00PM High School Youth Group meets5:45PM Middle School Youth Group meets

WEDNESDAY

6:30PM Prayer Group meets 6:30PM Praise Team practice

THURSDAY

9:30AM Thanksgiving Worship Service

WEEKLY OFFERING: November 11, 2018

Weekly Budget: \$10,875.20 Year to Date Budget: \$261,004.80 General Fund: \$7,970.33 Year to Date Contribution: \$258,164.18

ZION YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHECK THE YOUTH WEBSITE https://www.zionreformed.org/youth-group/ for announcements, upcoming events, fundraising info, etc.

REGULAR WEEKLY YOUTH GROUP MEETINGS are held in the youth room. Meeting times are as follows:

- * High School Youth (9th-12th Grade) meet from 4:00-5:45PM
- * Middle School Youth (6-8th Grade) meet from 5:45-7:15PM

PAYMENT(S) are due today, November 18 for the following event(s):

- * High School Winter Retreat (Pymt. 2/2) \$50.00
- * High School Mission Trip (Pymt 2/5) \$100.00
- * Middle School Mission Trip (Pymt. 2/5) \$100.00

NOTE: Current student fundraising account balances are posted on the youth website. Account money may be used to pay for any event. Students must indicate this as their chosen method of payment when signing up for an event or on/before payment due dates.

OUR STAFF

Rev. Greg Brower, Sr. Pastor gbrower@zionreformed.org
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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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