



# ZION REFORMED

growing disciples who make disciples

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## TODAY AT ZION

**Message:** This morning we look at the third sign of Jesus as he heals an invalid by the pool of Bethesda. There are so many differences to the reaction of this man to the one from last Sunday. If you look closely at this account there seems to be a number of questions that arise. Then there are questions about questions and well, think about this if you will; If Jesus asked you "Do you want to get well" what would be your answer? What is John's account of this event trying to tell us?

### SERVING TODAY

**Welcome Table:** Dianne Kooiker

**Ushers:** Steve Stegeman, Mike & Julie Bond

**Greeters:** Steve & Kathy Northuis

**Coffee:** Ken & Linda Hollenbeck

**IF YOU WOULD** like an Elder to pray with you they are available as you exit the sanctuary following worship.

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



## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude: Keeper Of My Heart

Call to Worship: Good Grace

Welcome & Greeting

Worship Song: Sing To The King  
Praise To The Lord The Almighty

Children dismissed to Children & Worship

Announcements

Moment For Missions: Activation International

Congregational Prayer

Scripture: John 5:1-15

Message: "How Would You Answer"

Offering: Christ Lives In Me

Worship Song: Here's My Heart

Parting Blessing

Parting Song: Build My Life

Message by Pastor Rick VanderWall

**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:** Kelly Osterink

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

**Infant Staff:** Patti Steere, Kathy VanderWall

**Toddler Staff:** Nikki & Sarah Orme, Mary & Kendall Polavin

**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 - Pattie Grooters, Carla Zoet, 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 207	4 yr -Pre-K:	Room 206
Kindergarten:	Room 205	1st-2nd grade:	Room 203
2nd-3rd grade:	Room 204	4th - 5th grad	Room 201
6th-8th grade:	Room 202		

Nursery: Roxie VanderHeide

**CHILDREN & WORSHIP OFFERING UPDATE:** This year we introduced offering into Children & Worship. The money collected is being used to buy items for the Personal Care Pantry. So far this year, the children have brought in a total of \$105.60. The following has been purchased with the money:

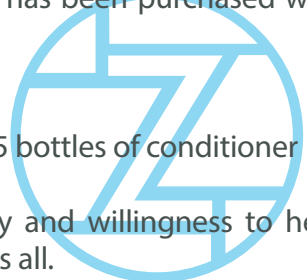
3 year olds: 0 toothpaste

4 year olds – Pre-K: 72 bars of soap

K-1st Grade: 25 bottles of shampoo and 25 bottles of conditioner

2nd-3rd Grade: 31 packs of baby wipes

We are so proud of the children's generosity and willingness to help those in need. They are truly an example for us all.



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

**WE EXPRESS** our sympathy to Tom & Marcia Verbrugge, Joel Verbrugge, Tom & Rachel Verbrugge and family in the death of their father/grandfather, Wendell Becker who went to be with his Lord on Tuesday, January 15. Please remember them in your prayers during this difficult time.

**LEADERS MEETING:** Our next Leaders Meeting will be on Sunday, January 27 from 5-7 pm. We look forward to a great evening of fellowship, worship, and some training. Each of our ministry teams will have some specific training and discussion centered on their work together. It's going to be a great night. Come and join us! You can sign up today on the back of the Connection Card.

**A NEW MEMBERS CLASS** for those interested in learning more about joining Zion will begin on Sunday, February 10. This four week class meets during the Sunday School hour. This is a great chance to learn more about Zion, its history, mission, and values, get to know some new people, and is also a requirement for joining the church. You can sign up today on the back of the Connection Card.

**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.

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

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|-------------------------|-------------|------------|----------------------------|
| 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”.

**HAND2HAND:** 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
- 4:00PM High School Youth Group
- 5:45PM Middle School Youth Group

### **MONDAY**

- 7:30PM Exercise Group

### **WEDNESDAY**

- 6:30PM Praise team practice
- 6:30PM Prayer Group meets

### **WEEKLY OFFERING:** January 13, 2019

Weekly Budget: \$10,875.20    Year to Date Budget:        \$358,881.60

General Fund:    \$ 8,833.00    Year to Date Contribution: \$352,433.23

Benevolent Fund: \$145.00

## **ZION YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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

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**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, January 20 for the following event(s):

- \* High School Mission Trip (Pymt 3/5) \$100.00
- \* Middle School Mission Trip (Pymt. 3/5) \$50.00
- \* Middle School Winter Retreat (Pymt. 2/2) \$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](mailto:gbrower@zionreformed.org)  
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## CONSISTORY\*

### ELDERS\*\*

Tricia Leistra '19  
Matt Eling '20  
Mike Knott '21  
Emily Morehouse '19 (Clerk)  
Todd Kempema '20 (Vice President)  
Josh Sanders '21

### DEACONS\*\*

Tracy Lobbes '19  
Rachel Eriks '20 (Secretary)  
Chip Harkes '21 (Asst. Treasurer)  
Sarah McAnally '19 (Chair)  
Shanda VandePol '20 (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

Chris & Christie Winkler, Wycliffe  
Josiah & Alyssa Walcott, 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, Wycliffe  
Albino & Sandy Rodriguez, RCA  
Downtown Church Plant  
Bethany Refugee Resettlement

## TV MINISTRIES

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

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