



# ZION REFORMED

growing disciples who make disciples

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## TODAY AT ZION

**Message:** While Matthew, Mark, and Luke tell many of the same stories of Jesus, John tells many different stories and in the process give a unique theological view of who Jesus is and how he now calls us to live. We begin our study of John this year by studying the 7 signs of John. The fifth sign occurs immediately after the feeding of the 5,000 near the time of Passover. The disciples are caught up in a storm on the Sea of Galilee when Jesus comes to them walking on the water. Jesus still comes to us in the midst of the storms of life bringing calm and rescue to those in need.

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

**THIS MORNING** we welcome new members Andy & Hope Huizinga and their children Emma and Rylan into the Zion family.

### SERVING TODAY

**Welcome Table:** Ken & Sheila Johnson

**Ushers:** Troy & Jill Austin, Scot Gore

**Greeters:** Ken & Sheila Johnson

**Coffee:** Don & Marcia Osterink

**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: Let It Be Jesus

Call to Worship: The Lion And The Lamb

Welcome New Members & Greeting

Worship Songs: All The Poor And Powerless  
You Are God And You Are Good

Children dismissed to Children & Worship

Announcements

Congregational Prayer

Scripture: John 6:16-25

Message: Calm In The Storm

Offering: His Mercy Is More

Worship Song: What A Beautiful Name

Parting Blessing

Parting Song: 10,000 Reasons

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:** Justin/Amanda Vasquez

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

**Infant Staff:** Stacy, Olivia, & Reagan Davis, Katie Eling

**Toddler Staff:** Paige Vasquez, Robbi Boeve

**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



## 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:** Please keep Jed Gerken in your prayers as he has been hospitalized due to complications caused by his cancer and will enter hospice care. Continue to pray for those in our congregation who deal with ongoing health issues.

**AGNES BEUKEMA** went to be with her Lord and Savior on Wednesday, February 6. A memorial service will be held at a later date. Please pray for peace and comfort for her family at this difficult time.

**LEADERS MEETING:** Our next Leaders Meeting, on March 3 from 4-7 pm, will be an opportunity for everyone in our congregation to have a voice in planning the remodel of our building. Everyone from 4th grade and up is invited to participate in this Congregational Workshop of dreaming and imagining what might be led by Elevate Studios. Child care will be provided for children 3rd grade and under. We will also provide a meal. Mark your calendar and plan on joining us on March 3 at 4 pm. Please sign up today on the back of the Connection Card and be sure to indicate if you need childcare and the number of children you need it for.

**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.

**WILLING TO SERVE:** The Consistory has formed a Preview Committee to determine which eligible communicant members would be willing to serve if nominated and chosen for the office of Elder or Deacon. A cover letters and response form have been placed in the mailbox of every eligible member. It is imperative that you respond by Sunday, March 3, 2019. If we do not receive a response by the 3rd, you will be contacted by phone. Completed response forms can be placed in the box marked "CONSISTORY NOMINATIONS" on the table in the narthex.



## **THIS WEEK AT ZION**

### **TODAY**

10:50AM Sunday School & New Members Class

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

### **THURSDAY**

9:00AM YAH Breakfast @ Russ' - Grandville

### **WEEKLY OFFERING:** February 10, 2019

Weekly Budget: \$10,875.20    Year to Date Budget:        \$402,382.40

General Fund:    \$ 7,997.00    Year to Date Contribution: \$388,627.23

## **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** Sunday, February 24 for the following event(s):

\* Middle School Mission Trip (Pymt.4/5) \$100.00

\* HighSchool Mission Trip (Pymt. 4/5) \$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](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  
WKTV Wyoming: Thurs 8:00PM; BCTV Byron Center: Sun 2:00PM & 6:30PM

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