



ZION REFORMED

growing disciples who make disciples

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TODAY AT ZION

Message: On Thursday, Jesus was a famous teacher. On Saturday he was dead in the grave and the movement he had started was as good as dead. But when he burst forth from the tomb, Christianity came to life as well. We are and always will be an Easter shaped people. Over the next few weeks, we will be looking at the last few stories from the Gospel of John to catch some glimpses of the kinds of people God has called us to be as we follow our risen Savior. This Sunday, as we reflect on John 20:19-23, we discover we are a sent people.

TODAY we celebrate the Profession of Faith of Emma DeVries, Joshua Verbrugge, and Kimberly Verbrugge. We thank God for the way he continues to draw people to him and for the gift of new life he has made available to all who believe.

SERVING TODAY

Welcome Table: Ken & Sheila Johnson

Ushers: Troy & Jill Austin

Greeters: Ken & Sheila Johnson

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 or in the balcony after the service. You can also find the weekly messages on our website.



ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude: Only King Forever

Call to Worship: Glorious Day

Welcome New Member and Greeting

Worship Songs: Stronger
New Wine

Children dismissed to Children & Worship

Announcements

Profession of Faith

Congregational Prayer ending with The Lord's Prayer

Scripture: John 20:19-23

Message: An Easter People: Sent

Offering: Here's My Heart

Worship Song: Keeper Of My Heart

Parting Blessing

Parting Song: Christ Lives In Me

Message by Pastor Greg Brower

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.

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.

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:** Don & Marcia Osterink

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

Infant Staff: Stacy, Olivia, and Reagan Davis, Katie Eling

Toddler Staff: Jess Huizenga, 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 - Kelly Osterink, Justin/Patti Steere, Hope Eriks

Rm 206 - 4yrs-Pre-K - Tami Hewitt, Benjamin Hewitt, Samantha Eriks

Rm. 205 - K-1st Gr. - Rachel & Noah Brower, Calum Leistra, Ashley Smith

Youth Rm. - 2nd-3rd Grade - Megan Taylor, Lisa Throop

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: Kathy MacGraw



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.

THE ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING will be held in the sanctuary on Sunday, May 5 during the Sunday School hour. Childcare will be provided. The double slate chosen by Consistory nominates Steve Boersma, Brian Davis, Brandon Deiter, and Brandon Ondersma for the office of Elder and Robbi Boeve, Jerrod Holzgen, Mark Radcliff, and Dan Sundberg for the office of Deacon. New Elders and Deacons (2 for each office) will be chosen randomly from this slate and confirmed at the meeting. A copy of the 19/20 Proposed Budget is available on the information table in the narthex.

IT'S THAT TIME OF YEAR AGAIN. Things are starting to grow and hopefully we have seen the last of the snow. With the change of seasons also comes opportunities. Here at Zion our annual church grounds clean up will be Saturday, May 4, from 8AM till about noon. Come on out and help make our church grounds look great. As always, we will have donuts. Join us for some fellowship and some work. Thank you.

LEADERS MEETING: Our next Leaders Meeting will be held tonight 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.

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: Today is our last day to set up for Hand 2 Hand for this school year. If you would like to help set up please meet in the basement after the service. We would like to thank you for all the donations, help with set up and packing, and your prayers this year!! We served 70 kids each week and could not do it without your support. So a big thank you from Cindi Thompson, Sheila Johnson, and Shawn Sanders

CAMP ZION needs donations of water balloons (fast fill kind) and empty peanut butter jars with lids. Donations can be placed in the Camp Zion box in the narthex. Thanks!

BUCK CREEK RUN: On Saturday, June 29, (I know. It's a ways off) Grandville will have its annual Visser Family YMCA Buck Creek Run. I know there are a number of you that enjoy running (and probably a bigger number of you that wonder why) so I thought, wouldn't it be fun if a bunch of us got together that morning to run that 5K. If you are interested please contact Pastor Rick and we can see about getting Zion T-shirts to wear. For more information check out the website www.visserfamilybuckcreekrun.com



THIS WEEK AT ZION

TODAY

10:50AM Sunday School

10:50AM H2H Set-up

5:00PM Leaders Meeting

MONDAY

6:00PM Personal Care Pantry

7:30PM Exercise Group

WEDNESDAY

6:30PM Praise team practice

6:30PM Prayer Group meets

WEEKLY OFFERING: April 21, 2019

Weekly Budget: \$10,875.20 Year to Date Budget: \$511,134.40

General Fund: \$10,998.00 Year to Date Contribution: \$508,688.27

ZION YOUTH ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

REGULAR WEEKLY meetings are done for the year. Join us on May 5 for our Year End Party Photo Scavenger Hunt (High School & Middle School) from 1:30 - 5:00 pm. Meet at church.

MISSION TRIP SHAREHOLDER information has been placed in your church mailbox. If you would like to partner with our youth and support their summer mission trip to Nebraska by becoming a Mission Trip Shareholder place your completed card and donation in the jar on the information table in the narthex or turn it in to the church office by May 5th. Extra registration cards are on the information table in the narthex.

OUR STAFF

Rev. Greg Brower, Sr. Pastor gbrower@zionreformed.org
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Roxie VanderHeide, Nursery Coordinator rvanderheide312@gmail.com

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 Lobbles '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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