



ZION REFORMED

growing disciples who make disciples

July 21, 2019

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TODAY AT ZION

MESSAGE: An angry prophet. A fearsome and hated enemy. An overwhelming storm. And a surprising message of a merciful God to his people. The story of Jonah is one of the most well-known stories in the Bible. It is also one of the most misunderstood. Many people, even those who are not religious, are familiar with Jonah: a rebellious prophet who defies God and is swallowed by a whale. But there's much more to Jonah's story than most of us realize. As we continue our study of Jonah, we find our prophet confronted by both his own self-centeredness and the surprising righteousness of the pagans around him.

SERVING TODAY

Welcome Table: Kathy MacGraw

Ushers: Jill Austin

Greeters: Dan & Marilyn DeVries

Coffee: Dave Hewitt

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.

COMMUNION: Next Sunday, July 28, we will celebrate the Sacrament of The Lord's Supper. A special offering will be received for the Benevolent Fund. If you are unable to attend and would like to receive communion in your home, contact Pastor Rick at 534-7533 ext. 4.



ORDER OF WORSHIP

Prelude: Here For You

Call to Worship: The Lion and The Lamb

Welcome & Greeting

Worship Songs: This Is Amazing Grace
New Wine

Children dismissed to Summer Children's Church

Announcements

Moment For Missions: Bethany Refugee Resettlement

Congregational Prayer

Commissioning of High School Mission Trip participants

Scripture: Jonah 1:5-6

Message: Who is My Neighbor?

Communion Preparatory

Offering: This I Believe

Worship Song: Stronger

Parting Blessing

Parting Song: Relentless

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:** Kathy MacGraw

Nursery: Our nursery is located on the main floor just off the narthex.
Today's Staff: Patti Steere, Robbi Boeve

SUMMER CHILDREN'S PROGRAM: Children ages 3 through 3rd grade will be dismissed to watch a Christian video part way through the service . They can be picked up in the following rooms after worship.

Rm 206 - 3 yr-Pre-K: Kim Radcliff, Stephanie & Braylon VanWyk

Rm 205 - K-3rd Grade: Kim York, Todd & Emerson Leistra

ZION KIDS: Over the summer, we take a break from our regular programming, and the kids get to watch a Christian video during church. To make this possible, we need your help! We ask that all parents of children attending volunteer once or twice over the summer. We're also looking for other adults and teenagers willing to step up and help for a week. It's a great way to get to know some of our awesome kids! All adult volunteers must go through Keeping Kids Safe training and a background check before serving. There is a sign-up sheet outside of Room 205, or you can contact Rachel Brower at rbrower@zionreformed.org. Thanks!



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)

Brandon Deiter (I-M)

Steve Boersma (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, Shanda VandePol, at 616-308-0700. 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 the Moore family as Hayley is receiving both chemotherapy and radiation following a recent cancer diagnosis. Chemotherapy is expected to last about six months. The family asks for continued prayers for healing, strength and minimal side effects for Hayley.

OUR HIGH SCHOOL Youth Group will leave for Lincoln, Nebraska on Monday morning. They will partner with Immerse at F Street Church, a ministry of the CRC in partnership with the RCA. They will be involved in a variety of service projects such as working with children, leading a Bible camp, handing out blessing bags to people who are homeless, painting, repairing, cleaning, and gardening. Please pray for safety as they travel, serve, and play, that through them others may come to know Jesus, and that they will grow in their faith as they serve.

I WOULD LIKE to thank my Zion family for the cards, calls, visits, and especially your prayers at the time of Rich's passing. Your expressions of love and support were a blessing to me. I am thankful to be part of such a caring church family.

Margy Ribbens

CAMP ZION: Please pray for the staff, Rachel Verbrugge, Luke Austin, Olivia Davis, Kimberly Verbrugge, and Julia Reynolds as well as the many volunteers that help with this ministry. We still need donations of water balloons (fast fill kind), empty peanut butter jars with lids and small Dixie cups. Donations can be placed in the Camp Zion box in the narthex. Thanks!

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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".

MISSIONS UPDATE: Geoff and Tammy Kooistra serve with HCJB in Quito, Ecuador where the country now has about 250,000 Venezuelan refugees, many of whom are well educated and had good jobs at one time. Various Christian ministries are working on relief as the government cannot handle such a large influx. Geoff is helping one ministry with logistics, food preparation, and kids' programs. He is asking for prayer for the refugee situation there and in many other parts of the world. In April HCJB hosted a well know Christian singer and pastor at a concert attended by about 3000 people. Geoff was in charge of transportation for the pastor and Tammy oversaw some of the logistics. The Kooistras will be with us next summer to share more about the ministry.

THIS WEEK AT ZION

MONDAY

7:30AM High School Youth leave on Mission Trip

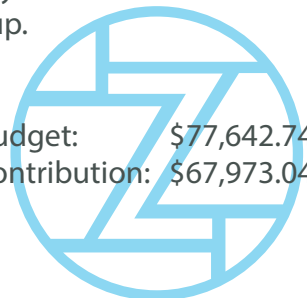
WEDNESDAY

6:30PM Praise Team Practice

THE WEDNESDAY EVENING PRAYER GROUP will not be meeting throughout the summer months while the Week of Hope work camps will be utilizing our facility. If you have a prayer concern that you would like the team to lift up, please contact Larry Westra at 616-389-4993 and he will share it with members of the group.


WEEKLY OFFERING: July 14, 2019

Weekly Budget: \$11,091.82 Year to Date Budget: \$77,642.74
General Fund: \$ 5,234.00 Year to Date Contribution: \$67,973.04





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- backpacks
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CONSISTORY**

ELDERS*

Matt Eling '20 (Clerk) Todd Kempema '20 (Vice President)
Mike Knott '21 Josh Sanders '21
Steve Boersma '22 Brandon Deiter '22

DEACONS**

Rachel Eriks '20 (Secretary) Shanda VandePol '20 (Chair)
Chip Harkes '21 (Treasurer) Aaron Huizenga '21
Robbi Boeve '22 Dan Sundberg '22 (Asst. Treasurer)

** (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 Harry & Pat Miersma, RCA
Josiah & Alyssa Walcott, Youth For Christ Haluk & Wendy Bilgen, RCA
Geoff & Tammy Kooistra, HCJB Jibit Asha International
Jeremiah & Mary Kuria, Kenya Albertha Kuiper, Wycliffe
Keith & Denise Krebs, RCA Albino & Sandy Rodriguez, RCA
Bob Offringa, Activation Int. Downtown Church Plant
Doug & Dianne McClintic, RCA 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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