

Worship Celebration
9:30 am ~ May 13, 2018
Guest Pastor Steve Steenstra

Welcome and Invitation to Worship

“Better is One Day”

Opening Prayer

“Mighty to Save”

“Your Grace is Enough”

“Be Thou My Vision”

Prayer

Offering: **Cadets National**

Little Lambs Prayer – children ages 3-5 dismissed

Congregational Prayer

Scripture: **Romans 16:12,13**

Sermon: **“Serving Together”**

“Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love” Gray 601

God’s Blessing

“Glory to God Forever”

GOOD MORNING! We hope that you will find the time we spend together with God in worship to be a source of hope, inspiration, and encouragement. To help you receive the most out of worship this morning, there are large print orders of worship and hearing devices available for you. We also provide a nursery for your little ones, and we have children’s bulletins.

We invite you to fill out a **“Communication Card”** that is in the book rack in front of you. You may use it to make a prayer request or just to let us know that you were our guest today. Please place them in the offering bag as it passes.

CD’s of the messages are available. **To request, please fill out the yellow card** on the table in the foyer or fellowship hall and drop it in the “secretary” mailbox by our nursery.

Please stay for coffee, cookies, and refreshments which will be served in the social hall after the service.

Today we welcome **Pastor Steve Steenstra** who will lead us in worship.

Next Sunday, we welcome **Pastor Bob Walter** who will lead us in worship.

A Congregational Meeting is scheduled for May 20, after the worship service. The main items on the agenda will be the approval of the ’18/’19 church budget, and an update on our pastor search progress. **You will find a copy of the proposed budget in your mail box.**

Sunday school is on recess for the summer, however, we are hoping to **continue year around with Little Lambs** if there are enough teachers willing to help during the summer months. **Sunday, May 20,** there will be a meeting of the Sunday school & Little Lamb teachers, and the GEMS & Cadet leaders. If you are interested in becoming a Sunday school or Little Lambs teacher, please join us in the library **after the Congregational Meeting on May 20.**

Summer Storytime: If you would like to be one of the readers for the summer children’s story-time, please contact Florence Smith (phxazsmiths@att.net). Readers will read a favorite picture book and a Bible story (or Christian-themed book). They will give a summary of two books from the children’s library to hopefully spark interest in the books available in our library.

Thank you to our Church Family for your prayers, notes/cards of sympathy, encouraging words and support with Betty’s passing.
The **De Hoogh, De Vries,** and **Winn** Families.

Prayer Partnership

- Congratulations to **Adam and Erin** in the birth of **Anneliese Eileen** this week. Praise God for our newest precious member!
- Continue to pray for healing and renewed strength for **Harriet.**
- Please continue to pray for **Marie** and family. The **Memorial Service** for Bill will be held here on **Saturday, June 2 at 11:00 am** followed with a luncheon.

Church Schedule for 5/13 – 5/19

SUNDAY	8:45 am	Prayer in Council Room
	9:30 am	Worship Service
MONDAY	6:00 pm	Elders
	7:30 pm	Council
TUESDAY	10:00 am	Ladies Bible Study
WEDNESDAY	6:30 pm	Prayer Group
FRIDAY	7:00 pm	Kindergarten Graduation

This Week's Birthdays

Emily the 13th

Next Week's Offering: General Fund

"Care Box": Global Missions

Volunteer Schedule

Hosts – Zach, Nicole & Lucas

Library Today – Florence **Next Week** – Beth

Nursery – Deb G., Rebekah, Norma, Cabot, (Sarah M)

Next Week – Debbie, Andrea R., Barb, Kaley

Little Lambs Teacher – Jill **Helper** – Nicole

Next Week – Jill **Helper** – Nicole

Cookies – Jill, Brayden, Hadley, & Presley

Cookies Next Week – Kate & We need a sign up!

Sound & Video – Andy & Jonathon

Next Week – Daniel & Doug

Parking Lot Roamers – Mother's Day – NO ROAMERS

Next Week – Jay & Jeff

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We Call Ourselves...

Christian...

because we belong to Jesus Christ and want to be his followers.

Reformed...

because we're part of the historic branch of the Christian church that follows the teachings of the leaders of the Protestant Reformation, who struggled to return Christianity to its biblical roots.

Church...

because God has called us to be a fellowship of his people in the world.

Our Mission

*"We exist to glorify God
by loving Him and serving our neighbors
as we continue the work Jesus began on earth."*

Our Vision

*"Being changed by God's love,
we move ahead in His grace...
lifting our hands to worship the Lord,
joining our hands to nurture one another
and extending our hands to serve our neighbors
...as we walk together in freedom,
joy and faithfulness."*

You are welcome to contact a council member at any time.

Elders

Doug De Hoogh - President

Paul Frieling - Clerk

Dennis Preston

Ron Vander Ark

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Deacons

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