

New Holland Christian Reformed Church

Sunday, December 3, 2017

~~Hearing devices are at the sound desk; Large-print Bibles are on the back tables.

~~Nursery is provided in the fellowship hall during worship.

~~Children ages 3 to 5 may leave for Children's Church when indicated. Their leader will meet them at the back of the sanctuary.

~~Everyone is invited for fellowship and refreshments after morning worship.

10:00 A.M. Worship

Prelude

*Opening Praise *Come Thou Almighty King #246 vs 1, 3, 4*
Breathe

*God's Greeting 1 Peter 1:1-2

*Mutual Greeting

Selection of New Elders and Deacons

Announcements

Congregational Prayer

Offerings: Dakota Christian School / Classical Ministry Shares

Ministry of Music *Here with Us*

Brandi De Lange, Nicole Van Zuidam, Brittney Veurink

(Children are dismissed for Children's Church afterwards)

*Song *Come, thou Long-Expected Jesus # 329*

Scripture: Genesis 49:1-12 (p. 82)

Text: Genesis 49:9-10

Message **A Jew Will Reign**

Prayer

*Song *I Love to Tell the Story # 530*

*God's Parting Blessing 2 Peter 1:1-2

*Closing Song *He Is Lord # 633*

*Moment of Meditation

(Please let teachers and children exit first)

*Postlude ***Congregation Standing (if able)**

NHCRC ANNOUNCEMENTS

This morning we select two new elders and two new deacons to serve three-year terms on the council. The incoming elders and deacons are asked to meet briefly with the council tomorrow night at 7:00 p.m. to select officers for the new council.

*Today we switch the time of our second worship service to **2:30 p.m. in the afternoon.***

Does God deliberately bring hard times into our lives? This afternoon we will continue our series in Hebrews, chapter 12.

Next Sunday (December 10):

- How could Moses have seen Christ? In the morning we will continue our series through some of God's promises in the Old Testament, looking at Exodus 3:14-15.
- What does the life of a follower of Jesus look like? In the afternoon service we will conclude our series in Hebrews, ch. 13.

Looking ahead to upcoming worship services and events:

- *December 17 – 4:00 p.m. – Sunday School Christmas program*
- *December 24 – Communion in the morning, no afternoon service*
- *December 25 – Christmas morning worship service*
- *December 31 – No afternoon service*
- *January 7 – Install new elders and deacons in the morning*

Happy Birthday and God's richest blessings to our senior member with a birthday this week: Gary Noteboom (December 5).

Over the last couple months, we acknowledged the many volunteers it takes to make a worship service flow smoothly. If you would like to add your name to any list, there is a sheet hanging on the bulletin board in the Lift Room with the contact person for each group.

DC Scrip orders for December can be placed in Donna Veurink's mailbox by 11:00 December 10 (next Sunday). Orders placed in the box after 11:00 AM may not get submitted.

Lists needed: 2017 will soon be over, and that means updated helper/service lists are needed. If you coordinate a list, please email a copy or place a copy in Donna Veurink's mailbox soon.

Attention ladies: please join us on Wednesday December 6 at 1:30 at church as we will be **making fudge** for the SD penitentiary inmate Christmas sack program. All ingredients will be provided. For more information call Vicki Munneke at 680-2825

ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Help yourself Luke Society newsletters on the back tables.

We plan on being in the Philippines during Christmas this year. If you give us the name of the student that you are sponsoring at VCA, we will try make a personal visit with them. Thanks! Gary & Pat Vanderpol. 243-2275 or 680-2166.

Coloring Time! The community is invited to join us at Leisure Living in Corsica for "Coloring Time." This will be held on the first and third Thursdays from 2:00 to 3:00 PM, starting this coming Thursday. All supplies will be provided, or you are welcome to bring your own. Snacks and coffee will be provided. Please join us!

Christmas shopping/baking done the easy way! The DCS Fellowship will be selling blanket and chicken pot pie gift certificates **THIS** Thursday, Dec. 7, after the Christmas concert and also, Dec. 12, at the double header bb game. Don't miss this opportunity to shop and bake the delicious, easy way.

You are invited to "A WALK THROUGH ADVENT" displaying advent wreaths, nativities and a Children and Worship display at Harrison Community (South) Church **TODAY**, Dec. 3 from 11:30 - 4:30. Our prayer is that this walk through may bring you hope, peace, love and joy. Experience a journey through the Christmas story.

Dakota Christian School K-12th grades will present their Christmas Concert, 'A Red Letter Christmas', on Thursday, Dec. 7th, at 7:00 p.m. in the DCS gym. We hope you will join us!

*New Hope Retreat Center is partnering with Men Right Here Ministries of Platte to offer a **Men's Retreat** on January 19-21, 2018! We have only room for 40 men at this retreat so register soon. Registration forms can be obtained at the New Hope Christian Camp and Retreat Center Facebook page. We are also planning to have **THREE WEEKS** of Summer Camps for kids this summer-so please keep us in your prayers as the organizing and planning is being done.*

*Don't forget about **the Harrison Community Youth Group Cookbooks!** If you are interested buying one, please find one of the Harrison Community Youth Group members - Sidney Muckey, Mackenzie Muckey, Cooper DeLange, Morgan DeLange, Regan Hubers, Brandon Van Zee. Cookbooks are \$15.*

THIS WEEK

Monday 7:00 PM Council meeting

In Service

Lift Operator December Patrick Veurink

Head Ushers: July-Dec **N:** Jerry Baan Hofman;

S: Dan Niewenhuis

Ushers: November-December **N:** Mike Zomer, Lyndon Maas

S: Matt Hubers, Jeremy Boer

Greeters: Dec. 3 **N:** Harley & Joan DeVelder

S: Scott & Brenda Veurink

Fellowship Hall/Valet: Gordon Veurink, Kacey Veurink

Dec 10 **N:** Devin & Brandi DeLange Family

S: Harvey & Sharon Hofstee

Fellowship Hall/Valet: Terry & Deb VanZee

Dec 17 **N:** Jack & Irene Jongejeugd

S: Curt & Harriet VerSteeg

Fellowship Hall/Valet: Willis & Jane DeLange

Special Music: December Worship Team

January 14: Marty & Carol Overweg

Church-Hall Reservations: Joan Mulder 243-2334, 680-1965

Today, December 3

9:30 AM—Prayer

10:00 AM—Morning Worship

Offering: DCS/Classical **Accompanist:** Deb VanZee

Praise Team: Laurie Munneke, Janet Beltman

 Leroy Bruinsma, Jay Feenstra, Lexy Van Zee

Nursery: Marty & Carol Overweg, Larry & Bonnie VanderLey

Children's Church: Shane & Traci Niewenhuis

Projection: Ben Kroese **Sound:** Dustin Feenstra

Reader: Don Mitchell **Library:** Vonnie VanHorsen

Coffee: Gary & Faye Noteboom

Cookies: Vicki Munneke, Bri Veurink, Brenda Veurink
(no peanut products please)

11:00 AM—Sunday School

2:30 PM—PM Worship in Fellowship Hall

Offering: Aldo Sarti **Accompanist:** Bri Veurink

Nursery: Marty & Carol Overweg, Larry & Bonnie VanderLey

Next Sunday: December 10

9:30 AM—Prayer

10:00 AM—Morning Worship

Offering: General/Denominational

Accompanist: JoEllen Dykstra

Praise Team: Carol Overweg, Marty Overweg, Val Feenstra,
Sidney Muckey, Carly Lagge

Children's Sermon: Marjo BaanHofman

Nursery: Dave & Cyndee VanderPol; Terry & Deb VanZee

Children's Church: Rich & Nicole VanZuidam

Projection: Jon Dykshorn **Sound:** Jay Feenstra

Reader: Marjo BaanHofman **Library:** Bonnie VanderLey

Coffee: Dustin & Val Feenstra, Tyler & Bri Veurink

Cookies: Brittney (Blake) Veurink, Vonnie VanHorsen,
 Marjo BaanHofman (No peanut products please)

11:00 AM—Sunday School

12:30 PM—Lake Andes Sunday School

2:30 PM— PM Worship in Fellowship Hall

Offering: Education Fund **Accompanist:** JoEllen Dykstra

Nursery: Dave & Cyndee VanderPol; Terry & Deb VanZee

*Bulletin items can be submitted to Donna Veurink by 4:00 PM Thursdays.
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