



*O Lord, our Lord, how majestic
is your name in all the earth. Ps. 8:1*

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CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

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June 9, 2024

Pastor Joel Bootsma

10:00 a.m.

Music: John & Ellen Hulse, Alyssa Tisch

* (please stand if you are able)

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements - Verse of the Month: **Isaiah 41:10** **Len Moelker**

GATHERING BY GOD'S PRESENCE

* God's Greeting

* Opening Prayer

* Call to Worship

* Opening Song of Praise: **LUYH #6 "Praise the Lord, Sing Hallelujah"**

GROUNDED IN GOD'S GRACE

Time of Confession

Song of Confession: **LUYH #669:1,2,3 "How Blest Are They Whose Trespass"**

Words of Assurance

Children's Ministry (Children ages 3-5, grades 1-4)

Song: **PsH #435 "All Things Bright and Beautiful"**

Prayer: Church Family and Community

GROWING IN GOD'S LOVE

- Solo - **"Laudate Dominum"** (W. Mozart)

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 1

Message: "The Church's One Foundation"

* Song of Response: **LUYH #247 "I Love Your Church, O Lord"**

Installation of Elders

GOING TO SERVE

Offerings: **Budget & Dr. Bob Kemp Hospice**

* Sending

* Benediction

* Closing Song of Praise: **LUYH #251:1,2,4 "The Church's One Foundation"**

Thank you for joining us this morning!

We welcome all who join us this morning. **Pastor Joel** will lead us in worship, and **John & Ellen Hulse**, and **Alyssa Tisch** in music. Our offerings are for the **Budget** and **Dr. Bob Kemp Hospice**. You are reminded that you can also donate through the "Give" function on the Bridge App, as well as e-transfer to accounting.mhccrc@rogers.com. We hope that you will join us following the service in the Fellowship Hall for refreshments.

To view this service from home, you can do so by watching via livestream on our website: mounthopecommunitycrc.org, or from our YouTube Channel: [Mount Hope Community Church](#). Those members who have the Bridge App, can view the service directly on the app, by using the "YouTube" icon on the main page. Those who watch on DVD will continue to receive their copy following the service.



We are accessible for those with hearing impairment. If you are hard of hearing, please go to the back sound booth and speak to an attendant for an assistive device or instructions on how to connect to the hearing loop.

Children's Ministry

Nursery is available for children ages 0 - 3. Please sign your children in before the service. The nursery is located as soon as you enter the Fellowship Hall, on the left.

Sunday School is available weekly for children ages 3 years to 9 years old. Students will be dismissed to their classes during the service.

Church Family

Joanne Van Huis was taken to the Hamilton General Hospital earlier this week due to difficulty breathing and high blood pressure. It was discovered that she is suffering from congestive heart failure. She has returned home. We pray for Joanne and for her family as they care for her.

Birthdays/Anniversaries this week: We congratulate the following members who will celebrate their birthdays or anniversaries this coming week. We pray for a special day for them with their family and friends:

June 9 - Mandy Demik

June 13 - Greg & Lisa Schuurman - 26th Anniversary

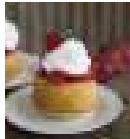
June 14 - Tara Vreugdenhil

June 15 - Louise Dekker

Announcements

Message from Council: This morning we will be installing our two new elders, **John Demik** and **Doug Dekker**. We are thankful for their willingness to serve in our church and may God bless them in their work.

Summer Volunteer Schedule: For those members who are involved with volunteering at the church, the **Summer Volunteer Schedule** will be in your mailboxes this morning. Please keep this list handy and refer to it over the summer months. If you do make any switches, it would be appreciated if you would let me know so that I can reflect that in the weekly bulletin. Thank you! Marlene Knevel



Strawberry Social: The Fellowship Committee would like to invite everyone to join us after the service next **Sunday, June 16th** (Father's Day) for their **Annual Strawberry Social**. They will be serving us delicious fresh Ontario strawberries with cake and whipped cream. Yummy! Plan to attend and enjoy this special treat.

Community Announcements

HDCH Enrolment - To enroll your student at HDCH for Fall 2024, contact Sandra Baker (sbaker@hdch.org, 905-648-6655 x122, hdch.org/apply). Applications are being accepted for Gr 9 - 12.

HDCH Connections - In the newest issue of Connections (hdch.org/connections/), you can read more about what teaching Christianly looks like. To subscribe to receive the newsletter by email or to request a hard copy by mail, contact tvandyk@hdch.org

Spring HDCH Summer Camps - HDCH offers a variety of summer camps. For more info and to enroll, visit: <https://hdch.org/camps/>

CRC Announcements

The Banner

Banner Writing Contest for Young Adults: Peacemaking - Cash prizes and winners published; enter by June 23. For details visit thebanner.org.

Indigenous Ministry

Reconciliation through Recipes - Looking for a prize-winning chili recipe? How about bannock bread inspired by Indigenous traditions? The CRC's Indigenous Ministries are offering a collection of recipes to anyone who gives a gift of any size in support of their important justice and reconciliation work. Visit bit.ly/NIPD2024 to find out more.

ReFrame Ministries

Family Fire - is an online community exploring Spirit-led family, marriage, parenting, in-laws, blended families, and intimacy. Find encouraging articles and devotions at familyfire.com. Subscribe for regular email updates and connect with our Family Fire community on Facebook.

Kids Corner: Praying Together - Check out this week's kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. When we pray together, we get to have a conversation not just with the people around us but with God, too. We get to hear and be sad about people's struggles. We get to celebrate with our happy friends. It's what makes us like a family. Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net, like the Summertime Collection.

Groundwork: How to Live in Christ - Keeping laws and customs won't benefit our salvation at all, but that doesn't mean our actions don't matter. Join Groundwork as we study Galatians 5-6 to examine Paul's description of how we should live in Christ. Together we'll discuss the Fruits of the Spirit and what grateful Christian living looks like as we follow the guidance of the Holy Spirit. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

Thrive

Thrive Faith Formation Tip - William Brown, author of *Sacred Sense: Discovering the Wonder of God's Word and World*, observed, "Wonder and wisdom fit hand in glove. Without a sense of wonder, faith and practice become routine, lukewarm, trivial." Learn more at crcna.org/FaithPracticesProject

World Renew

Let's Answer God's Call to Welcome Strangers - Most refugees who flee conflict, persecution, or violence in their homelands leave with the heartache and hardship, with fear of the unknown, but also with hope—the hope they will find safety; the hope they will find welcome; and the hope of an opportunity to rebuild their lives. Next week, learn how through your gift in support of the World Renew Refugee Sponsorship and Resettlement Program, you can answer God's call to welcome strangers and help a refugee family realize their hopes here in Canada. For more information go to: worldrenew.ca/refugees

CRC Communications

Grand Rapids Office Open House - As the Christian Reformed Church prepares to move out of the denominational office building at the corner of Kalamazoo Ave. and 28th Street in Grand Rapids, we invite you to join us for a time of thanksgiving and worship. See how God has used this space for over 65 years, and join us in praising him for all that has taken place. All are welcome. Join us at 1700 28th Street SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49508, on Thursday, June 27, 2024, for an open house 5:00 pm through 7:00 pm, with a service of thanksgiving at 6:00 pm.

Early Church

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apostle	blinded	convert	journey
Messiah	church	prison	Bible
Jesus	Paul	Saul	

Volunteer Schedule

Date	June 9	June 16	June 23
Welcome	Len Moelker	Ryan Flokstra	Mark Demik
Music Congregational Prayer	John & Ellen, Alyssa	New Shoots	John & Ellen, Alyssa
Open / Close Coffee Duty	Marlene Knevel Mark & Christina Demik	Frank & Sandi Buwalda Neil & Kristen Roth	Henk & Rita Van Tuyl Bob & Trudy de Haan
Sound	Rebecca Bootsma	Ryan Flokstra	Frank Buwalda
Streaming Overhead	Meagan Demik Mark Demik	Henk Van Tuyl Henk Van Tuyl	Justin Knevel Marlene Knevel
Library	Louise Dekker	CLOSED	Sandi Buwalda
Nursery	Shae Knevel Marlene Knevel	Kristen Roth Rebecca Bootsma	Anita Moelker Trish Demik

If you are **unable** to fulfill one of your scheduled duties, it is your responsibility to find someone else.

Church Calendar

Tuesday, June 11

7:30 p.m. - Council Meeting

Thursday, June 13

12:00 noon - church announcements due for the bulletin

Sunday, June 16 Father's Day

10:00 a.m. - Pastor Joel Bootsma

Offerings: Budget & World Renew - Refugee

Sunday

Following the service: Strawberry Social

UPCOMING OFFERING COLLECTIONS

June 23 - Budget & Disability Access (Thrive)

June 30 - Budget & Indigenous Ministry

July 7 - Budget & Ontario Gleaners

July 14 - Budget & Benevolence

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Our Mission Statement

“To glorify God as a vibrant community of disciples that actively and joyfully serve one another and our community.”

Vision: Grounded, Growing, Going

Grounded: Through our Reformed tradition, we are rooted in the nourishing soil of God’s Word and the saving grace of Christ

Growing: We are becoming more Christ like and Spirit filled as God works in our hearts and minds to grow closer to Him

Going: Out of gratitude to God for his work in us, we seek to bear fruit by being the hands and feet of Christ to each other and our community

***see paintings made by Petra Zantingh in Fellowship Hall ***