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Announcements

Church Calendar

Sunday, May 29: GEMS Sunday

Sunday, May 29: Overview of the Human Sexuality Report and its Conclusions 7 - 8 pm

Sunday, June 12: Lord's Supper

Sunday, June 12: Vote of affirmation for new members of Council

Monday, June 13: Full Council Mtg 7 pm

Sunday, June 19: Installation of Elders & Deacon

Sunday, June 19: Father's Day BBQ at the church - sign up to help! Sign up sheet is in the foyer.

Council Nominees

We have come to the time where several members of Council have completed their terms. Thank you to Angelina W, Frank G, and Norm B for your investment and service.

New to Council this term, Sandy V and Dan S have agreed to serve in the office of Elder, and Will B has agreed to serve in the office of Deacon. For clarification:, as Dan S is a non-ordained member of our ministry staff and a member of our church, he is eligible to serve our Council in this capacity. If there are no valid objections, then there will be a vote of affirmation following the worship service on June 12. John D, Clerk

Father's Day BBQ

Sunday, June 19th we are organizing a Father's Day BBQ for our church and the community. This event will be immediately after church and comes complete with a great meal, kids games, and fun. We will need a lot of help to pull this off. Please sign up and pitch in as we celebrate Fathers, our church family and our community. Sign up sheet is available in the foyer.

Discussions for the Congregation

A series of Sunday evenings (7:00 - 8:00 pm) started last week and continues this evening.

May 22 - Introduction to the conversation and setting the stage to communicate well

May 29 - Overview of the Human Sexuality Report and its conclusions

June 12 - The discussions and decisions of Synod

June 19 - Moving forward together as a worshipping community

Synod 2022

The Agenda Supplement for Synod 2022, which will begin meeting online May 25 and will meet in person June 10-16 at Calvin University in Grand Rapids, Mich., are now posted on the Synod Resources page of the Christian Reformed Church in North America website.

The Supplement also includes an overture from Classis Southeast U.S. to revise definitions and the CRCNA's stance on homosexuality. Synod is the annual decision-making assembly of the CRCNA. It has not been held since 2019 because of travel and in-person gathering restrictions related to the COVID-19 pandemic. As a result, Synod 2022 has a significantly large agenda that includes several weighty matters. The Program Committee hopes that holding the initial convening session of synod by video conference on May 25, 2022, from 6:00-9:00 p.m. (EDT) will add some efficiency to the in-person meetings and deliberations planned for the week of June 10-16.

The convening session on May 25 will include opening worship led by Encounter Church (Kentwood, Mich.) and the election of officers for Synod 2022. Tune in at crcna.org/synod/schedule-webcast.

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Student Fund Committee Classis BCNW

Students intending to go into ordained ministry in the Christian Reformed Church may apply for financial support after their undergraduate studies are completed and they qualify for entry at Calvin Seminary or a comparable institution recognized by classis. Applicants need to receive an endorsement of their home church. Contact vicchen45@hotmail.com for an application form and funding criteria. (Deadline May 31, 2022)

The Student Fund exists to provide financial support to students who are pursuing studies leading to ordination as a minister or ministry associate (commissioned pastor) in the CRC. Because Classis BCNW values well-trained servants in ordained leadership positions in the church, classis makes the commitment to underwrite a portion of basic tuition fees for students training for ordained ministry. Thank you, Kathy N. Smith, Stated Clerk, Classis BCNW

Inspire 2022

Be refreshed at Inspire 2022, a gathering for ministry volunteers and leaders from Christian Reformed and Reformed churches across North America. Join us August 4-6 near Chicago for spirit-filled worship led by a diverse worship team, workshops on topics covering every aspect of congregational life, and plenary speakers who will challenge and equip us to return to our local congregations with new ideas, renewed passion, and deepened commitment to God's kingdom. Learn more and register at www.crcna.org/inspire

ReFrame Ministries - Kid's Corner

The Great Commission: Reflecting God - Check out the new kids' devotion at www.kidscorner.net. We have the opportunity every day to proclaim God's love in our actions and words. In Matthew 28, God commanded us to share our faith with others: to share our stories of God's love for us. That's a big responsibility! Listen now at kidscorner.net and check out all the new content.

Birthdays this Week

Wednesday, June 1: Hennie W
Saturday, June 4: Janice C

Nursery, Sunday School

Nursery in the Preschool Wing May 29
Susan R, Greg V

May Sunday School in the Fireside Room
Teachers: Kristen V, Danielle G
Helpers: Aliya N, Laura S

Prayer Chain

If you would like prayer, please call the PRAYER CHAIN. Thanks, Anneke W

Coffee Servers

Sunday, May 29: Tom & Sandy V
Sunday, June 5: Mike & Susan R
Sunday, June 12: Chris & Henrietta G

Hall Monitors

Sunday, May 29: Tom V
Sunday, June 5: Tom V
Sunday, June 12: Will B

If you are interested in becoming a Hall Monitor during Sunday morning church services, please contact Tom.

Church Service Sunday, May 29

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Offering:
Church Ministries and
(Resonate Global
Mission)

Pastor Kevin will bring the Message, “Unshakeable”, from Psalm 62.
Today is GEMS Sunday.

Anyone can come to the 10 am service. Masks are optional.

It’s still important to stay home if you or anyone in your household is feeling sick.

The services will continue to be live-streamed at 10 am and then available as recordings afterwards.

The Offering Today

The Offering for this Sunday is for Church Ministries and (Resonate Global Mission).

Resonate Global Mission (the former World Missions and Home Missions) - Together we help build God’s church.

As Jesus is taken up into heaven, he reserves his final words to send his disciples on their most important mission: being witnesses and living out the things he taught them. That’s why Resonate exists—to help you in living out that mission.

Resonate can help deepen your passion for mission, strengthen your capacity to follow God on mission, and amplify the impact you and your church have in your neighborhood and around the world. We can do more together than we can on our own!

We support you as you join God’s mission.

<https://www.resonateglobalmission.org/>



Next Sunday June 5

The Offering for next Sunday, June 5 is for Church Ministries and (the Deacon Fund).

The Deacon Fund is a fund held by the deacons on behalf of the church that can be used to help people within our community if they are in need. If anyone in the congregation is aware of a situation where we can help someone, they can bring it forth to any one of the deacons. Also the other part of the deacon fund is for tuition relief for families that attend our church and may be in need of help covering tuition to Duncan Christian School.

Firewood needed: It’s that time again to obtain 3 cords of firewood for a couple in Crofton. Due to a disability he is unable to get wood. If you have some you could part with or know of someone who has, please let a deacon know. Green or dry wood is good and we can pay if need be.

Thank you in advance.