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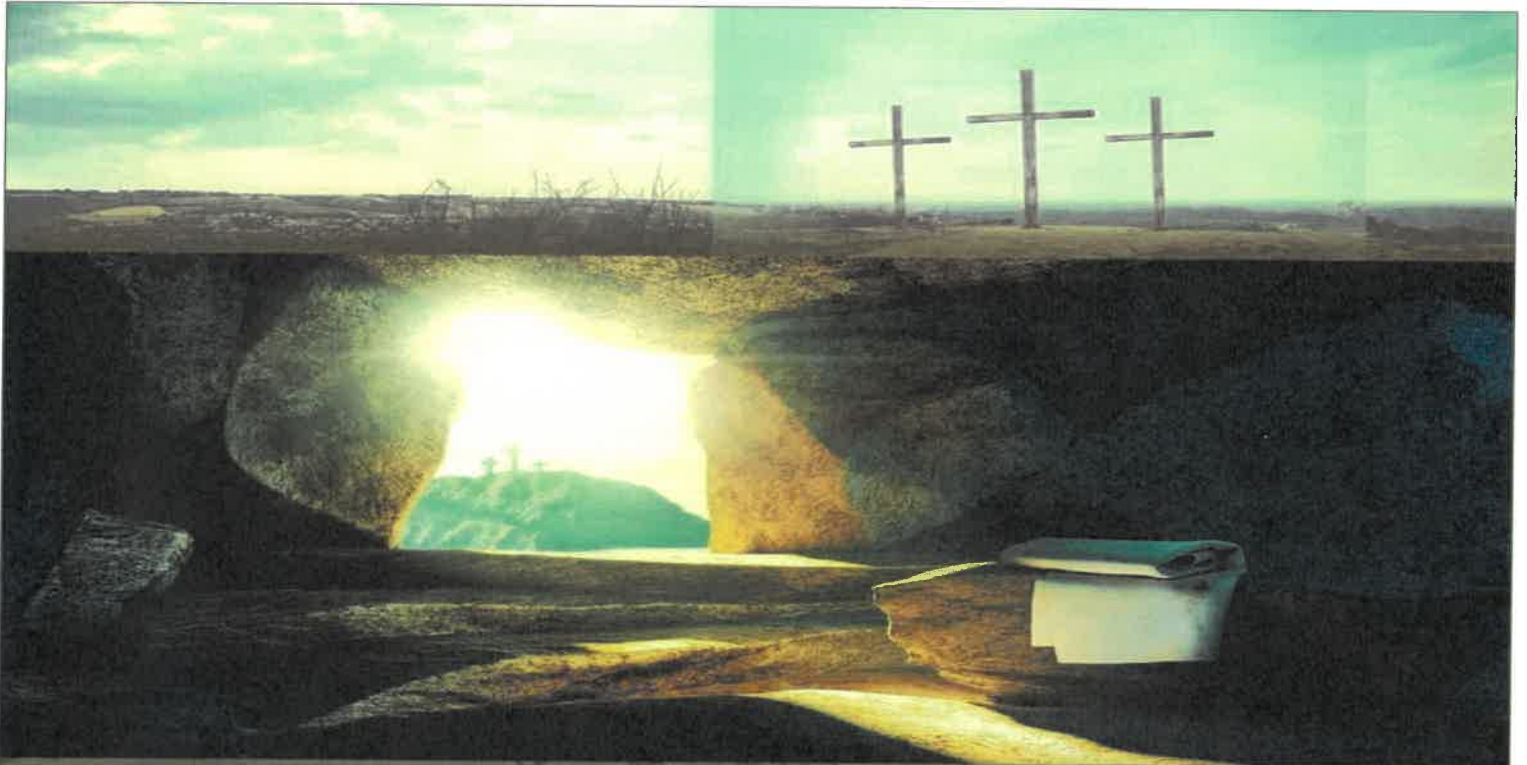
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## APRIL 2026



"DO NOT BE AFRAID.  
FOR I KNOW THAT YOU  
ARE LOOKING FOR JESUS,  
WHO WAS CRUCIFIED.  
HE IS NOT HERE:

*he has risen,  
just as he said."*

MATTHEW 28:5-6 (NIV®)



# Council Minutes

FEBRUARY  
2026

**Present:** Russ Geurink, Keegan Morren, Dave Vollink, Kris Keegstra, Dale Knoper, Ken Knoper, Duke Busman, Bob Knoper, Lee Scholma, Rodg Brower, Mike Wohlford, Kurt Schurman, Ed Goen  
**Absent:** Pastor Ken, John Broene

1. Duke B. opened with devotions and prayer. John 14:25-27 John 13:12-17 and a reading about service from Charles Stanley.
2. Approve Council minutes of Jan. 2, 2006 MSA
3. Pasto Ken's monthly report (NA)
4. Joel's monthly report read for info.
5. Lee gave a verbal report of the Classis meeting.
6. Reports for approval MSA
  - a. Interim Committee minutes of Jan 15
  - b. Elder Report of Jan 6
  - c. Deacon reports and financial reports. Letter from De'Gage referred to the Deacons.
  - d. Safety Committee report
  - e. Worship Committee report
7. Reports needing Action:
  - a. Council went through the nomination list and approved the names of those to be sent letters to be considered for office of Elder and Deacon.
  - b. Discussed the Safety Committee handbook page.
  - c. Safety Committee to activate phase 1 to use ear phones and rovers during worship service. MSA
  - d. Discussion on concealed carry. Council did a straw vote on whether to proceed. Passed.
  - e. Motion: To ask the congregation to approve spending up to \$25,000 for security cameras, electronic door access and wireless internet equipment as funds become available. Council to approve these purchases as funds become available or by using reserved funds. MSA
  - f. Motion: Phase 1 installation of boiler room equipment (\$3,007.83) door access changeover (\$4,140.37), 3 cameras and main entrance inside and outside, north lobby doors (\$2,100) and programming and training (\$600) if the full project is approved at the Congregational meeting to come from the reserve fund. MSA
  - g. Motion from the Worship Committee for Communion dates – Feb. 22, April 3, July 19, Oct. 4, Dec. 20. MSA
  - h. Motion from Worship Committee to have a Council member lead in prayer once a quarter. MSA
  - i. Vicki asking for approval to continue with the Bible Bee. MSA
8. Round table:
  - a. Kurt S to make a proposal to have a car show on church grounds for the next meeting.
  - b. Kris K gave a handout with info on the future growth and revitalizing our Church.
  - c. Corey Geurink doing well.
9. Rodg B closed with prayer.
10. Next meeting March 3.

**First Allendale CRC**  
**Monthly Financial Report**  
**February 28, 2026**

**Beginning Checking Balance**                     **\$98,699.36**  
**Ending Checking Balance**                   **\$108,915.09**

<b>Revenue</b>	<b>February</b>	<b>Year-To-Date</b>	<b>Budget</b>	<b>Remaining</b>
General Fund Collections	\$28,163.00	\$231,292.00	\$386,096.00	\$154,804.00
Other	\$0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00
Interest Income	\$0.00	\$70.88	\$500.00	\$429.12
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$28,163.00</b>	<b>\$231,362.88</b>	<b>\$386,596.00</b>	<b>\$155,233.12</b>

<b>Expenses</b>				
Facilities	\$8,079.42	\$48,650.75	\$106,500.00	\$57,849.25
Worship and Music	\$975.00	\$8,424.61	\$10,200.00	\$1,775.39
Education	\$0.00	\$796.70	\$3,500.00	\$2,703.30
Activities	\$922.54	\$4,572.10	\$6,800.00	\$2,227.90
Staff	\$16,189.02	\$140,211.45	\$215,301.00	\$75,089.55
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$26,165.98</b>	<b>\$202,655.61</b>	<b>\$342,301.00</b>	<b>\$139,645.39</b>

<b>General Fund Income/Loss</b>	<b>\$1,997.02</b>	<b>\$28,707.27</b>	<b>\$44,295.00</b>	<b>\$15,587.73</b>
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Reserved Funds Activity	\$8,218.71	(\$11,768.12)	(\$38,970.00)	(\$27,201.88)
<b>Total Income/Loss from All Activity</b>	<b>\$10,215.73</b>	<b>\$16,939.15</b>	<b>\$5,325.00</b>	<b>-\$11,614.15</b>

**Reserved Fund Balances**

Restricted Bequests	\$32,384.36
Building Maintenance	\$24,090.48
Christian Education Tuition Assistance	\$13,809.62
Causes	\$12,762.00
Ministry Shares	\$6,138.34
<b>Total Reserved Funds</b>	<b>\$89,184.80</b>

<b>General Funds Available</b>	<b>\$19,730.29</b>
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**Barnabas Accounts**

Ministries Fund	\$87,521.66
General Reserve	\$119,410.88
Building Maintenance	\$44,692.43
<b>Total Barnabas Funds</b>	<b>\$251,624.97</b>

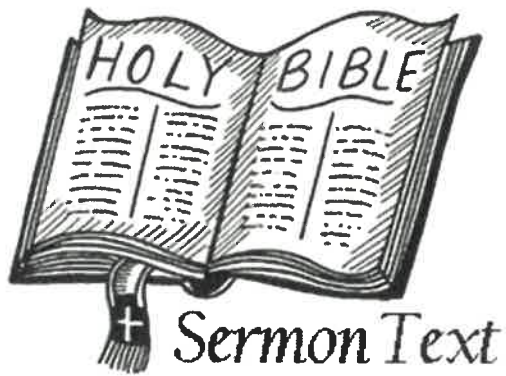


# Grafted In

## SCRIPTURE WRITING PLAN

- |                           |                           |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Day 1: Joshua 2:8-11      | Day 17: Romans 11:11-12   |
| Day 2: Joshua 6:22-23, 25 | Day 18: Romans 11:13-16   |
| Day 3: Ruth 1:15-17       | Day 19: Romans 11:17-20   |
| Day 4: Matthew 1:1, 4-6a  | Day 20: Romans 11:21-24   |
| Day 5: Matthew 12:17-21   | Day 21: Romans 11:25-27   |
| Day 6: Acts 10:9b-15      | Day 22: Romans 11:30-33   |
| Day 7: Acts 10:28, 34-35  | Day 23: Galatians 3:7-9   |
| Day 8: Acts 26:15-18      | Day 24: Galatians 3:13-14 |
| Day 9: Acts 26:22-23      | Day 25: Galatians 3:26-29 |
| Day 10: Romans 3:21-23    | Day 26: Ephesians 2:11-13 |
| Day 11: Romans 3:28-30    | Day 27: Ephesians 2:19-21 |
| Day 12: Romans 9:3-5      | Day 28: Ephesians 3:4-6   |
| Day 13: Romans 9:6-8      | Day 29: Ephesians 4:4-6   |
| Day 14: Romans 11:1-3     | Day 30: Ephesians 4:17-20 |
| Day 15: Romans 11:4-6     | Day 31: Ephesians 4:21-24 |
| Day 16: Romans 11:7-8     |                           |

This unique scripture writing plan includes 31 days of scripture, so you can use it during any month. We recommend reading for context first, then writing each day's verses in a notebook or our faith journal. Feel free to make this study your own by reading each passage aloud, highlighting or color-coding important words, or jotting down questions for further research.



APRIL 2026

**April 3 – GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE**

PM    ♦ Sermon Title: “4. Beautiful, Scandalous Night”  
Text: Zechariah 13:1



**April 5 – EASTER**

AM    ♦ Sermon Title: “5. Victory in Jesus”  
♦ Text: Acts 2:22-24

**April 12 – Guest Pastor – Rev. Spencer Tuttle**

AM    ♦ Sermon Title: “”  
♦ Text:  
PM    ♦ Sermon Title: “”  
♦ Text:



**April 19 –**

AM    ♦ Sermon Title: “”  
♦ Text:  
PM    ♦ Sermon Title: “4. Resurrection”  
♦ Text: 1 Corinthians 15:35-58

**April 26 –**

AM    ♦ Sermon Title: “”  
♦ Text:  
PM    ♦ Sermon Title: “5. Restoration”  
♦ Text: Revelation 21:1-27



# 80+ Birthday Club

**Marcia Sietsema**, 80 years young on April 2  
**Donna Knoper**, 93 years young on April 10  
**Jean Scholma**, 80 years young on April 10  
**Rog Mulder**, 90 years young on April 11  
**Gerald Geurink**, 87 years young on April 23



**Dave & Nancee Kraker**, 53 years on April 4  
**Rog & Gerry Mulder**, 69 years on April 18  
**Duke & Dora Busman**, 55 years on April 27



## The Crucifixion

The reason why he dies on a cross or trees is because in the very beginning man stole from the tree. God puts back on the tree for you and me to undo everything that was done in the beginning.

His hands were pierced because our hands stole from the tree.

His feet were pierced because Eve came from the side, so He's making atonement for Eve, the one who led into temptation.

Why a Crown of thorns on his head...the curse of creation is that the ground produce thorns of thistles. He is literally taking the curse on his head to reverse it and to restore the blessing.



God is not going to wake you up with a detailed roadmap for your life because He wants you to trust in Him, not a plan. If you knew every step, every turn, and exactly when you would arrive, faith would not be necessary. You would rely on your own understanding rather than walking in trust. Faith is not about having all the answers. It is about believing even when you cannot see, trusting even when you do not understand, and holding on even when everything feels uncertain. Faith means walking forward despite the unknown because you are confident in the One who leads you. It is about clarity. It is about confidence in God's faithfulness.

**NEVER FORGET: NOTHING IS MORE POWERFUL THAN PRAYER. NOTHING IS STRONGER THAN FAITH, AND NOTHING IS GREATER THAN GOD.**



There is no perfect life, no perfect job, no perfect childhood, no perfect marriage and no perfect set of people who will always do what we expect them to do.

What we have is a perfect God who is able to lead us through this imperfect life with unflinching strength, incomparable wisdom and infinite love.



**FAITH**  
in **GOD**

**CHANGES**  
**EVERYTHING**



## HANDPRINT BUTTERFLY OF NEW LIFE

The butterfly reminds us of new life and the Resurrection. After three days, Jesus rose from the dead and brings us the hope of new beginnings. This simple craft helps children celebrate that joyful truth.

### What you need:

- Light-colored construction paper
- Card stock
- Glue
- Paint
- Paintbrush
- Paper towel or baby wipe



### What you do:

- Cut out a butterfly body from the construction paper.
- Glue the butterfly body onto the card stock.
- Use a paintbrush to coat the palm of one hand with paint.
- Press your painted hand beside the butterfly body to create a wing.
- Repeat with your other hand to make the second wing.
- Clean your hands with a paper towel or baby wipe.
- Optional: Add Luke 24:5-6 (NIV) around the butterfly or on its body:



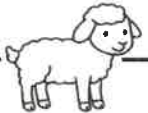
"Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here; he has risen!"


























## FIX YOUR EYES ON JESUS

Remembering Jesus' life, death and resurrection helps us live with gratitude every day.

Use the picture and number code to fill in the blanks for Hebrews 12:2-3, NIV

		
1. Jesus 2. weary 3. endured 4. opposition	5. cross 6. endured 7. scorning 8. shame	1. Jesus 2. lose 3. pioneer 4. sinners
	5. perfecter 6. him 7. faith 8. hand	1. eyes 2. us 3. joy 4. heart
		5. right 6. grow 7. God 8. throne

"... fixing our  1 on  1, the  3 and  5 of  7. For the  3 set before  6 he  3 the  5,  7 its  8, and sat down at the  5  8 of the  8 of  7. Consider  6 who  6 such  4 from  4, so that you will not  6  2 and  2  4."

Hebrews 12:2-3 NIV

Answers: "... fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith. For the joy set before him he endured the cross, scorning its shame, and set down at the right hand of the throne of God. Consider him who endured such opposition from sinners, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart."

# Life. The Other Choice!



**RIGHT TO LIFE**  
OF HOLLAND AREA

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## ***Why the Pro-Life Movement is Growing Among Young People!***

Polls over the past decade seem to confirm that young Americans support abortion. Three-quarters of 18-29 yr. olds says abortion should be generally legal, with 76% supporting it in all or most cases. But recent trends reveal a surprising shift: more young adults are identifying as pro-life than ever before. According to Students for Life America, 37% of young adults now call themselves pro-life which is an 11 point jump from 2022 - while those saying abortion should be legal in ALL circumstances dropped 14 points to just 34%. So why is pro-life sentiment growing among Gen. Z and younger millennials, and what does it mean for the future of the movement?



1. **Campus Activism and Youth Networks** - Students for Life now support over 2,000 student groups nationwide and has trained more than 160,000 young activists since 2006. Here in Michigan our group, known as Protect Life MI, has a group on every college campus in MI and sends out more than 100 young people to dialogue respectfully and mentor students to build a campus culture that values life. Students are learning to advocate from compassion rather than confrontation, helping the pro-life movement resonate more with peers.
2. **A Broader Pro-Family Approach** - Today's young people are drawn to pro-family policies, including parent leave, childcare support, and financial incentives for raising children. Instead of framing the movement as simply anti-abortion, this narrative emphasizes creating a culture where choosing life is supported and dignified.

3. **Moral and Spiritual Reorientation** - Another factor is a growing search for meaning and stability. Some polls indicate increased religious engagement among young men, often tied to seeking purpose in chaotic times.

These trends reinforce pro-life values. Science also plays a role, as knowledge about fetal development grows, it becomes harder for skeptics to deny that human life begins conception. For many, moral reflection and scientific understanding converge, fostering pro-life convictions.

### **4. Questioning Mainstream Narratives -**

For decades, pro-choice messaging dominated media, including social media, and cultural narratives, portraying abortion as progressive and compassionate.

But recent years have seen a shift: investigative reporting, independent media, and social platforms are bringing the real stories about pregnancy, abortion alternatives, and the abortion industry to light!

Young pro-life voices are actively searching for community - through student groups, online networks, activism, and faith spaces. They want spaces where their perspectives are respected and heard, not dismissed. These conversations are most effective when approached with patience, information, and empathy. Understanding the realities of an unplanned pregnancy, the needs of mothers, and the stake for children helps create genuine dialogue. Approaching these discussions with charity allows both sides to feel heard, fostering understanding rather than conflict.

***Where will the protection of the unborn go next?  
Perhaps it will be shaped most by the generation  
that values community, conversations and choices that  
honor life.***

Join us for our Annual 5k Walk/Run

**Where:** City on a Hill, 100 Pine Street, Zeeland, MI

**When:** Saturday, May 16th

**Registration:** 9:30am

**Walk begins:** 10:00am

**Instructions:**

1. Use the pledge sheet to gather pledges.

One person/family per pledge sheet.

*(a pledge sheet can be downloaded at [www.rtofholland.org](http://www.rtofholland.org) or scan the QR code at the bottom of this page).*

**2. Wear a prolife shirt!!**

3. Pay the day of the walk; \$30 per person or \$60 per family (children under 15 MUST have a parent/guardian - 18 years or older) is require if you do NOT have any pledges.

4. Registration begins at 9:30am at City on a Hill - bring your pledge sheet and any money you have collected.

5. The approximate 3 mile walk will begin at 10am after prayer. You will be walking on the sidewalks or if you choose to run, you may do so on the side of the road. **Both options are at your own risk!**

6. Light luncheon will be served after the event at City on a Hill in the conference room to the right of the Café.

7. If you have a conflict with May 16th you may still participate by walking at your convenience.

**Questions? Call Ann at 616.396.1037**

**Prizes:**

**1st Place - \$200 Gift card to a hotel/waterpark/ amusement park of your choice.**

**2nd Place - \$100 Gift card to a gas station of your choice.**

**3rd Place - \$50 Master/Visa Gift card**

**Winners will be announced after pledges/money turned in by Tuesday, June 2, 2026. All money must be turned in to qualify for the prizes.**



~ March 12th - Hope Package Night 7:30pm

~ March/April - HS Student Essay Contest

~ May 16th - Annual Walk/Run will be held at City on a Hill in Zeeland 9am-Noon.

~ October 20th - Annual Focus on Life Dinner

# radical solidarity

to be courageously pro-woman,  
promoting a choice that truly  
protects, accompanies, and  
supports women and  
their children



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## When My Mom Said No

*A real, pro-life, inspirational story from the perspective of a child that lived!*

My mom learned she was unexpectedly pregnant at 20 years old. She was single and living under her parents roof, who were supporting her financially. My mom knew abortion was wrong. Yet, it became a real option when she faced the fear associated with this pregnancy. She was afraid that her parents would no longer be supportive of her, and that she would be left financially and emotionally independent. My mom and her boyfriend mutually agreed to go through with the abortion procedure and scheduled an appointment to abort their baby. During my mom's appointment, the staff began to explain the details of her abortion procedure. Suddenly, she became overwhelmed with emotion - crying, hyperventilating, and eventually, passing out. After a few moments, she woke up with nurses fanning her face, informing her that she was too emotionally distraught to have the abortion. My mom went back to the waiting room to tell my dad that she was still pregnant. As a result of the emotional experience, she decided to make the brave choice to birth and mother her baby. Therefore, she needed to tell her family and friends about the pregnancy. She learned that many were excited about her pregnancy. Her fears of losing her loved ones proved to be a lie from the enemy. My mom had her baby, and here I am to tell her story, and how her story affected my life.

**A Pro-Life Inspiration Story**  
*When My Mom Said No*

To be frank, her story changed my life. After hearing my parent's testimony, my perception of my life began to alter. I began to believe I was a burden to my family. These lies consumed me, I was convinced I was not supposed to be alive. From the months of spiritual warfare in my mind, I became suicidal. I felt as if my whole life was a lie. My parents, who I always viewed as my heroes, almost took me out of this world via abortion. At 15, when I was ready to end my life to escape this pain, God interrupted me. I heard a confident, tender and near voice, whom I now know belongs to the Holy Spirit, speak to me in my moments of despair. The words I heard will mark me forever. "Jess, your parents may have said no to you in the beginning, but I said yes, and I have a plan and purpose for your life." After hearing this, I immediately realized I had a reason to live and my depression vanished. Finally, I had tasted and see the Lord is good. I had a reason and inspiration to live again, and I decided to make Jesus the leader of my mind, body and soul.

One interesting thing that happened immediately was my realignment of perspective. Before Christ, in my deepest depression, I could never acknowledge how incredible, hardworking, sincere, honest and caring people my parents proved to be. After Christ, I saw them through the lens of my pain, and through the lens that enemy had blinded me with.

In conclusion, now I FIGHT FOR LIFE because of the bravery of my mother.

*Why do you fight for life?*

*What inspiring story do you share with others?*

# What Michigan Lost

## UNDER THE REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH ACT



Abortion is now **legal in Michigan through all nine months of pregnancy** and for any reason. Additionally, as a result of the passage of the Reproductive Health Act in 2023, many longstanding commonsense safeguards have been struck from law, significantly increasing the risks for women. This reality is underscored by an already realized **38% rise in serious complications from abortion** being reported, the final year in which such reporting was required.\*

### BEFORE THE REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH ACT

- ✓ Abortion clinics were required to meet basic health and safety standards for patient protection.
- ✓ Women considering an abortion had a right to know common risks associated with abortions in Michigan.
- ✓ Abortion numbers and complication rates were reported to ensure transparency and accountability for abortion providers.

### AFTER THE REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH ACT

- ✗ Commonsense health and safety standards have been removed, making abortion even more dangerous for women.
- ✗ There is no longer a requirement that common risks associated with abortion be shared with women before they undergo an abortion.
- ✗ Abortion providers are no longer required to report abortion numbers or complication rates, leaving women in the dark on vital information.

1978

#### MICHIGAN REQUIRES ABORTION REPORTING

- Michigan Department of Health and Human Services releases annual abortion reports to the public

2023

#### REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH ACT (RHA) SIGNED BY GOVERNOR WHITMER

- No requirement for abortion providers to report data, meaning no public abortion data available from the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services
- No standard health and safety regulations for abortion clinics

2024

#### LAST FULL PUBLIC ABORTION STATISTICS REPORT

- 38% increase in serious abortion complications

PRESENT

**WOMEN ARE AT AN UNPRECEDENTED RISK** to their health and well-being when they choose to have an abortion

If you are pregnant and want confidential help, call or text **1-800-712-HELP**



*"Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work."*

II Cor. 9:6-8

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### **Offerings for APRIL 2026:**

April 5	Family Life Center
April 12	Missions
April 19	Christian Education
April 26	Love INC

#### **Family Life Center of West Michigan:**

A local ministry that assists young girls with unexpected pregnancies providing love, housing, Pregnancy support, food, and baby items.

#### **Missionary Support:**

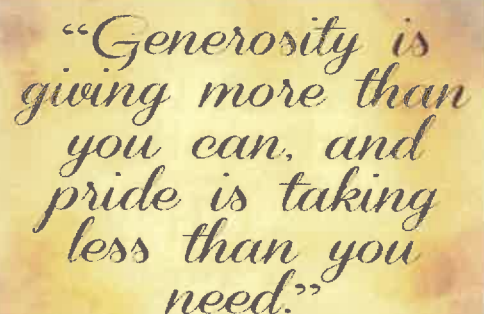
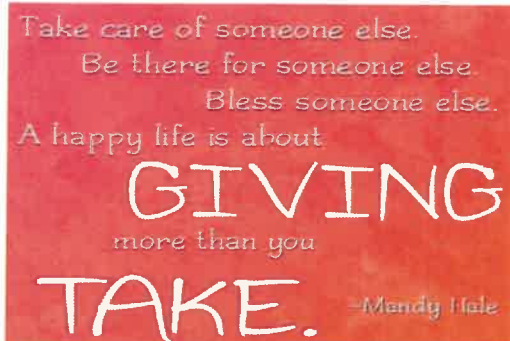
Direct financial support for our missionaries both in Home Missions and World Missions.

#### **Christian Education Tuition Assistance:**

This offering goes to offset tuition costs for families of First CRC of Allendale choosing Christian Education for their children. Assistance is available for K-12<sup>th</sup> grades.

#### **Love In The Name of Christ:**

A local organization where staff and volunteers are there to provide real assistance as witnesses of Christ by being a connecting link between churches and people with unmet physical, emotional and spiritual needs.



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## SCHEDULES FOR APRIL 2026

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### **TLC:**

April 5 – Kay Schout, Eric Kraker, Clara Kruithoff  
April 12 – Melissa Bosma, Dar Oom, Jack Kuzee  
April 19 – Marlene Dyke, Norene Knoper, Kirsten Keegstra  
April 26 – Peggy Vredevoogd, Deb DeVries, Julie DeVries



### **CHILDREN'S WORSHIP**

April 5 – Mallory Kuzee, Dora Busman, Braidyn Nienhouse  
April 12 – Jennie Keegstra, Jenny Engelhard, Lucas Schrotenboer  
April 19 – Jennie Keegstra, Brent Schrotenboer, Jack Kuzee  
April 26 – Mallory Kuzee, Kylee Morren, Clara Kruithoff

### **NURSERY:**

April 3 – Gwyn Ellens, Nancy Pleune, Clara Kruithoff  
April 5 – Jennie Keegstra, Alison Vroegop, Annabelle Kruithoff  
April 12 – Nancy Pleune, Danni Kraker  
April 19 – Conni Vollink, Mary Broene  
April 26 – Jennie Keegstra, Kyleah Brower



### **LIBRARY:**

April 5 – Elaine Christrup  
April 12 – Julie DeVries  
April 19 – Nellie Scholma  
April 26 – Lois Van Wienen



### **VALET PARKING/GREETERS:**

April 3 – Bob & Judy Knoper  
April 5 – Jerry & Sharon Berghorst  
April 12 – Jon & Jean Christensen  
April 19 – Bob & Judy Knoper  
April 26 – Dale & Judy DeVries



### **OPEN/CLOSE**

April 3 – Bob Knoper	April 19 – Lee Scholma
April 5 – Bern Scholma	April 26 – Bob Knoper
April 12 – Judy Knoper	

### **Audio/Visual**

April 3 – Brent Schrotenboer, Jon Vander Wal	April 19 – Kevin Dyke, Keegan Morren
April 5 – Bob Knoper, Judy Knoper	April 26 – Brent Schrotenboer, Jon VW
April 12 – Bob Knoper, Judy Knoper	

Marcia Sietsema	2	
Kevin Bosch	3	
Brittany Vander Wal	3	
	4	Dave & Nancee Kraker
Kristie Morren	7	
Dave Schroedter	8	
Donna Knoper	10	
Jean Scholma	10	
Kevin Dyke	11	
Rog Mulder	11	
Lori Geysbeek	14	Ken & Norene Knoper
Jon Christensen	15	
Jordan Engelhard	15	
Kristi Kruithoff	15	
	18	Rog & Gerry Mulder
Braidyn Nienhouse	20	
Deb DeVries	21	
Jack Vredevoogd	22	Brian & Vicki Kraker
Dale DeVries	23	
Gerald Geurink	23	
	24	Steve & Tina Brown
Joel Berghorst	26	
Rebeka Mesbergen	26	
	27	Duke & Dora Busman
Jennie Keegstra	29	

Our spring has come at last  
with the soft laughter  
of April suns and shadow  
of April showers.

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# 2026 Meetings

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
5 † No Evening Service	6 † Young Life	7 † Council † TNL Bible Study	1 † Passover Begins	2	3	4
12 † SNL Bible Study	13 † Young Life	14 † TML Bible Study	8 † JOY Group Potluck and Museum tour at noon	9	10	11
19 † Jr JAM/JAM	20 † Young Life	21 † Interim Committee † TML Bible Study	15	16	17	18
26 † SNL Bible Study	27 † Young Life † UC Banquet	28 † TML Bible Study	22	23 †	24 † Red Cross Blood Drive	25
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