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For who is
GOD?
besides
the LORD?
For who is
the Rock
except
our
God?

Ps. 18:31



Council Minutes

JANUARY
2026

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

1. Kurt Schurman opened with devotions and prayer
2. Approval of Council Minutes of December 2025 MSA
3. Reports needing approval: MSA
 - a. Pastor Ken's monthly report read for info
 - b. Joel
 - c. S monthly report read for info
 - d. Interim Committee report
 - e. Elders report
 - f. Deacons minutes
4. Reports needing action:
 - a. Do we want to the CRC denominational Survey: MSA
 - b. Motion to change the Policy Manual verbiage of the Safety Committee to read: A.
PURPOSE: **From:** To provide protection for all persons attending any worship service or other designated church related events held on church grounds in the most subtle and unobtrusive manner possible. Not to include: pavilion rentals, Young Life/Wyldlife events. Red Cross blood drives, Bible Bee, etc. **To:** To promote a safe environment for all persons attending worship service or other designated church related events held on church grounds in the most subtle and unobtrusive manner possible. MSA
 - c. Discussion with Safety Committee reps. on affordability and in which order to install cameras and changing lock on all doors.
 - d. Safety Committee to meet with the Interim Committee for further discussion and to make a motion for the next Council meeting.
5. Correspondence:
 - a. Letter from Calvin University read for info
 - b. Letter from Thrive read for info
 - c. Letter from CRCNA calling for prayer for Congregational Renewal and Church Planting.
6. Classis Meeting February 5 at Oakland: Pastor Ken and Lee S. to attend. Alt. Rodg B.
7. Round table:
 - a. Pastor Ken asking for prayer as foster son Kris is moving back in with them
 - b. Prayers for Rog and Gerry Mulder as she was taken to ER
 - c. Keegan Morren getting the ball rolling on the Social Media Task Force.
 - d. Letter from M45 Celebration and Allendale Chamber of Commerce referred to Social Media Task Force.
 - e. Council to start looking at elder and deacon nominations for the new year at the next meeting.
8. Next Meeting February 10 at 6:30
9. Bob Knoper closed with prayer.

First Allendale CRC
Monthly Financial Report
January 31, 2026

Beginning Checking Balance **\$98,990.17**
Ending Checking Balance **\$98,699.36**

Revenue	January	Year-To-Date	Budget	Remaining
General Fund Collections	\$24,462.00	\$203,129.00	\$386,096.00	\$182,967.00
Other	\$0.00	\$0.00		\$0.00
Interest Income	\$0.00	\$70.88	\$500.00	\$429.12
Total Revenue	\$24,462.00	\$203,199.88	\$386,596.00	\$183,396.12

Expenses				
Facilities	\$5,016.16	\$40,571.33	\$106,500.00	\$65,928.67
Worship and Music	\$1,327.00	\$7,449.61	\$10,200.00	\$2,750.39
Education	\$0.00	\$796.70	\$3,500.00	\$2,703.30
Activities	\$608.09	\$3,649.56	\$6,800.00	\$3,150.44
Staff	\$16,189.01	\$124,022.43	\$215,301.00	\$91,278.57
Total Expenses	\$23,140.26	\$176,489.63	\$342,301.00	\$165,811.37

General Fund Income/Loss	\$1,321.74	\$26,710.25	\$44,295.00	\$17,584.75
Reserved Funds Activity	\$8,129.17	(\$19,986.83)	(\$38,970.00)	(\$18,983.17)
Total Income/Loss from All Activity	-\$6,807.43	\$6,723.42	\$5,325.00	-\$1,398.42

Reserved Fund Balances	
Restricted Bequests	\$32,384.36
Building Maintenance	\$22,382.15
Christian Education Tuition Assistance	\$13,614.62
Causes	\$4,888.00
Ministry Shares	\$3,069.17
Total Reserved Funds	\$76,338.30

General Funds Available **\$15,844.44**

Barnabas Accounts	
Ministries Fund	\$86,282.91
General Reserve	\$118,255.25
Building Maintenance	\$44,259.91
Total Barnabas Funds	\$248,798.07

**Dave and Blanca Gifford
In Mexico City with**

Resonate
GLOBAL MISSION

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Website <https://giffmex.org>

February 2026

Last time we wrote, we were freezing in Michigan after Thanksgiving, desperately trying to get everything done so we could get back to Mexico City. Well, we made it!

We had a safe journey home to Mexico on December 8. It was nice to see our kids and dogs after a 5 month absence.

Reconnect was great but exhausting. I took vacation December 9-31 to recover! After Christmas celebrations, the four of us enjoyed a three day trip to Puebla, Atlixco and Val'Quirico.

Blanca headed to Honduras January 8-29 to attend our niece's wedding and help her mother, whose dementia is advancing.

In mid-January I began teaching New Testament at the seminary of the National Presbyterian Church. It involves a lot of driving (1.5 hours every Tues and Thurs), but I enjoy teaching my five great students. I was able to pump out a good number of materials on my Spanish website in January (giffmex.org/b/).



We celebrated our son Daniel's birthday on January 17!



In late January our friend Mary Jimenez passed away at 65 from cancer. This was hard for Blanca, who was still in Honduras. Blanca used to visit Mary and

another friend regularly. I was able to visit Mary in the hospital and preach at the visitation at the funeral home by invitation of her (adult) kids. Please pray for Mary's kids.

Our support is up to 72% thanks to generous donations and prayers from our churches and donors.

What's next?

Now: Blanca gets involved again with the Brave Heart ministry to indigenous children, and ministries at our church.

February 20-23: Dave's conference trip to Tabasco to lead a conference on biblical leadership.

March 21-25: The regional retreat in Guatemala. The Mexico-Caribbean region merged with Central America, and now we are the Latin American region.

April 4-11: A team from LaGrave Ave CRC come to Mexico City to help with the Brave Heart ministry and pray on-site for the ministries and needs here.

Thank you all for your prayers and financial support. Blessings to you in Christ, ***Dave and Blanca***





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**"THE WONDERFUL THING ABOUT PRAYING IS THAT YOU LEAVE A WORLD OF NOT BEING ABLE TO DO SOMETHING, AND ENTER GOD'S REALM WHERE EVERYTHING IS POSSIBLE. HE SPECIALIZES IN THE IMPOSSIBLE. NOTHING IS TOO GREAT FOR HIS ALMIGHTY POWER. NOTHING IS TOO SMALL FOR HIS LOVE."
CORRIE TEN BOOM**

**"I WANT TO DO WHAT I CAN, WHILE I CAN, SO WHEN I CANNOT I WILL NOT WISH I WOULD HAVE, WHEN I COULD HAVE!"
- DR STINNETT BALLEW**

HOW TO BE LED BY THE HOLY SPIRIT

The Holy Spirit is not just a feeling.

He is God's presence living within you – guiding, correcting, comforting, and directing your path.

To be led by the Holy Spirit, you must first make room.

1. Surrender your will. The Holy Spirit leads those who are willing to let go of control. Say daily: "Not my will, Lord, but Yours." Luke 22:42
2. Stay rooted in the Word. The Holy Spirit never contradicts Scripture. The more you know God's Word, the clearer His voice becomes. John 16:13
3. Obey the gentle nudges. Sometimes the Spirit speaks in whispers – a pause, a warning, a push to pray, a call to forgive. Delayed obedience often leads to confusion. Isaiah 30:21
4. Choose stillness over noise. The Holy Spirit speaks best in quiet hearts. Reduce distractions. Create moments of silence with God. Psalm 46:10
5. Watch the fruit, not the feelings. Being led by the Spirit produces love, peace, patience, and self-control. If it brings chaos, fear, and pride – pause and pray again. Galatians 5: 22-23

When you are led by the Holy Spirit, you may not know the full map,
but you will always know the next step.



The most terrifying detail about Noah's Ark isn't the size of the flood. It is the design of the boat. If you look closely at the blueprints God gave Noah in Genesis 6, He was extremely specific.

He gave the exact length, width, and height. He specified the type of wood and the pitch to seal it.

I have never thought of this! But God left out one crucial component.

There was no steering wheel, no sail, and worse still, there was no engine. Think about how scary that is. Noah was building a massive vessel to survive a global storm, but he had zero control over it, or over where it went. He couldn't steer it away from rocks. He couldn't turn it into the waves. He couldn't aim for dry land. He was completely at the mercy of the water.

The Ark was not designed for navigation; just for floating. Noah's job was to be the Passenger, not the Captain. God was the Captain.

Is this a picture of your life right now? Are you trying to put a steering wheel on a situation that God wants you to simply float through.



Uncommon

SCRIPTURE WRITING PLAN

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|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Day 1: Exodus 19:5-6a | Day 17: Luke 1:31-34 |
| Day 2: Deuteronomy 3:24 | Day 18: Luke 1:35-37 |
| Day 3: Deuteronomy 26:18-19 | Day 19: Luke 5:24-26 |
| Day 4: 1 Samuel 2:2 | Day 20: John 3:3-5 |
| Day 5: 1 Kings 8:22-23 | Day 21: John 3:6-8 |
| Day 6: Psalm 77:13-14 | Day 22: John 3:16 |
| Day 7: Proverbs 31:10, 30 | Day 23: John 6:48-51 |
| Day 8: Isaiah 46:8-10 | Day 24: John 6:53-54, 60 |
| Day 9: Matthew 5:13 | Day 25: Acts 17:16, 19-21 |
| Day 10: Matthew 5:14-16 | Day 26: Acts 19:11-12 |
| Day 11: Matthew 7:13-14 | Day 27: Romans 5:6-8 |
| Day 12: Matthew 13:44 | Day 28: Romans 12:2 |
| Day 13: Matthew 13:45-46 | Day 29: 1 Corinthians 6:19-20 |
| Day 14: Matthew 19:23-24 | Day 30: Revelation 21:1-4 |
| Day 15: Matthew 23:11-12 | Day 31: Revelation 21:10-14 |
| Day 16: Luke 1:26-28 | |

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.

DID YOU KNOW....

THAT GRACE is when God gives us good things that we don't deserve. **Mercy** is when He spares us from bad things we deserve. **Blessings** are when He is generous with both. Truly, we can never run out of reasons to thank Him. **GOD IS GOOD ALL THE TIME!**

THAT

POWERFULL



When the two ears are put side by side it forms the shape of the heart. Interestingly, the word 'ear' sits right in the middle of the word 'heart' (h-ear-t). The ear is the way to the heart so if you want someone's heart, learn to listen to them. If u want God's heart learn to listen to him

THAT Laura Schurman and Makayla Schurman both received Life Saving Awards at Life Ambulance for their cardiac arrest calls in 2025. Makayla also received her first heart saver pin. What wonderful Mom/Daughter teamwork! Thank you for doing what you do to help people in need!



THAT Money in your pocket is nice, but Christ in your heart is a million times better!

THAT Phil and Nancy Pleune were excited to watch their Great-Granddaughter, Miyana, who is 4 1/2 years old and plays ice hockey make her first goal! Very proud of her!



THAT the first ever cordless phone was created by God. He named it Prayer. It never loses its signal and you never have to recharge it. Use it anywhere. AMEN!

THAT Phil and Nancy Pleune have had fun watching their great-grandsons play JV Basketball this season. What a joy to see your family grow up and be a part of what they are doing! Greatest gift we could have – family!



A BIRD CAN'T FLY WITHOUT WINGS

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A FISH CAN'T SWIM WITHOUT WATER



AND A SOUL CAN'T REACH HEAVEN WITHOUT JESUS. AMEN.



"Before you were formed in the womb... I knew you."

Jeremiah 1:5





Life. The Other Choice!

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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?

Conference Book Ads 2026

If you, or you know of a prolife business, who would like to advertise in our annual conference book and a new way to advertise digitally on the RLM website (Sept. 2026-Sept. 2027), contact our office. You can opt to advertise just in the book, just online or both ways.

Contact Betty or Ann at 616.396.1037

Types of Ads:

- ◆ Patron: \$15-\$100
- ◆ Display & Digital: \$100-\$1,000

DEADLINE:

1st - April 10

2nd and final: June 19



Hope Package Night
Thursday, March 12, 2026

Items needed:

Baby wipes

Baby wash

New stuffed animals for GIRLS

New throw blankets for BOYS

1st Night bags needed with items for ages:

Boys 12, 14, 16

Please drop off items prior to March 12th so we can organize donations for that night.



To visit our website directly: Use your cellphone camera, center on the QR code below (should see a yellow square) and press OPEN on your camera screen.



March 12th - Hope Package Night 7:30pm

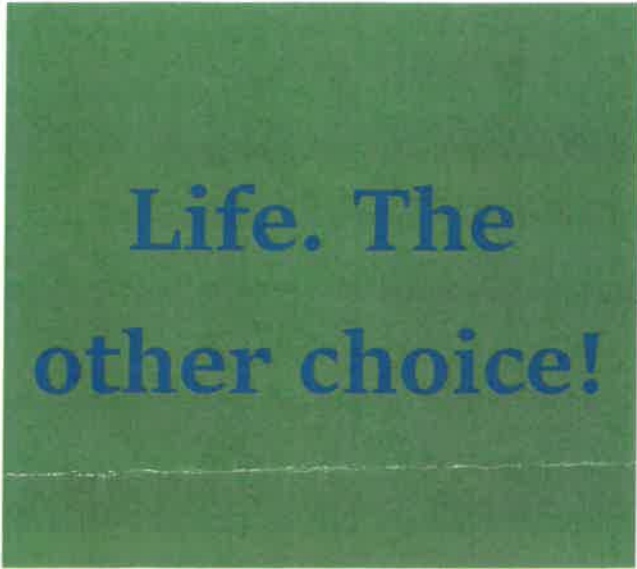
March/April - HS Student Essay Contest

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



RIGHT TO LIFE
OF HOLLAND AREA

**Please JOIN us for our
Annual 5k Walk/Fun Run
Saturday, May 16 , 2026**



Support Right to Life of Holland Area
by participating in a 3 Mile Walk for Life or 5k Fun Run
Where: City on a Hill –100 Pine Str. Zeeland
Registration begins at 9:30 am rain or shine



- ◆ Use the pledge sheet to gather pledges.
- ◆ One PERSON or FAMILY per pledge sheet; family consists of parent/guardian and all children living at home.
- ◆ An entry fee of \$30 per person or \$60 per family is required if you do NOT have any pledges.
- ◆ Registration begins at 9:30 am. **Bring this form with you.**
- ◆ The approximately 3 mile walk begins at 10:00 am, after prayer. **You will be walking on the sidewalk - at your own risk.**
- ◆ Light luncheon will follow the walk in the Conference Room, next to the Café.
- ◆ If you would like to walk on your own, go a shorter or longer distance, or have a scheduling conflict in May, you may still participate. Simply walk at your convenience, collect your pledge money and turn it in by June 5th by 2:00 pm.
- ◆ Children under 15 MUST be accompanied by an adult (18 years or older).
- ◆ **PLEASE WEAR A PROLIFE SHIRT!**

~PRIZES~

NO prize substitutions

- 1st Place - \$200 Gift Certificate to a hotel, waterpark or amusement park of your choice
- 2nd Place - \$100 Gift Card to a Gas Station of your Choice
- 3rd Place - \$50 Master/Visa Gift Card

The person who turns in the HIGHEST dollar amount by NOON pm on Tuesday, June 2, 2026 will be considered the 1st place winner !

80+ Birthday Club

Bev Ezinga, 85 years young on March 6
Lee Scholma, 83 years young on March 8
Bob Brower, 84 years young on March 10
Harley Sietsema, 81 years young on March 15
Nancy Pleune, 84 years young on March 27



Cal & Carol Gulker, 56 yrs. March 22
Harley & Marcia Sietsema, 59 yrs. March 26



LAUGHTER IS GOOD FOR THE HEART!

A woman invited several guests over for dinner. When everyone gathered around the table, she turned to her 6-year-old daughter and asked, "Would you like to say the blessing?"

"I don't know what to say," the little girl replied.

Her mother smiled. "Just say what you hear Mommy say."

The child bowed her head and prayed sincerely, "Dear Lord, why on earth did I invite all these people to dinner?"



GOD understands our prayers even when we can't find the words to say them.



It's Strange...

- How twenty dollars seems like such a large amount when you donate it to church, but such a small amount when you go shopping
- How 2 hours seem so long when you're at church, and who short they seem when you're watching a good movie
- That you can't find words to say when you're praying, but you have no trouble thinking what to talk about with a friend
- How difficult it is to read one chapter of the Bible, but how easy it is to read a popular novel
- How everyone wants front-row-tickets to concert, but they want to sit in the last row at Church
- How we need to know about an event for Church 2-3 weeks before the day so we can include it in our agenda, but we can adjust it for other events in the last minute
- How difficult it is to learn a fact about God and share it with others, but it's easy to repeat gossip
- How we believe everything that magazines and newspapers say, but we question the words in the Bible

SUNDAY SERVICE

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JESUS CHRIST
LOVE
MASS
MINISTER
NEIGHBORS
OFFERING
PEACE
PIANO

PODIUM
PRAY
SANCTUARY
SOLANCE
TITHE
TOGETHERNESS
TRAY
WORSHIP

WORD FIND.....

Submitted by Annette Rosema



FRUIT PALM TREES

These cheerful "palm trees" make a bright reminder of the celebration that greeted Jesus as he entered Jerusalem.

What you need:

- Bananas (for the tree trunks)
- Kiwis or green grapes (for the palm fronds)
- Mandarin oranges (for the ground)



What you do:

1. Slice bananas in half lengthwise and place vertically on a plate.
2. Arrange kiwi slices or grapes at the top to form palm fronds.
3. Add oranges at the base.
4. Serve immediately or chill until ready to serve.

Scripture Tie-In:

"Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord!"
—Matthew 21:9 (NIV)



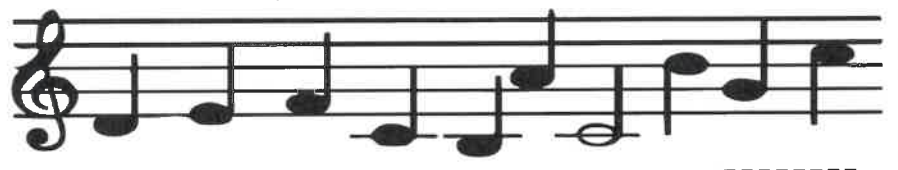
MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE

It's time to tune up your Bible brain!

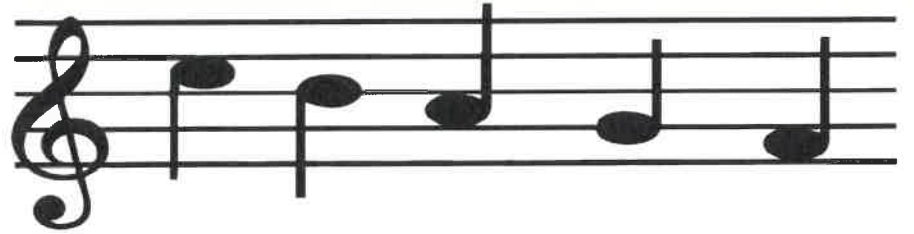
Decode the notes to discover a verse that sings with joy.

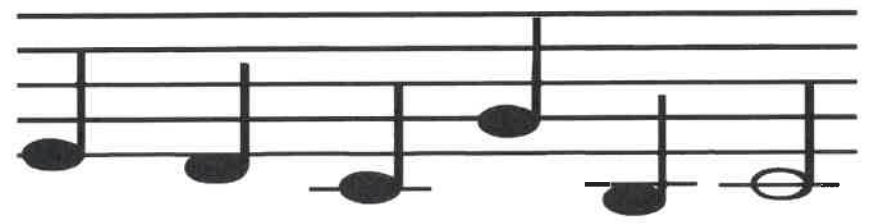
Using the musical note code, write the words of Psalm 100:2 (NIV) in the correct order below.

CODE: before come gladness him joyful LORD songs the with Worship



_____ the _____ ;





Answer: Worship the LORD with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.



"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

Offerings for MARCH 2026:

Mar 1	Family Life Center
Mar 8	Missions
Mar 15	GEMS
Mar 22	Christian Education
Mar 29	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:

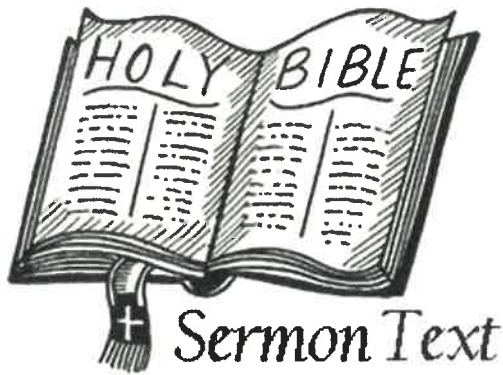
This offering goes to offset tuition costs for families of First CRC of Allendale choosing Christian Education for their children. Assistance is available for grades K-12th.

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.

GEMS:

This offering provides direct financial support for the GEMS ministry of the Christian Reformed Church.



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March 1 -

- AM ♦ Sermon Title: "27. Unhindered Power"
 ♦ Text: Acts 28
- PM ♦ Sermon Title: "11. Finishing Well"
 Text: John 21:15-19



March 8 - New morning series: Ashes & Dust

- AM ♦ Sermon Title: "1. Jesus, I Come"
 ♦ Text: Isaiah 61
- PM ♦ Sermon Title: Guest Pastor
 ♦ Text:

March 15 - GEMS Sunday New PM series: Heaven

- AM ♦ Sermon Title: "Step Out"
 ♦ Text: Deuteronomy 7:9
- PM ♦ Sermon Title: "1. Destination"
 ♦ Text: various passages



March 22 -

- AM ♦ Sermon Title: "2. Revive Us Again"
 ♦ Text: Psalm 80
- PM ♦ Sermon Title: "2. Paradise - Present Heaven"
 ♦ Text: Luke 23:32-43

March 29 - Palm Sunday

- AM ♦ Sermon Title: "3. Just As I Am"
 ♦ Text: Revelation 4:1-11
- PM ♦ Sermon Title: "3. Redemption's Reach"
 ♦ Text:



SCHEDULES FOR MARCH 2026

TLC:

Mar 1 – Kay Schout, Nancee Kraker, Clara Kruithoff
Mar 8 – Peggy Vredevoogd, Dar Oom, Lucas Schrottenboer
Mar 15 – Melissa Bosma, Kevin Dyke, Lucas Schrottenboer
Mar 22 – Kathy Knoper, Deb DeVries, Annabelle Kruithoff
Mar 29 – Kathy Knoper, Ardy Berens, Reka Mesbergen



CHILDREN'S WORSHIP

Mar 1 – Marcia Keegstra, Kylee Morren, Lucas Schrottenboer
Mar 8 – Marcia Keegstra, Annabelle Kruithoff, Lachlan Bosma
Mar 15 – Kristie Morren, Cheri Geurink, Brooke Kraker
Mar 22 – Kristie Morren, Danni Kraker, Grady Kuzee
Mar 29 – Mallory Kuzee, Jenny DeWinter, Kirsten Keegstra

NURSERY:

Mar 1 – Robyn Zwart, Mary Broene
Mar 8 – Conni Vollink, Alison Vroegop, Annabelle Kruithoff
Mar 15 – Shelley Bosch, Judy DeVries
Mar 22 – Robyn Zwart, Kyleah Brower
Mar 29 – Danni Kraker, Ardy Berens



LIBRARY:

Mar 1 – Elaine Christrup
Mar 8 – Julie DeVries
Mar 15 – Nellie Scholma
Mar 22 – Lois Van Wienen
Mar 29 – Elaine Christrup



VALET PARKING/GREETERS:

Mar 1 – Dale & Judy DeVries
Mar 8 – Gary & Dar Oom
Mar 15 – Terry & Sue Kraker
Mar 22 – Bern & Nellie Scholma
Mar 29 – Kirt & Sherri Schrottenboer



OPEN/CLOSE

Mar 1 – Jon Vander Wal
Mar 15 – Judy Knoper
Mar 29 – Jon Vander Wal
Mar 8 – Bob Knoper
Mar 22 – Bern Scholma

Audio/Visual

Mar 1 – Brent Schrottenboer, Jon Vander Wal
Mar 15 – Bob Knoper, Judy Knoper
Mar 29 – Brent Schrottenboer, Jon Vander Wal
Mar 8 – Peter Keegstra, Trevor Keegstra
Mar 22 – Kevin Dyke, Keegan Morren



March

BIRTHDAYS



March

ANNIVERSARIES

Melissa Bosma	3
Duke Busman	5
Bev Ezinga	6
Jean Christensen	7
Tom Groenink	8
Lee Scholma	8
Bob Brower	10
Trevor Kuzee	10
Derik Morren	10
Brent Schrotenboer	10
Colleen Bauzin	11
Elaine Brower	11
Laura Schurman	12
Seth Christrup	14
Tom Geysbeek	14
Kirsten Keegstra	14
Sherri Schrotenboer	15
Harley Sietsema	15
Seth Kruithoff	16
Brooke Kraker	18
Danni Kraker	21
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Carol Gulker	25
Jan Mohr	25
Nora VanderWal	26
Alexandra Gifford	27
Nancy Pleune	27
Brian Kraker	28
Ron Brink	29
Julia Kruithoff	30
Mallory Kuzee	31

Cal & Carol Gulker

Harley & Marcia Sietsema



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LET US REJOICE
AND BE GLAD IN IT.

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2026 Meetings

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1		2 † Young Life	3 † TML Bible Study † Council	4 † GEMS Father/ Daughter † Cadets	5 † Wyldlife	6	7
8 † Jr JAM/JAM † SNL Bible Study	9 † Young Life	10 † TML Bible Study † Council	11 † GEMS— Scrapbook † Cadets—last regular meeting	12 † Wyldlife † Worship Committee	13	14	
15 † GEMS Sunday	16 † Young Life	17 † Interim Committee † TML Bible Study	18 † GEMS Mother/ Daughter † Cadets— Auction	19 † Wyldlife	20	21	
22 † Jr JAM/JAM † SNL Bible Study	23 † Young Life	24 † TML Bible Study	25 † Cadets Pine Wood Derby † Soup Supper??	26 † Wyldlife † Cadet-O-Rama at Second Church	27	28	
29 † Sunday School flex day	30 † Young Life	31 † TML Bible Study					

