This is the **LORD'S DAY** – July 1, 2018

Morning Worship - 9:30 A.M. Scripture: John 1:19-51

Text: Heidelberg Catechism, L.D. 26

HOLY BAPTISM

I. The Reality Signified
II. The Assurance Sealed
III. The Calling Admonished
Psalters: 17, 335, 293, 142

Evening Worship - 5:00 P.M. Scripture: I Corinthians 1 Text: I Corinthians 1:10-17

PRAYER IN WORSHIP

I. The Calling
II. The Requirements
III. The Results

Psalters: 239, 386, 60, 372

		Today	Next Week	
Offering AM		General Fund, Adams	General Fund, Emeritation	
	PM	Benevolence, Foreign Sem. Student	Benevolence, Ref. Witness Hour	
		Assistance		
Nursery	AM	Jamie D.V., Betty H., Meghan B.	Sue H., Mary K., Elle J.	
	PM	Julie F., Sami H., Elaina F.	Amanda J., Lindsay K., Lauren F.	
Ushers		Doug Mingerink & Jim Holstege	Jason Jabaay & John Kalsbeek	
Transportation	Doug	John Flikkema III	Craig Dykstra	
_	Vivian	Dave Ophoff	John Flikkema III	

Meditation: "Lifting up pure hands is the expression of a pure heart; just as, on the contrary, Isaiah rebukes the Jews for lifting up "bloody hands" when he attacks their cruelty...It [represents an]... attitude in accordance with true godliness...namely, that, having been informed that we ought to seek God in heaven, first, we should form no conception of Him that is earthly or carnal; and, secondly, that we should lay aside carnal affections, so that nothing may prevent our hearts from rising above the world. Idolaters and hypocrites when they lift up their hands in prayer, are apes; for while they profess, by the outward symbol, that their minds are raised upwards, the former are fixed on wood and stone, as if God were shut up in them, and the latter, wrapped up either in useless anxieties, or in wicked thoughts, cleave to the earth; and therefore, by a gesture of an opposite meaning, they bear testimony against themselves." (John Calvin)

CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

~We would like to thank the congregation for the meals, cards, prayers and many kind words during Annie's time on bedrest and after Fern's birth. We feel truly blessed by the communion of the saints in the congregation. Eric, Annie and Fern Pastoor

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What do you understand by "the communion of the saints"?

First, that all and everyone who believes, being members of Christ, are, in common, partakers of Him and of all His riches and gifts; secondly that everyone must know it to be his duty, readily and cheerfully to employ his gifts, for the advantage and salvation of other members.

~ Family Visitation:	Date	Time	Family	Elders
•	7/2	1 PM	Kaye Moekler	Schimmel/Pipe
	7/2	2 PM	Doug Mingerink	Schimmel/Pipe
	7/9	7 PM	Bernie Kamminga	Schimmel/Pipe
	710	7 PM	Tim Thompson	Flikkema/Koerner
	7/10	8:15 PM	Scott Riemersma	Flikkema/Koerner

LOCAL/DENOMINATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

~The IRBC Basic Training Course will be offered again this fall (D.V.). See brochures in the Narthex. More information & an application can be obtained at www.reformedbiblicalcounseling.org

YOUNG PEOPLE/YOUNG ADULTS

- ~URGENT NEED OF MALE CHAPERONES for 2018 Young People's Convention. The convention is planned for August 13-17 at Lake Geneva Christian Center in Alexandria, MN. To register, go to www.prcconvention.com, and follow the instructions under the Chaperone tab. If you have any questions, email us at Chaperone@prcconvention.com
- **~FAITH PRC BEACH VOLLEYBALL!** Registration is now open for the Faith PRC young peoples beach volleyball tournament to be held at Holland State Park on July 14, 2018. Check-in begins at 8:30 with volleyball starting at 9. To register your Co-Ed team, you can either email or text Titus Kamps for a sign up form at tkamps77@gmail.com or 616-293-0086. Registration closes July 5 so don't delay!! Join us for a fun day at the beach!
- ~Advanced notice: The Lynden Protestant Reformed Church plans to host a Young Adults Retreat during July 1-5, 2019 in beautiful Northwest Washington. We encourage any young adults post-high school age to attend. Please watch upcoming bulletin announcements for further details including camp information and how to register. These details will also be posted on our Facebook page: Lynden PRC Young Adults Retreat 2019.

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ~HERITAGE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL FOUNDATION GOLF OUTING Our outing is scheduled for Saturday, July 21, 7 AM, at The Meadows at GVSU in Allendale. Due to an overwhelming early response from sponsors and individual teams, we have just three openings left for the golf event. Please contact Scott Koole at 616.293.1624 or skoole40@gmail.com to reserve your foursome. We do still welcome hole sponsors, which can also be reserved by contacting Scott. More event details will be provided the week before the outing. Your support is greatly appreciated!
- ~The next Eastside Christian School Board meeting will be on July 30 at 7 PM.
- ~Reformed Heritage Christian School is accepting applications for teacher/administration and part-time teaching positions. Openings include early elementary split classroom and junior high/high school History and Bible. We are committed to teaching from a distinctively Reformed perspective. Interested candidates may send a cover letter and resume to: Reformed Heritage Christian School, 700 North Fletcher Avenue, Kalamazoo, MI 49006, Attn: School Board, or email to: board@refhcs.org.