

## FAITH REFORMED CHURCH

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During the absence of a Pastor at Faith Church, if you have a prayer concern, please call the church office and we will forward the message to the Elder on call. During non-office hours, please feel free to contact the elder on call or any of the elders who may be available. Elder on call for October is **Bob DeRuyter** (668-6091).

This week Sunday we welcome Andy Hopp to lead us in worship. Next week Sunday Rev. Danny Hindman, Campus Ministry RUF Wisconsin – Madison will lead us in worship.

**Nursery Helpers:** Oct. 13<sup>th</sup> are Beth Rauwerdink, Darcie Beernink, Lyndsay Sass, Caleb Heinen – Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> are Kim Rauwerdink, Margie Schultz, Laura Jerabek, Ashleigh McCluskey.

**Elder/Deacon Nominations** - A letter has been placed in your mailboxes explaining the next step in our Elder/Deacon nominations. Please carefully review all the information included with the letter. Prayerfully consider the biblical qualifications of Elders and Deacons and the spiritual gifts you see in those you are nominating. **Use the yellow nominee sheet to vote from.** All nomination ballots must be returned by **Sunday, October 20<sup>th</sup>**. Your ballots can be placed in the box outside of Debbie's office.

The November Newsletter will come out on Sunday, October 27<sup>th</sup>. Please have your articles to the church office by October 20<sup>th</sup>.

Fellowship Committee has set the date of **Saturday, Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup> for our annual Fall Festival (soup supper/auction)**. See more details in the October Newsletter. Remember to sign up on the sheets by the Information Center – if you are joining us and also what kind of soup you will be bringing.

**Sunday School Students** remember to bring your offering to class so we can continue to sponsor 2 children from Compassion International.

**Cedar Grove Area Food Pantry update** – Thanks to many generous donations, 22 families were served in October! The pantry will be open again on Thursday, November 14<sup>th</sup> from 4:30 to 6:30 PM at Faith Reformed Church. Also, a meal will be served for those who attend from 4:00-5:30. Right now we are low on peanut butter, spaghetti sauce, cereal and paper products. (Please check the expiration dates on the food you donate.) Thank you! Please pray for Ashlynn, who has a brain tumor and is experiencing seizures, and for Dawn, who needs guidance for her family.

**Biographies:** We hope you were blessed by reading the summer biographies. Please return any books you have to the church office.

**Love Inc. Needs: For the month of October** we are collecting Personal Care Kits. Toilet paper, lotion combs, tissues, soap, deodorant, feminine products, razors, shaving cream, shampoo/conditioner, tote bags, hand towels, wash cloths, & bath towels, \*We may accept 'Gently-loved products: Items other than brand-new with no significant damage or defects. Please put your donations in the gray tub marked Love, Inc. in the great room.

**FALL CLOTHING DRIVE** - Gently used fall and winter clothing will be collected again for The Shepherds' Closet in Sheboygan Falls. **NO ADULT CLOTHING** is needed at this time however boys and toddler girls (18 months – 5T) are always needed. Girls teen sizes (10-16) are also appreciated. Please put them in the great room or storage room. The collection will be through October 27. Thank you!

**The Care Connection** – Ladies we meet this week Tuesday at 1:00 p.m. If there are any ladies in the church who would like to join us or want info on the Care Connection – please talk to Debbie in the church office.

**IFIT-Faith in Training Ministry** for Youth with Special Needs – Will be kicking off their third season of IFIT on October 14 at Gibbville Reformed Church. We will be meeting the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month October – May from 6:00-7:30. We are welcoming both participants and volunteers. If you would like to be involved in this ministry contact Nancy De Jong at 207-7542.

Ladies we are approaching the deadline (October 20) for the women's retreat in Green Lake! Check your October newsletter for registration details. At the bottom of that form is information that needs to be placed in a box on the Information counter. It is important to know who is attending and more importantly who has room in their vehicle. There are those who have registered but need help with transportation. Questions/ comments - talk with Bev 920-447-9391 or [bev.sohre@gmail.com](mailto:bev.sohre@gmail.com)

**COMMUNITY EVENT:** The Cedar Grove Fireman's Open House will be on Saturday, October 19<sup>th</sup> from 10am until 2pm.

**MS Silver Birch** - This year's retreat is **November 1-3!** Forms can be found on Jon's door, and can be turned in at Core, Connect or in the collection box on Jon's door before Sunday, October 27th.

**Thank you** for sponsoring the American Red Cross blood drive. Blood Drive results – 40 presenting donors.

## CONGREGATIONAL PRAYERS

### **Praises and Thanksgivings**

God's gift of salvation and the cross  
Faith Reformed – now PCA church  
Future Pastor of Faith Church

### **Petitions**

Our ministry in the PCA  
Nomination process  
Commitment to be people of prayer  
Commitment to studying Scripture  
To be guided by Scripture, not culture  
Courage to stand firm for the gospel  
Our hearts to be focused on Christ  
Our Elders and Deacons  
Our Pastoral Search Committee  
Jon Damkot – Youth Director  
Housing-Tom & Margie Schultz  
Disciplemaking at Faith Reformed  
Spiritual revival  
The unity of Cedar Grove churches  
Those with addictions/in jail or prison  
Our government leaders  
Persecuted Christians

### **Health**

Glenn Meerdink – recovering from knee surgery  
Ron Meinen – cancer treatments  
Don Schreurs – weakness & pain  
Delores Meinen – hospice care

### **Mission & Outreach**

Compassion International  
IFIT Ministry for special needs students  
Witness of Christ's love to local families  
For our unchurched neighbors

### **SHUT-INS**

**Pine Haven Oostburg** - Jean TenPas-#128  
**Cedar Grove Gardens** – Delores Meinen –  
Building 1 – Room #2  
Warren Heinen Building 2 Room #1  
Phyllis Heinen Building 2 – Room #6  
**Pine Haven Covenant Home**-Frannie Meinen –  
Room # 318  
**At Home:** Elda Veldboom

# Sermon Notes

## Today

- 9:00 a.m. Worship – Andy Hopp
- 10:15 a.m. Sunday School
- 6:00 p.m. CORE at Faith Church
- 6:00 p.m. Evening Study

## Monday

- 6:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting

## Tuesday

- 1:00 p.m. Care Connection
- 6:30 p.m. Officers Meeting

## Wednesday

- Ladies Afternoon Bible Study
- 6:00-7:30pm Connect - Outreach at EPC – Service Week
- 6:30 p.m. Adventure Island
- 6:30 p.m. Fellowship Committee

## COMING EVENTS AT FAITH:

- Oct. 13** Compassion Sunday
- Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>** – 2019 Faith Fall Festival

## UPCOMING YOUTH EVENTS

- Nov. 1-3** MS Silver Birch

## October Pulpit Supply:

- Oct. 20<sup>th</sup>** – Rev. Danny Hindman, Campus Ministry, RUF Wisconsin, Madison
- Oct. 27<sup>th</sup>** – BJ Hilbelink

## Serving in Military

- PFC Jaedyn Kettenhoven  
1611 McDonald St 13545  
Colorado Springs, CO 80902

Deeply Loving God  
Authentically Loving Others  
Boldly Living God's Word

**October 13, 2019**

## **OUR APPROACH TO GOD**

- Prelude Jan Jerabek
- Call to Worship Mark Hesselink
- \*Praise Songs
- \*Greeting One Another
- Prayer of Praise and Confession
- Assurance of Forgiveness

## **THE WORD OF GOD**

- Children's Message Wendy Heinen
- Children's Church for 3-5 year olds Abbie Meinen/Katie Lubbert
- Scripture Lesson Jude 1-25 Page #1216
- Sermon Concerned Andy Hopp

## **OUR RESPONSE TO GOD**

- Offertory Prayer Jon Sass
- Offertory Hymn Ancient Words
- \*Affirmation of Faith
- Congregational Sharing Jon Damkot
- Mission Update Compassion International Update
- Congregational Prayer
- \*Benediction
- \*Doxology
- \*Postlude Jan Jerabek

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WELCOME! As we worship today, we trust you feel God's presence, as well as the warmth of Christians who love the Lord and one another. Come and worship again.

Evening Sunday School Guide Study at 6:00p.m. tonight.

\*Please stand if able