



March 31, 2019

## WE GATHER IN UNITY

- \* GATHERING SONG *Come As You Are*
- WELCOME & GOD'S GREETING
- \* CALL TO WORSHIP
- \* SONGS OF PRAISE *Oh, How Good is Christ the Lord*  
*O Praise the Name*
- PRAYER WITH THE CHILDREN Susan Verwys

## WE GROW IN SERVICE

- MEDITATION ON LENTEN HYMN Jackie Timmer
- \* LENTEN HYMN *We Are People on a Journey*
- CALL TO CONFESSION
- PRAYER OF CONFESSION
- ASSURANCE OF PARDON
- GOD'S WILL FOR OUR LIVES
- OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD Roosevelt Park Ministries
- OFFERTORY *Offertory*, Chorale
- FAMILY PRAYER Gord DeBlaey

## WE GROW IN KNOWLEDGE

- READING Matthew 5:1-11 Bob Rietema
- \* SONG OF PREPARATION *We Are Called*
- SCRIPTURE Micah 5:1-11 (page 758)
- SERMON **WHAT DOES THE LORD REQUIRE OF US?**
- PRAYER

## WE ARE NURTURED TO EXTEND

- \* SONG OF RESPONSE *Behold Our God*

## WE GO IN PEACE TO LOVE & SERVE

- \* GOD'S BLESSING
- \* CLOSING PRAISE *Peace I Give to You*, Chorale

*\*Indicates to stand if you are able*

### This morning's Worship Ministers

Preacher Rev. Jack Roeda  
 Liturgist Aaron Polet  
 Musicians Shawnee Chorale, Barb Banaszak  
 Matt Kraker, Phil Van Eck, Nate Jen

## **Welcome to Shawnee Park!**

*We are glad you have chosen to worship with us, and we pray God will bless your time here. If you are a guest, please stop by the Connection Center before you leave.*

**This morning**, Rev. Jack Roeda will preach from Micah. Jack is a former pastor of Church of the Servant, where he served for 33 years.

**Next Sunday**, Seminarian Joel Altena will preach from the book of Nahum. Joel is a member of Shawnee Park Church.

## PRAISE & PRAYER

- **Please keep the following servicemen in our congregation in your prayers:**
  - SGT Jacob Abbott (and Marissa)  
1143 Odenton Rd., Odenton, MD 21113  
Email: jakeabbott2015@outlook.com  
In August, Jake will be deployed so please pray for safety for him as he serves our country, and Marissa in her absence from Jake.
  - A1C Zachary Abbott (and Cortni)  
Address as of April 5: 761 Wakea St., Apt. K304  
Kapolei, HI 96707-4562  
Email: zachabbott@hotmail.com
  - SSG Calvin Van't Land (and Abbey)  
3060 Creek Way Ct. SE, Kentwood, MI 49312  
Email: calvin.vland@gmail.com  
Calvin is training and preparing for a one year deployment in the fall of 2019.
- **Missionary of the Month**  
**Kevin and Julie Girton, YWAM, Turkey:**  
 One of the veteran YWAM team members was arrested while on an outreach team. He lost his visa and has been ejected from the country. Please be in prayer that God will prepare a way for him to return to Turkey. Pray for safety for Julie and Kevin, also.

## CONGREGATIONAL NOTES

- **Today's Special Offering is for Roosevelt Park Ministries (RPM)**, a Christian development organization on Grandville Avenue SW which primarily serves recent Hispanic immigrants. Shawnee Park and other churches support RPM with volunteers and offerings. RPM builds community by providing English classes, citizenship services, tax services, family and individual counseling, youth programs, Bible studies as well as other services.
- **Upcoming Sunday School and Adult Education Dates:** There will be no Sunday School or Adult Education classes today, April 7, and April 21 due to spring break and the Easter holiday. Joel and Hailey Altena will share about their upcoming two-year mission experience in Lithuania on Sunday, April 14 in Adult Education.
- **Women's Bible Study:** Tues., April 2, 9:30 AM  
Lesson: Hebrews 7, led by Jackie Timmer  
Refreshment: Diane Spoelhof, Marcie DeBlaey
- **Save the Dates:**  
**Saturday, April 13** - Mobile Food Pantry  
**Tuesday, April 23** - Shawnee Senior Adventurers  
Concert and Lunch at Park Congregational Church, 10 E Park Pl. NE, Grand Rapids, 49503. We will meet at Shawnee Park Church by 11:30 AM if anyone wants to carpool.
- **Easter Lilies**  
Beginning today you have the opportunity to purchase an Easter Lily in remembrance or celebration of a person or event. Please complete the card provided at the Connection Center to indicate the person or event you are remembering and the number of lilies you would like to purchase. Lilies are \$10 each. The lilies can be picked up following the Easter Sunday service, at the front of the sanctuary.

## CALENDAR: 2019 MARCH – APRIL

<b>Sun 31</b>	8:40 AM College & Career Breakfast 9:30 AM <b>Morning Service</b> Offering: Roosevelt Park Ministries Nursery, Children's Worship No Sunday School or Adult Education
<b>April</b>	
<b>Tues 2</b>	9:30 AM Women's Bible Study 7:00 PM Outreach Committee
<b>Wed 3</b>	5:00 PM Worship Planning 6:00 PM Worship Rehearsal 7:00 PM Chorale Rehearsal
<b>Sun 7</b>	8:40 AM College & Career Breakfast 9:30 AM <b>Morning Service</b> Offering: Christian Education Fund Nursery, Children's Worship No Sunday School or Adult Education
<b>Mon 8</b>	7:45 PM Worship Committee
<b>Tues 9</b>	5:30 PM Executive
<b>Wed 10</b>	5:00 PM Worship Planning 5:15 PM W.O.W. Dinner 6:00 PM Worship Rehearsal 7:00 PM Chorale Rehearsal
<b>Thurs 11</b>	6:30 PM Building & Grounds
<b>Sat 13</b>	1:00 PM Mobile Food Pantry
<b>Sun 14</b>	8:40 AM College & Career Breakfast 9:30 AM <b>Morning Service</b> <b>Communion Sunday</b> Nursery, Children's Worship 11:00 AM Sunday School, Adult Ed. 5:00 PM Young Teens & Youth Group 7:00 PM Fellowship Committee
<b>Tues 16</b>	9:30 AM Women's Bible Study 7:00 PM Administrative Elders 7:00 PM Deacons 8:15 PM Council
<b>Wed 17</b>	5:00 PM Worship Planning 6:00 PM Worship Rehearsal 7:00 PM Chorale Rehearsal

