



Communion Sunday May 12, 2019

WE GATHER IN UNITY

- *GATHERING SONG *Gather Us In*
- *WELCOME & GOD'S GREETING
- *CALL TO WORSHIP
- *SONGS OF PRAISE *Praise to the Lord the Almighty
Lift High the Name of Jesus*
- READING Romans 5:1-5 Kathleen Scaglione
- PRAYER WITH THE CHILDREN Susan Verwys

WE GROW IN GRACE

- PRAYER OF CONFESSION
- ASSURANCE OF PARDON
- OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD MEL TROTTER MINISTRY
- OFFERTORY *Love Like This, Chorale*
- FAMILY PRAYER Dave Lundberg

WE GROW IN KNOWLEDGE

- *SONG OF PREPARATION *Living Hope*
- SCRIPTURE Zechariah 8:3-7 (page 773)
- SERMON *Zechariah: Minor Prophet,
Major Announcement*
- PRAYER

WE ARE NURTURED TO EXTEND

- *SONG OF RESPONSE *In Christ Alone*

THE LOVE FEAST

- PASSING THE BREAD *Jesus Messiah*
- PASSING THE JUICE *My Jesus, I Love Thee*

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. Dale Cooper
- Musicians Barb Banaszak, Phil Van Eck, Matt Kraker
Nate Jen

Welcome to Shawnee Park this morning!

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 in the lobby before you leave.

This morning, Rev. Dale Cooper will preach from the book of Zechariah. Rev. Cooper is a resource specialist for liturgical spirituality at the Calvin Institute of Christian Worship, as well as chaplain emeritus and adjunct faculty in the department of Congregational and Ministry Studies at Calvin College.

CONCERNS & PRAISES

- Due to a decline in his health, Rich Kuipers was moved into nursing care at Raybrook. He is in room 442 and visitors are welcome.
- Doris Hubers passed away on May 6. Visitation will be held at Zaagman's Memorial Chapel (2800 Burton St SE) on Tuesday, May 14 from 4-7 pm and on Wednesday, May 15 from 12-1 pm. The service will be at Zaagman's on May 15 at 1:00 pm. Our sympathies are extended to Doris' family and friends, especially John, Cindy, Megan, Matt and Tyler Stuyfzand.
- Congratulations to Nick and Valerie (Van't Land) Van Veen who were united in marriage on May 11, 2019. Nick is the son of Pam and Gary Van Veen and Valerie is the daughter of John & Faith Van't Land.
- **Missionary of the Month**
Pam and Larry Moeser, Resonate Partner in Thailand: Please pray for Larry who has a neck injury and is currently trying to decide on a course of treatment and possible surgery. Pray for wisdom in making decisions.
- **On-call Pastors**
We have a schedule of pastors who are available for any pastoral needs. Call the church office (616-452-6971) or your Pastoral Care Elder if you would like to meet with one of them. A Pastoral Care Elders list is available in your directory.

CONGREGATIONAL NOTES

▪ Council Members

There will be a short Council meeting at 11:00 AM today in the Lake Michigan Room.

▪ Graduates

If you are graduating or have a graduate in the family, please let Faith in the church office know by tomorrow, May 13.

▪ Women's Spring Salad Luncheon

Tuesday, May 14 at 10:30 AM—Come and be blessed by Suzie Zoerman, a talented chalk artist. Enjoy special music while she draws for us. A salad luncheon will follow. Women from the Bible Study are asked to bring a salad to share. ALL women are encouraged to come and to bring a friend!

▪ Shawnee Senior Adventurers

All seniors and friends are invited to a delicious catered dinner and an unusual speaker on Thursday, May 16 at 6:00 PM at church. Dennis Cochran, a local beekeeper, will enlighten us on beekeeping. The cost is \$15 per person. TODAY is the last day to sign-up.

▪ Online Directory

Have you opened the Online Membership Directory or the private Member Portal application? Check it out before your email invitation expires!

▪ Church Picnic

Reserve Sunday evening, June 9, for the annual church picnic. More details to come!

▪ Shawnee Camping Trip

The annual camping trip will take place from June 20-23 at Northern Exposure Campground in Mesick, MI. You do not need to camp for the whole weekend. To reserve your campsite, please contact Deb Ames, (debra.a.ames@gmail.com or 616-302-9049).

CALENDAR: 2019 MAY

Sun 12	8:40 AM College & Career Breakfast Communion 9:30 AM Morning Service Offering: Mel Trotter Ministries Children's Worship, Nursery 11:00 AM Last day of Sunday School 11:00 AM Council Meeting
Tues 14	9:30 AM Women's Bible Study
Wed 15	5:00 PM Worship Planning 6:00 PM Worship Rehearsal 7:00 PM Chorale Rehearsal
Thurs 16	Classis Grand Rapids East meeting at Calvin CRC 6:00 PM Senior Adventurers
Sat 18	9:00 AM Respite Care
Sun 19	9:30 AM Morning Service Offering: Benevolence Fund Children's Worship, Nursery 11:00 AM Town Hall Meeting
Tues 21	7:00 PM Consistory 7:00 PM Deacons 8:15 PM Council
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College & Career Ministry Thank You!

Thanks to all who made the College and Career breakfast this past school year a welcoming place for our college and career friends! For providing transportation, cooking breakfast and organizing, thank you! Thanks to the college students for your faithful attendance throughout the school year.



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