



August 6, 2017

Welcome to Shawnee Park Christian Reformed Church. 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.

This Sunday, we will consider our good works, which bring God glory, as we show the character of our creator by being salt and light (Matt. 5:13-16). Next week, Rev. Peter Borgdorff will challenge us to remember the universality of the church (Colossians 1:15-20, John 17, Ephesians 4:1-6).

**WE ENTER TO WORSHIP**

- \*GATHERING SONG *Gather Us In*
- WELCOME
- \*CALL TO WORSHIP
- \*SONGS OF PRAISE *Hear the Call of the Kingdom*  
*Come, All Christians Be Committed*
- READING Leviticus 26:3-13 Colin Carlson

**COVENANT RENEWAL**

- PRAYER WITH THE CHILDREN
- OUR GIFTS TO THE LORD Ministry Fund
- OFFERTORY *You are the Light of the World*
- PRAYER OF GOD’S PEOPLE

**THE WORD OF God**

- \*SONG OF PREPARATION *How Great is Our God*
- SCRIPTURE Matthew 5:13-16 (pew Bible, page 786)
- SERMON **Salt & Light**
- PRAYER

**OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD**

- \*SONG OF RESPONSE *Lift Up the Name of Jesus*

**WE DEPART WITH GOD'S BLESSING**

- \*GOD’S BLESSING
- \*CLOSING PRAISE *This Little Light of Mine*

*\*Indicates to stand if you are able*

**PRAISES & CONCERNS**

- *Michael Bloem* remains in hospice at Trillium Woods. Michael’s sister Nancy is in need of rides to visit Michael. Contact Sheryl Ruiter at 616-821-7837 if you are able to help.
- *Julia Van Dyke* will be working with the Mennonite Central Committee in Kenya during the next year. We pray that she will adjust well as she begins her new assignment and that the Lord will bless her in her work.
- *Renee Rietema* is home and continues to heal. Please continue praying for her and Bob. We also join with the Rietema family in celebrating the arrival of Paul and Megan's twin boys, William Alan and Alexander Henry.
- **Remembering Homebound Members**  
We continue to pray for Shawnee members who are not able to worship with us, regularly or at all. We remember and pray for *Norm & Lu Poel, Linda Carlson, & Helen Ruiter*
- **Missionary of the Month: Rev. Scott Stark, Campus ministry, GVSU**—Pray for the 240 student leaders who will be leading worship services, Bible studies, service projects, outreach events, etc. These students are the engine that drives our ministry and empowers new students to get connected to Christ and his people on campus.

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Pastor Rev. Nicholas Hopkins  
Musicians Barb Banaszak, Jeiel Burrell, Neymu Tor,  
Matt Kraker, Christie Ridgeway, Aaron Polet,  
Megan Hopkins, Claire Banaszak

## CONGREGATIONAL NOTES

- **Sunday Volunteer Schedules** can be located in the white, three-ring binder located on the credenza in the narthex (top of the mail folders). A summary of volunteers for each Sunday is located in the front pocket of the binder.

### Summer Fun Events!

See what Shawnee is doing for fun this summer for you or your family. Here's a quick glance at the Summer Fun Events:

- Women's Walking Club:

Weekly walk on Wednesday! Contact: Claire Banaszak, [clairebanaszak@gmail.com](mailto:clairebanaszak@gmail.com)

- Farm to Table Cooking Class:

Saturdays: Aug. 12 from around 7:30 AM until noon. Sign-up at the Connection Center.

Contact: Johnny Liu, [johnnyliu04@yahoo.com](mailto:johnnyliu04@yahoo.com).

### ▪ Staff Notes

- Pastor Nick, Char, and Mel will be out of the office to attend Willow Creek's Global Leadership Summit on August 10 & 11.

### ▪ Shawnee Senior Shipsewana Trip

The Shipsewana Trip scheduled for August 22 is full.

### ▪ August Soup Sisters:

Marilyn Kraai & Marcie DeBlaey

## CALENDAR—2017

AUGUST	
<b>Sun 6</b>	<b>9:30 AM Morning Service</b> Offering: Ministry Fund Children's Worship, Nursery 11:00 AM Worship Team Rehearsal 11:00 AM Fellowship Committee
Wed 9	5:30 PM Worship Planning
Sat 12	9:00 AM Respite Ministry
<b>Sun 13</b>	<b>9:30 AM Morning Service, Communion</b> Offering: Christian Education Fund Children's Worship, Nursery 11:00 AM Worship Team Rehearsal
Tues 15	6:00 PM Evangelism Committee 7:00 PM Administrative Elders 7:00 PM Deacons 7:00 PM Pastoral Care Elders 8:15 PM Council
Wed 16	5:30 PM Worship Planning
<b>Sun 20</b>	<b>9:30 AM Morning Service</b> Offering: Benevolence Fund Children's Worship, Nursery 11:00 AM Worship Team Rehearsal
Mon 21	7:00 PM Education Committee
Wed 23	5:30 PM Worship Planning
<b>Sun 27</b>	<b>9:30 AM Morning Service</b> Offering: Habitat for Humanity of Kent County Children's Worship, Nursery 11:00 AM Worship Team Rehearsal
Wed 30	5:30 PM Worship Planning 7:00 PM Chorale

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