



Mission Sunday November 14, 2021, 9:30 AM

PRELUDE *Resurrection Power*

WE GATHER IN GRACE

WELCOME

*CALL TO WORSHIP

*GOD'S GREETING

*SONGS OF PRAISE *Reckless Love,
Come, Ye Sinners Poor and Needs*

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON & CALL TO HOLY LIVING

WE GROW IN TRUTH

OFFERING *Resonate Global Missions*

MINUTE FOR MINISTRY

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

*SONG OF PREPARATION *Psalms 23 -Chorale*

SCRIPTURE READING *Luke 15:1-7*

SERMON **Lost and Found**

PRAYER

*SONG OF RESPONSE *Resurrection Power*

WE GO IN PEACE TO LOVE & SERVE

*GOD'S BLESSING

*CLOSING PRAISE *Doxology*

**Indicates to stand if you are able*

Preacher Rev. Joel Altena
 Musicians Barb Banaszak, Phil Van Eck, Nate Jen,
 Darrin Compagner, Joyce Altena, Joel Altena,
 Dave Lundberg, Chorale
 Joan Van Dyke - Director
 Tech Jay Carlson, Colin Carlson, Dan Ferrell

Welcome to Shawnee Park!

We are glad you have chosen to worship with us, and we pray God will bless your time here.

This morning is Mission Sunday:

In our morning worship, we will focus on Shawnee Park's role and support for sharing God's good news, both locally and worldwide. Pastor Joel Altena, Chaplain at LCC International University in Lithuania, will preach, and chorale members will sing. The adult education hour will feature videos and discussions by Joel and Hailey Altena as well as other missionaries supported by our congregation.

Today's offering is for: Resonate Global Missions (*Resonate equips the Christian Reformed Church to fulfill the calling of being missionaries. They provide support to several missionaries around the globe, including several of our own!*)

Next week Sunday we'll continue our Psalms of Ascent series Psalm 132; John 18:33-37 "Between Memory and Hope." This longest of the Songs of Ascent animates the way of faith and life between memory and hope. It recalls David's faithfulness and the journey of the ark to Zion. And it recalls the Lord's faithfulness and abundant promises of future blessing. And so, it calls pilgrims to live with creative obedience between memory and hope. It is also rich with themes (son of David, God's presence, salvation) that find their fulfillment in David's greater son, Jesus. His kingship is the hope of the world.

We will also celebrate Communion.

The offering will be collected in the back of the church until further notice.

- **ADULT EDUCATION TODAY:** Join us in the sanctuary after the service for a special Adult Education time with a missions awareness emphasis. We will watch video updates from a number of the missionaries that Shawnee Park supports and hear more from Joel and Hailey Altena about their work in Lithuania.

- **THANKSGIVING OFFERING:** In our tradition, Shawnee Park expresses its gratitude on Thanksgiving Day by giving to a variety of local organizations. This coming Thanksgiving, please give to any organization you would like to support, and the deacons will make sure it gets to that organization, even if we haven't supported them in the past.

The deacons would also like to remind you that as a church, we are committed to supporting Safe Haven, Roosevelt Park, Forgotten Man Ministries and Global Village Partners and we ask that you remember these ministries also with your offerings this Thanksgiving. The deacons are grateful for your continued support for our church and its ministries and those that are in the broader community as well.

- **WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY:** Nov. 16, 9:30 AM
Lesson #8: *Gospel of John*; Leader: Jackie Timmer
Refreshments: Janet Borgdorff, Mary Jane Van Loo
- **SENIOR ADVENTURERS:** This Thursday, Nov. 18, the seniors and friends are invited to a **fall morning coffee** in Fellowship Room (lower level) at 9:30 am, followed at 10:00 a.m. by a wonderful audiovisual presentation by Caroline Cook, founder and director of Grand Rapids Running tours entitled: *Steeple Chase*. Learn why Grand Rapids has been called, "The City of Churches" on this fascinating virtual tour of religious landmarks. Via photographs and narration, we'll pass by churches that date back to 1848. We'll see multiple architectural styles, soaring spires, expertly crafted stone and brickwork, Tiffany windows and more. Because of this journey, you'll more fully understand the historical impact of faith in Grand Rapids. Sign-up TODAY in the Great Room. Cost is donation.

CALENDAR: 2021 | NOVEMBER

Sun 14	<i>Mission Sunday</i> 8:45 AM College Breakfast 9:30 AM Morning Service Preacher: Pastor Joel Altena Offering: Resonate Global Missions 11:00 AM Adult Education 1:00 PM Christian Agape Church
Mon 15	5:00 PM Worship Planning 6:00 PM Deacons; PCE 7:15 PM Council
Tues 16	9:30 AM Women's Bible Study
Wed 17	9:00 AM Seeking God's Face 6:00 PM Worship Rehearsal
Thurs 18	7:00 PM Building & Grounds
Sun 21	8:45 AM College Breakfast 9:30 AM Morning Service, Communion Offering: <i>Tyler Robbert</i> , Missionary 11:00 AM Adult Education 1:00 PM Christian Agape Church
Mon 22	5:00 PM Worship Planning
Tues 23	9:30 AM Women's Bible Study
Wed 24	9:00 AM Seeking God's Face 6:00 PM Worship Rehearsal
Thurs 25	9:30 AM Thanksgiving Day Service
Sun 28	First Sunday of Advent 9:30 AM Morning Service Offering: <i>Scott Stark</i> , Missionary 11:00 AM Adult Education 1:00 PM Christian Agape Church



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