

AUGUST 6

SUNDAY, THE LORD'S DAY

2017

MORNING WORSHIP – 9:30 AM

PRELUDE

WELCOME

*GOD'S GREETING

*PRAYER OF INVOCATION (*responsive*)

*MUTUAL GREETING

*CALL TO WORSHIP: (*responsive*)

*SONGS OF PRAISE: (*led by the Praise Team*)

“Across the Lands”

“I Have a Hope”

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*silent*)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

SONG: “Not What My Hands Have Done” *PsH #260:1-3*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE:.....Matthew 25:31-46 (pg. 1542)

MESSAGE:..... **IMMIGRATION**

PRAYER OF APPLICATION

*SONG: “We Are Called to Be God's People” *TCH #415:1-3*

OFFERING: *Bible League*

OFFERTORY: (*Praise Team*) **“Only King Forever”**

*BENEDICTION

*DOXOLOGY: “From Ocean unto Ocean” *PsH #596:4*

*POSTLUDE

Dr. Bill Sytsma, Worship Leader; Phyllis Leegwater, Organist

PsH=Psalter Hymnal (grey); TCH=The Celebration Hymnal (red)

**If you are able, please stand*

WELCOME to New Life Christian Reformed Church of Highland. If you are a guest today, please stop by our Welcome Center in the lobby to learn more about us and receive a welcome gift, and enjoy some coffee & fellowship after the morning service.

Sermon Notes

Sermon Title: Immigration

Sermon Text: Matthew 25:31-46

God's people were _____ to care for strangers within their community.

The topic of immigration has become _____ heated in our current culture.

God's people may have different _____ opinions.

Hospitality and grace should _____ in Christ's followers.

God has _____ our land.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR TODAY

PARTNERS IN PRAYER meets in Room 4 in the East wing from 8:45-9:05 am each Sunday. Come join us any Sunday!

- GREETERS: 9:30 AM**–Roy & Marlene Bush/Sam & Sharon Kooistra
- NURSERY: 9:30 AM**–Tina Hoeksema & Laura Kortum
- AM & PM SOUND OPERATOR:** Brad Gossman/Ron DeYoung
- AM POWER POINT OPERATOR:** Lilly Armendariz
- WELCOME CENTER:** Heather Peterson
- COFFEE SERVERS:** Bugs Rottier & Sandra Porter
- COOKIE SERVER:** Karen Hartmann

NURSERY CARE is available during our morning worship service for children 0-3 years of age. The nursery is located on our main floor in the east wing of the church at the end of the hallway.

WORSHIP CENTER (Children’s Worship) will resume after Labor Day in September.

5:00 PM SERVICE: “Speaking in Tongues”; 1 Corinthians 14:1-25

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:

- Pet Kuiper (96)**–8/6
- Ardess VanProoyen**–8/8
- Harriet Dyke**–8/9
- Gueda Klooster (92)**–8/10

**NEW LIFE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH
CLOSING OUR DAY IN WORSHIP – 5:00 PM**

August 6, 2017

PRELUDE:.....**Maestoso** – *Willan*
Like A River Glorious - *Mountain*

OPENING PRAYER

***GOD’S GREETING**

***SONGS OF PRAISE:** (*stand for first and then be seated*)

“Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart” *TCH #169:1,2,4*

“Come, Christians, Join to Sing” *TCH #225:1-3*

“The Solid Rock” *TCH #526:1-14*

CONTEMPORARY TESTIMONY: *Stanza 54 PsH p. 1036*

All: We call on government to do public justice and to protect the freedoms and rights of individuals, groups, and institutions, so that each may freely do the tasks God gives. We urge governments to ensure the well-being of all citizens by protecting children from abuse and pornography, by guarding the elderly and the poor, and by promoting the freedom to speak, to work, to worship, and to associate.

SONG: “Leaning on the Everlasting Arms” *TCH #575:1-3*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

OFFERING: *Ministry Opportunity Fund*

OFFERTORY:**An Evening Prayer** - *Battersby*

***SONG:** “Shine, Jesus, Shine” *TCH #431:1-3*

SCRIPTURE: 1 Corinthians 14:1-25 (pg. 1787)

MESSAGE:.....**SPEAKING IN TONGUES**

PRAYER

***SONG:** “Have Thine Own Way, Lord” *TCH #591:1-4*

***BLESSING**

***CLOSING SONG:** “Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart” *TCH #169:5*

Praise God who reigns on high, the Lord whom we adore;

The Father, Son, and Holy Ghost—one God forevermore.

Rejoice, rejoice, rejoice, give thanks and sing!

***POSTLUDE:**.....**Exalt His Name** - *Cooke*

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