

MORNING WORSHIP – 9:30 AM

PRELUDE

WELCOME

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

*GOD'S GREETING

*MUTUAL GREETING

*CALL TO WORSHIP: *(responsive)*

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

“Forever”

“Blessed Be Your Name”

[Children 4 yrs old-2nd grade are invited to join the Worship

Center leaders in the back during the last song]

SONG: “Living for Jesus” *PsH #292:1*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: *(responsive)*

SONG: “The Blood Will Never Lose Its Power” *PsH #552:1-2*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE:..... 1 John 3:1-20 (pg. 1900)

MESSAGE:.....**LOVE**

PRAYER OF APPLICATION

*SONG: “Christian Hearts in Love United” *PsH #513:1-3*

OFFERING: *Calvin College*

OFFERTORY: *(Praise Team)***Overcome-Jeremy Camp**

*BENEDICTION

*DOXOLOGY: “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” *PsH #637*

*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: Love

Sermon Text: 1 John 3:1-20

Loving God is somehow _____ to loving our neighbors.

Love and hatred are _____.

God's love is _____ given.

Christ's love was seen in his _____.

The best _____ of God's work in our lives is seen in the way we love others.

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–Randy & Mary Mitchell/Rick & Sharon
VanderWoude

NURSERY: 9:30 AM–Mallory Fulton & Makayla Hoeksema

AM & PM SOUND OPERATOR: Craig Menninga/Ron DeYoung

AM POWER POINT OPERATOR: Sean Armendariz

WELCOME CENTER: Christina Wiltjer

COFFEE SERVERS: Tim and Mary Lou Brummel

COOKIE SERVER: Shirley Zylstra

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 church for **ages 4-2nd grade**, located in the east wing Room 3. Teachers will escort children there during the AM service (see order of worship).

EDUCATION HOUR: 10:45-11:45 AM

- **SON-CATCHERS** (4 years old-4th grade) meet in Room 4 for snacks at 10:45. They will be escorted to the sanctuary for singing and then classroom time in Rooms 2 & 4.
- **CATECHISM CLASSES** (5th-12th grades) meet in classrooms in the basement. **Grades 5-8 in Room 9; Grades 9-12 in the old nursery.**

5:00 PM SERVICE: "The Incarnation"; Matthew 1:18-23

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:

Kathi Fulton–10/1

Heather Peterson–10/6

Christina Wiltjer–10/7

EXPRESSION OF THANKS:

"Thank-you so much for the meals and the cards of encouragement we received during my recent illness. It is such a blessing to belong to a caring church family." – **Don & Bette Saxsma**

"Thank-you so much for all the support, prayers, and donations for Team Cure for Keira! Our team raised over \$8,000 in our recent Energy for Life Walk to find a cure for our granddaughter!" – **Terry & Tamie Kuiper**