

MORNING WORSHIP – 9:30 AM

PRELUDE

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

*CALL TO WORSHIP: *(responsive)*

*GOD'S GREETING

*MUTUAL GREETING

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

“Come Let's Sing”

“How Marvelous (I Stand Amazed)”

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

Center leaders in the back during the last song]

PRESENTATION: *Judy Zandstra*

WORSHIP CENTER DISMISSAL

SONG: “Savior, like a Shepherd Lead Us” *TCH #688:4*

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON *(responsive)*

SONG OF ASSURANCE: “Nearer, Still Nearer” *TCH #567:1-4*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE:.....Isaiah 61 (pg. 1157)

MESSAGE:..... **JUSTICE**

PRAYER OF APPLICATION

*SONG: “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” *PsH #556:1-3*

OFFERING: *Ministry Opportunity Fund*

OFFERTORY: *(Praise Team)***My Only Crown, Fairest Lord Jesus**

*GOD'S BLESSING

*DOXOLOGY: “By the Sea of Crystal” *PsH #620:3*

*POSTLUDE

Dr. Bill Sytsma, Worship Leader; Lori Hofstra, 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: Justice

Sermon Text: Isaiah 61

God brings good news to those who are _____.

The call to justice is a call to _____ the world around us.

God _____ the fortunes of the oppressed.

All things are _____ to God's will.

Poverty becomes _____ when God's glory is evident.

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—Mark & Tina Hoeksema/Rich & Karen Hartmann

NURSERY: 9:30 AM—Mary Mitchell & Hannah Kortum

AM & PM SOUND OPERATOR: Brad Gossman/Craig Menninga

AM POWER POINT OPERATOR: Cameron Zandstra

WELCOME CENTER: Bill & Jan Stammers

COFFEE SERVERS: Jamie Kostelyk

COOKIE SERVER: Kathy Moes

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 the East Wing.

- **CATECHISM CLASSES** (5th-12th grades) meet in classrooms in the basement. **Grades 5-8 in Room 9; Grades 9-12 in the old nursery.**

There will be no Education Hour next Sunday, October 22, due to fall break.

5:00 PM SERVICE: Men of A-Chord Concert

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

OUR CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY is extended to **JOHN & JUDY ROPER & FAMILY** in the passing of Judy's mother, Mildred Yonkman, on Friday, October 6. Funeral services were held this past week.

OUR CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY is extended to **DENNY & PENNY TRIEZENBERG & FAMILY** in the passing of Penny's mom, Joyce Jongsma, on Wednesday, October 11. Visitation is Sunday, October 15, from 3-8 pm, at Smits Funeral Home in Dyer. The funeral service is on Monday, October 16, at noon, at Crete Church (24755 S. Country Lane, Crete, IL).

CONGRATULATIONS to **JOSH & MALLORY (FULTON) JACOBS** who were married in our church on Saturday, October 14.

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:

Danelle Rusch—10/15; **Eleanor Porter (85)**—10/17

Brian Glemby—10/18; **Fred Leep, Paul Wiltjer**—10/19

Jim Bruen, Mya Simmons—10/20

NEW LIFE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH CLOSING OUR DAY IN WORSHIP – 5:00 PM MUSIC WITH THE MEN OF A-CHORD

October 15, 2017

PRELUDE

OPENING PRAYER

*GOD'S GREETING

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

“We Have Come into His House” TCH #224:1-2

“He Has Made Me Glad” TCH #214

“I Want to Be like Jesus” TCH #550:1,3,4

“Why Do I Sing about Jesus?” TCH #739:1-3

MEN OF A-CHORD SELECTIONS

PRAYER

OFFERING: *Men of A-Chord Ministry*

OFFERTORY: *Justin Rich & Beverly Hoitsma*

HYMN SINGING BY REQUEST

*SONGS OF PRAISE:

“Shine, Jesus Shine” TCH #431:1-3

“I Would Be Like Jesus” TCH #561:1,3,4

“Make Me a Blessing” TCH #670:1-3

*BLESSING

*CLOSING SONG: “He Lives” TCH #368:1-3

*POSTLUDE

Dr. Bill Sytsma, Worship Leader; Justin Rich, organist

PsH=Psalter Hymnal; TCH=The Celebration Hymnal

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We thank the Men of A-Chord, with Justin Rich & Beverly Hoitsma, for joining us today and leading us in worship.