

MORNING WORSHIP – 9:30 AM

PRELUDE: (Praise Team) **How Marvelous; Lord, I Need You**

WELCOME

*GOD'S GREETING

*MUTUAL GREETING

*CALL TO WORSHIP: (responsive)

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

“Ten Thousand Reasons”

“Jesus Messiah”

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

Center leaders in the back during the last song]

SONG: “Jesus Loves the Little Children” TCH #447:1

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

SONG: “O Jesus, We Adore You” PsH #472:1-3

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE:..... Philippians 3:7-16 (pg. 1829)

MESSAGE:..... **PERSEVERANCE**

PRAYER OF APPLICATION

CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

*SONG: “For All the Saints” PsH #505:1-4

OFFERING: *Ministry Opportunity Fund*

OFFERTORY: (Praise Team) **One Thing Remains**

*BLESSING

*DOXOLOGY: “Be Thou My Vision” v. 1

*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.

THIS MORNING WE CELEBRATE THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER. If you are a guest who believes that the saving work of Christ has been applied to your life, you are invited to participate.

Sermon Notes

Sermon Title: Perseverance

Sermon Text: Philippians 3:7-16

God's people have been _____.

We were created for a _____.

Satisfaction should not become _____.

God's redeemed people are being _____.

Perseverance is a _____ and a _____.

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/Paul & April Armendariz

NURSERY: 9:30 AM–Heather Peterson & Lilly Armendariz

AM & PM SOUND OPERATOR: Craig Menninga/Sean Armendariz

AM POWER POINT OPERATOR: Cameron Zandstra

WELCOME CENTER: Heather Peterson

COFFEE SERVERS: Craig & Pat Menninga

COOKIE SERVER: Sandra Porter

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.** ***There are no classes next Sunday, November 26, due to the holiday weekend. They will resume December 3.***

5:00 PM SERVICE: Guest Pastor: Rev. Nick Van Beek
“Law, Sin, and Faith”; Galatians 3:1-14

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:

Melanie Van Til–11/19

Shelley Boender –11/20

Kenny Leep–11/23

Mary Knight (79), Grace Mitchell–11/24

**NEW LIFE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH
CLOSING OUR DAY IN WORSHIP – 5:00 PM
November 19, 2017**

PRELUDE

OPENING PRAYER

*GOD’S GREETING

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

“Praise the Lord! Sing Hallelujah” *PsH #146:1-4*

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” *PsH #253:1,2,4*

“You Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim” *PsH #477:1,2,4*

*CREEDAL STATEMENT: Apostle’s Creed (*unison*) *PsH p. 813*

All: I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to hell. The third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended to heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty. From there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*SONG: “Glory Be to the Father” *PsH #635*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

OFFERING: *Ministry Opportunity Fund*

OFFERTORY

*SONG: “He Leadeth Me” *PsH #597:1,5,6*

SCRIPTURE: Galatians 3:1-14 (pg. 1812)

MESSAGE:.....**LAW, SIN, AND FAITH**
PRAYER

*SONG: “Rejoice, O Pure in Heart” *PsH #561:1-3*

*GOD’S BLESSING

*CLOSING SONG: “Rejoice, O Pure in Heart” *PsH #561:5*

*POSTLUDE

*Rev. Nick Van Beek, Worship Leader; Erik DeVries, organist
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THIS AFTERNOON we welcome **Rev. Nick Van Beek**, pastor of Worship & Discipleship at Bethel CRC in Lansing, IL, and thank him for leading our worship.