

**MORNING WORSHIP – 9:30 AM**

PRELUDE

WELCOME

\*GOD'S GREETING

\*MUTUAL GREETING

\*OPENING PRAYER

\*CALL TO WORSHIP *(responsive)*

\*SONGS OF PRAISE:

“Holy God, We Praise Thy Name” *TCH #2:1-3*

“Shout to the Lord” *v. 1-2*

**[Children 4 yrs old-2<sup>nd</sup> grade are invited to join the Worship**

**Center leaders in the back during the last song]**

SONG: “O Lord, You’re Beautiful” *TCH #643:1-3*

PREPARATORY FOR THE LORD’S SUPPER

SONG: “There Is a Redeemer” *TCH #308:1-3*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

MEN’S CHORUS: .....**Holy, Holy, Holy** – *Schubert*

SCRIPTURE:..... 1 Peter 1:13-16 (pg. 1887)

MESSAGE:..... **THE BATTLE FOR HOLINESS**

PRAYER OF APPLICATION

\*SONG: “O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee” *PsH #573:1-4*

OFFERING: *Ministry Opportunity Fund*

OFFERTORY

\*GOD’S BLESSING

\*DOXOLOGY: “Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty” *PsH #249:4*

\*POSTLUDE

*Dr. Bill Sytsma, Worship Leader; Erik DeVries, 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.

**NEXT SUNDAY, January 21**, we plan to commemorate the Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper. If you are unable to come to church & would like to receive communion in your home, please contact your district Elder this week.

**Sermon Notes**

Sermon Title: The Battle for Holiness

Sermon Text: 1 Peter 1:13-16

We can search for many \_\_\_\_\_ to be hopeful.

God's \_\_\_\_\_ is our source of hope.

Followers of Christ are called to \_\_\_\_\_.

We can be \_\_\_\_\_ by our passions.

We are in \_\_\_\_\_ of holiness.

## 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/Mark & Tina Hoeksema

**NURSERY: 9:30 AM**—Jill Boender & Jana Van Til

**AM & PM SOUND OPERATOR:** Craig Menninga/Brad Gossman

**AM POWER POINT OPERATOR:** Bonnie Ravesloot

**WELCOME CENTER:** Cathie Bennett

**COFFEE SERVERS:** Bill & Kathi Fulton

**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 4-2<sup>nd</sup> 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-4<sup>th</sup> 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** (5<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grades) meet in classrooms in the basement. **Grades 5-8 in Room 9; Grades 9-12 in the old nursery.**

**5:00 PM SERVICE:** "Big Dreams"; Genesis 37:1-11

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

**OUR CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY** is extended to **PASTOR BILL & HIS FAMILY** in the passing of his grandmother, Marcella Kikkert, on Tuesday, January 2. Funeral services were held on Saturday, January 6.

**PROFESSION OF FAITH:** On Wednesday, January 3, the Elders were pleased to hear **LILLY AREMENDARIZ** profess her faith in Christ. Lilly's public profession of faith will be scheduled at a morning worship service in the near future.

**NEW ADDRESS:** Sandra Porter, 2639 Georgetowne Dr., #A1, Highland, IN 46322

**BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:**

**Kathy Moes**—1/14; **Bob Moes (87)**—1/17

**June Baltes, Owen Ooms**—1/19

**P.J. & Vonda Wiltjer's 30<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary**—1/16

## NEW LIFE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

**CLOSING OUR DAY IN WORSHIP – 5:00 PM**

**January 14, 2018**

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PRELUDE

OPENING PRAYER

\*GOD'S GREETING

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

"God Himself Is with Us" *PsH #244:1-3*

"We Praise You, O God" *PsH #237:1-3*

"To God Be the Glory" *PsH #473:1-3*

\*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*

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost, as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.**

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

OFFERING: *Ministry Opportunity Fund*

OFFERTORY

\*SONG: "Guide Me, O My Great Redeemer" *PsH #543:1-3*

SCRIPTURE: .....Genesis 37:1-11 (pg. 60)

MESSAGE:..... **BIG DREAMS**

PRAYER

\*SONG: "Lead On, O King Eternal" *PsH #555:1-3*

\*GOD'S BLESSING

\*CLOSING SONG: "By the Sea of Crystal" *PsH #620:3*

**Unto God Almighty, sitting on the throne, and the Lamb victorious, be the praise alone. God has wrought salvation; he did wondrous things. Who shall not extol thee, holy King of kings!**

\*POSTLUDE

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