



NEWS & NOTES

Sunday, May 6, 2018



New Life Christian Reformed Church, Highland, Indiana

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEXT SUNDAY, May 13, 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.

MEMBER TO REMEMBER: This month's **Member to Remember** is **Roy Smith, 3440 164th Street, Hammond, IN 46323; (219) 989-9144.**

MEAL ASSISTANCE: Please contact Lori Mc Queary, at (219) 923-3711, if you need assistance with meals.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS will change slightly on Mondays for May 7, 14 & 21 (the office is closed May 28 for Memorial Day). The hours will be 8:30-2:00 pm.

THE CALL-IN PHONE LINES to listen to our AM worship services are no longer available. We are working on establishing a new service and we appreciate your patience. Don't forget that a CD of our service is available & you can call the church office to request one.

WAITING FOR GRACE, our new infertility support group, is looking for volunteers to make a light supper for their meetings and/or provide some baked goods. They meet the 2nd Thursday of each month and their season will be finished in May. If you are willing to help out this ministry or have questions, please contact Annie Mitchell at 219-201-7193.

LOVE INC GAP MINISTRY OF THE MONTH: The Gap Ministry for May is "Karing Kitchen", run by the First United Methodist Church of Griffith. They need pots, pans, microwaveable glass or ceramic, ceramic mugs, plastic drinkware, dishes, silverware, cooking utensils, crock pots, toasters. **No drinkware made from glass please.** Your donations can be placed in the Love INC bin that is located by our Welcome Center by **May 31.**

JAIL LETTER WRITING: For your convenience, cards are available in front of the church office—please pick one up and send it to an inmate this week: Jameelah Owens, 5D, Lake County Jail, 2293 N. Main Street, Crown Point, IN 46307; Alex Morund, XA-438, (same address). **Please note that envelopes must be white and no glitter on cards. Thank you!**

OUR CALENDAR

TUESDAY, MAY 8
STATE STREET LUNCH
6:00 AM—MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
6:30 PM—HANDBELLS

THURSDAY, MAY 10
9:15 AM—PRECEPTS
6:00 PM—WAITING FOR GRACE
6:30 PM—PRECEPTS

JAIL MINISTRY: Mon.-Thurs.-7 PM

STUDENT MINISTRIES

Junior High Student Ministries:

- **The final meeting** for this year is **Sunday, May 13**, at Faith-Highland, from **6-7:30 pm.**

Senior High Student Ministries:

- **Next meeting is TONIGHT, May 6**, at Faith-Highland, from **6-7:30 pm.**

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

HIGHLAND CHRISTIAN SCHOOL Annual Society Meeting will be held Monday, May 7 at 7:30 p.m. in the school gym. On the agenda will be the approval of three board nominees – Jason Smit, April Vander Meyden, and Gerritt Wieringa, and the approval of the 2018/2019 budget. The Society Meeting Agenda is available at www.highlandchristian.org and printed copies of the agenda and absentee ballots are available in the school office.

CHICAGOLAND PRISON OUTREACH BANQUET is being held on **Tuesday, May 15** at the Serbian Social Cent in Lansing, IL. **The reception starts at 6:30 pm with dinner being served at 7:00 pm.** If you are interested in attending, please **RSVP by May 7** to cpoministries@sbcglobal.net or call the office at 708-331-3301 so we can reserve a seat for you.

GROUNDWORK: THE FRUIT OF LOVE - Most of us desire and long for love in our lives, not just a romantic love, but a satisfying love. Join Groundwork as we study 1 John 4:7-11 to learn about a lasting love that satisfies our deepest needs, a fruit and gift of the Holy Spirit in the life of a Christian. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

NEXT SUNDAY, May 13, 2018

MORNING WORSHIP: "The Unforgiving Servant"; Matthew 18:23-35
Offering: Women's Center of Northwest Indiana

AFTERNOON WORSHIP: There will be no Afternoon Worship Service.

GREETERS: 9:30 AM—Arie & Yvonne Swets/Burt & Ardess Van Prooyen

NURSERY: 9:30 AM—Shelley Boender & Madeline Zandstra

AM SOUND OPERATOR: Ron DeYoung

AM POWER POINT OPERATOR: Lilly Armendariz

COFFEE SERVERS: Terry & Tamie Kuiper

COOKIE SERVER: Tamie Kuiper

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

shut-ins

Pearl Adams
Bea Breuker
Kathy Boender
Lois Johnston
Cindy Kuiper
Millie Meekma
Virginia Schoon
Sissy Siersema
Coralee VanAmstel
Rosemary Van Til

Special Needs

AJ Boender
Shirleen Brown
Sandy Corder
Corrine DeYoung
Keira Fennema
Bob & Irene Huizenga
Fred & Guelda Klooster
Bob Moes
Roy Smith
Marilyn Sodo
Ed & Sylvia Rudenga
Joey VanEck
Nola Witvliet

If you have a name that should be included or you would like your name removed, please contact the church office (838-0506).

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