



NEWS & NOTES



Sunday, November 4, 2018

New Life Christian Reformed Church, Highland, Indiana

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MEMBER TO REMEMBER: This month's **Members to Remember** are **Bill & Lori McQueary, 3135 Ridge Road, Highland, IN 46322; (219) 923-3711.**

MEAL ASSISTANCE: Please contact Ardess Van Prooyen, at (219) 365-9115, if you need assistance with meals.

COFFEE BREAK is again selling almond paste, \$7 per pound or \$55 for a 9 lb. tub. Please make payment to Jo Slifko, Judy Van Til, or our church secretaries. Checks should be made out to New Life CRC Coffee Break.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING: On **Monday, December 3**, our Congregation will meet at **7:00 p.m.** to vote on the proposed budget for 2019. Copies of the proposed budget will be in your mailboxes at church in the next few weeks. Once you review the budget, please contact your district deacon if you have any questions or comments.

THE WIDOW/WIDOWERS & COUNCIL BANQUET has been scheduled for **Friday, November 16, at 5:30 p.m.**, at Teibels. Invitations have been distributed. Please submit your reply **TODAY, November 4.**

OUR LOVE INC HEALTHCARE KITS: We need hairbrushes and Band-aids for the healthcare kits we give out thru Love INC. If you want to donate, please place your items in the cabinet across from the Council room.

WARMING SHELTER: The Warming Shelter Committee needs some new members. We need 1-2 men for serving at the shelter the **fourth Wednesday (5:30- 7:00 p.m.)** of each month. If you can help us, please contact Marlene Bush at 219-513-9570 or any other committee member. Thank you.

LOVE INC GAP MINISTRY: Love INC is asking participating churches to collect **NEW** underwear and socks for their winter distribution. Adult sizes are always needed for children, in addition to smaller sizes. All items must be new and in the package. Your donations can be placed in the Love INC bin that is located by our Welcome Center by **Sunday, December 2.** Love INC churches are also invited to adopt families during the month of November and December to help for the holidays. Additional information will be coming soon.

JAIL LETTER WRITING: Cards are now available in front of the church office. We encourage you to pick one up & sent it to an inmate this week: Adam Ferrell, XA-444, Lake County Jail, 2293 N. Main Street, Crown Point, IN 46307; Sandro Espinoza, XA-341, (same address). ***Please note that envelopes must be white and no glitter on cards. Thank you!***

OUR CALENDAR

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6

6:00 AM—MEN'S BIBLE STUDY
9:45 AM—COFFEE BREAK
6:30 PM—HANDBELL REHEARSAL
7:00 PM—COFFEE BREAK
7:30 PM—CHOIR REHEARSAL

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7

9:30 AM—WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY #2
6:30 PM—GEMS/CADETS SKATING PARTY
7:00 PM—COUNCIL

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8

9:15 AM—PRECEPTS
6:30 PM—PRECEPTS

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9

GEMS SLEEPOVER
Drop-Off will be Friday, November 9 at 5:15 p.m.
Pick-Up will be Saturday, November 10, at 8:00 a.m.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10

3:00-5:00 PM—CADET OPERATION
CHRISTMAS CHILD PACKING PARTY
AT HIGHLAND CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

JAIL MINISTRY: Mon.-Thurs.-7 PM

STUDENT MINISTRIES

Junior High Student Ministries:

• **Our next meeting is Sunday, November 11,** at Faith-Highland, from **6:00-7:30 p.m.**

Senior High Student Ministries:

• **Our next meeting is tonight, November 4,** at Faith-Highland, from **6:00-7:30 p.m.**

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

HEARTS IN MOTION: Jan (Scholten) Scheeringa is hosting a fundraiser shopping party at the HIM store this **Tuesday, November 6 from 4:30 to 7 pm.** She is celebrating her birthday and 25 years of working with HIM. Come to the resale shop at 2210 US 41, Schererville, IN to shop, snack, support a great mission cause, celebrate, and eat cake! There will be items for Christmas and coffee from Guatemala as well as all the items in the store. Please join us for fellowship and thanking God for this mission in Guatemala. To contact Jan call 616-889-1787.

CROWN POINT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL will be holding a **Waffle Breakfast** on **Saturday, November 17, from 7:30 AM - 10:30 AM** in the school gymnasium. Come and enjoy a delicious warm breakfast and great fellowship.

ILLIANA CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL: On **Saturday, November 17,** Illiana will hold a silent and live auction to benefit the athletic department and the tuition assistance fund. The **silent auction** will begin at **5:00 p.m.** and the **live auction** will begin at **5:30 p.m.** in gym. We will have great food, great fellowship and lots of great items to bid on. If you have any questions or would like to donate to the auction, please email ddeboer@illianaweb.org.

PREVIEW ILLIANA (OPEN HOUSE FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS & THEIR PARENTS): Discover what Illiana Christian has to offer at Preview Illiana on **Thursday, November 29 at 7:00 p.m.** Parents and students interested in learning more about Illiana are welcome. Meet with faculty and administration, tour the campus, attend informative sessions, and have all of your questions answered about Illiana. No pre-registration necessary. Call Director of Admissions, Marrie Limback at (219) 558-7066 ext. 49 for more information.

CROSSROADS COMMUNITY CHURCH: The very funny “Laugh Anyway Mom”, Tracy DeGraff, Christian author, speaker and comedian, will be performing at Crossroads Community Church (1538 Janice Drive, Schererville, IN) on **Thursday December 13 at 7:00 p.m.** This event makes for a great Christmas gift, date night, ladies’ night or a family fun night. Tickets can be purchased at www.aboutccc.com. Hope to see you there!

GROUNDWORK: I BELONG: COMPLETELY AND FOREVER - The Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 1 brings great comfort to many believers. Join Groundwork as we study Romans 14:1-12 and 1 Corinthians 6:19-20 to explore the scriptures that give us the confidence to say we belong body and soul in life and in death to our faithful Savior Jesus Christ. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork’s weekly emails for future episodes.

NEXT SUNDAY, November 11, 2018

MORNING WORSHIP: “The Deep Truth”; Deuteronomy 5:20
Offering: Ministry Opportunity Fund

AFTERNOON WORSHIP: “Clearing the Temple”; John 2:13-22
Offering: Ministry Opportunity Fund

GREETERS: 9:30 AM–Mark & Tina Hoeksema/Rich & Karen Hartmann

NURSERY: 9:30 AM–Kathy Moes/Madeline Zandstra

AM & PM SOUND OPERATOR: Jamie Kostelyk/Brad Gossman

AM POWER POINT OPERATOR: Bonnie Ravesloot

WELCOME CENTER: Christina Eenigenburg

COFFEE SERVERS: Terry & Tamie Kuiper

COOKIE SERVERS: Terry & Tamie Kuiper

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Pearl Adams
A.J. Boender
Kathy Boender
Bea Breuker
Sandy Corder
Jean Davids
Corrine DeYoung
Keira Fennema
Macy Glemby
Bob & Irene Huizenga
Lois Johnston
Guelda Klooster
Sam Kooistra
Cindy Kuiper
Lori McQueary
Millie Meekma
Bob Moes
Ed & Sylvia Rudenga
Virginia Schoon
Sissy Siersema
Roy Smith
Marilyn Sodo
Coralee VanAmstel
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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