



NEWS & NOTES



Sunday, January 27, 2019

New Life Christian Reformed Church, Highland, Indiana

ANNOUNCEMENTS

POWERPOINT OPERATOR: The Worship Committee is in need of one or more individuals that would be willing to serve as a PowerPoint Operator during our morning worship services. This commitment is to be on a rotating schedule every 5 weeks or more, depending on the number of volunteers. Training will be provided before you are added to the schedule. Please consider this ministry and contact Bonnie Ravesloot if you are interested.

CHURCH WIFI: Our church building had new WIFI installed throughout the building on all levels. Congregational members & guests are welcomed to connect if have a device you need to use. The network is called 'New Life Guest' and the password is 'zip46322'.

PRAISE TEAM PIANIST: Our Praise Team is looking for someone who would be willing to play the piano for them. If you are interested in being a part of this ministry, please contact Jamie Kostelyk (219-545-9788).

NURSERY: Adult helpers are needed in the nursery. Praise God that we have so many precious little ones in the Nursery! A few more adult hands would be helpful as we start scheduling two adults per Sunday instead of just one. See or call Jill Boender or Tina Hoeksema with questions or to join this ministry. Thanks!

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.

FREEZER MEAL DONATIONS: "Thank you to all who generously donated baked goods towards the Freezer Meal Ministry! Special thanks to Deb Abbring and her son-in-law, Jonathan (Thrivent Financial), who provided a generous donation to help purchase groceries for our cooking day! The freezer at church is completely stocked with fresh meals and baked goods! Please contact the Member Care Committee if you or someone you know is in need and can be blessed by some meals to help make a difficult time easier!"—The Freezer Meal Committee

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: Gabriel Pearson, XA-336, Lake County Jail, 2293 N. Main Street, Crown Point, IN 46307; Paul Beauchamp, XB-339 (same address). **Please note that envelopes must be white and no glitter on cards. Thank you!**

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

ILLIANA CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL has an opening for a **full-time custodian** to work the afternoon shift from 2:00 – 10:30 p.m. Position includes health insurance and other benefits. For more information, contact Duane Kamstra at (708) 474-0515 ext. 47 or duane.kamstra@illianachristian.org.

OUR CALENDAR

TUESDAY, JANUARY 29

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

THURSDAY, JANUARY 31

9:15 AM—PRECEPTS
6:30 PM—PRECEPTS

JAIL MINISTRY: Mon.-Thurs.-7 PM

STUDENT MINISTRIES

Junior High Student Ministries:

• **Our next meeting is tonight, January 27**, at Faith-Highland, from **6:00-7:30 p.m.**

Senior High Student Ministries:

• **Our next meeting is Sunday, February 3**, at Faith-Highland, from **6:00-7:30 p.m.**

Please join us for small group meetings on Thursday nights from 6:30 – 8:00 p.m. at the Munster Agape House which is located next to the Faith Munster Campus (1223 Ridge Road, Munster, IN 46321).

1st & 3rd Thursdays—Middle School

2nd & 4th Thursdays—High School

“HAVE A HEART FOR ELIM” BRUNCH will be held on **Thursday, February 14**, at Bethel CRC in Lansing, starting at **10:00 a.m.** Please join us for a delicious brunch, good fellowship and an inspiring program. A free-will offering will be taken. Please contact Judy Van Til or Shirley Zylstra to reserve a seat.

WOMEN’S RETREAT: Reserve **February 16** for the annual Women’s Retreat at Community Church in Roselawn, Indiana. Join us for an inspirational day centering around the promises offered in Isaiah 41:10. Author and speaker Michelle Medlock Adams will give us her insights on the topic, “Do Not Fear”. Breakfast, lunch, praise and worship included. Tickets are \$40.00. Check out our website at www.cccroselawn.com/womensretreat for more details.

GROUNDWORK: GROUNDWORK: UNDERSTANDING DEATH AND CHRIST’S RETURN - Many of us find the subject of death uncomfortable. It doesn’t need to be. Study 1 Thessalonians 4:13-5:11 with Groundwork to remember the hope we have and grasp the clarity Paul provides regarding a Christian understanding of death and why it relates directly to Christ’s return. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork’s weekly emails for future episodes.

NEXT SUNDAY, February 3, 2019

MORNING WORSHIP: “Is Christianity Too Narrow?”; Acts 4:1-21
Offering: Calvin College

AFTERNOON WORSHIP: “The Father and I Are One”; John 10:22-42
Offering: Ministry Opportunity Fund

GREETERS: 9:30 AM—Kevin & Carla Van Til/B. Gossman & J. Kostelyk

NURSERY: 9:30 AM—Deb Abbring/Hannah Kortum

AM & PM SOUND OPERATOR: Craig Menninga/Jamie Kostelyk

AM POWER POINT OPERATOR: Hallie Hofstra

WELCOME CENTER: Bob Wadkins

COFFEE SERVER: Beth Kortum

COOKIE SERVER: Kathy Moes

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
Gueda Klooster
Sam Kooistra
Cindy Kuiper
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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