

MORNING WORSHIP – 9:30 AM

PRELUDE: **Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing**-Thompson
The Last Spring-Grieg; **Bless This House**-Brahe

WELCOME

*GOD'S GREETING

*MUTUAL GREETING

*CALL TO WORSHIP (*responsive*)

*SONGS OF PRAISE:

“The Ends of All the Earth Shall Hear” *PsH #542:1-4*

“How Great Thou Art” *PsH #483:1*

“There’s No God as Great” *PsH #517:1*

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

Center leaders in the back during the last song]

SONG: “For the Beauty of the Earth” *TCH #793:1,3*

HANDBELL CHOIR: **All Creatures of Our God and King**-Stephenson

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*unison*)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

READING OF THE LAW (*responsive*)

SONG: “I Know Not Why God’s Wondrous Grace” *PsH #495:1-2*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

*SONG: “Teach Me, O Lord, Your Way of Truth” *PsH #276:1,3,5*

VIDEO PRESENTATION: **The Word on Heaven**

SCRIPTURE:.....Revelation 22:1-7 (pg. 1938)

MESSAGE:.....**AIGLATSON**

PRAYER OF APPLICATION

*SONG OF APPLICATION: “Love Divine, All Loves Excelling” *PsH #568:1-3*

OFFERING: *Women’s Center of Northwest Indiana*

OFFERTORY: (*Handbell Choir*)..... **Alleluia**-Mozart

*BENEDICTION

*DOXOLOGY: “This Is My Father’s World” *PsH #436:3*

*POSTLUDE

Dr. Bill Sytsma, Worship Leader; Bill DeYoung, 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.

Sermon Title: Aiglatsn

Sermon Text: Revelation 22:1-7

Current _____ can make us long for different times.

_____ is the longing for the past.

God's best plans have not yet been _____.

_____ is a longing for the future of heaven.

Revelation tells us of a _____ future.

Traits of our Future Hope:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

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–Kevin & Carla Van Til/B. Gossman/Jamie Kostelyk

NURSERY: 9:30 AM–Kelly-Sue Stone/Jill Boender/Matt Fulton

AM SOUND OPERATOR: Jamie Kostelyk

AM POWER POINT OPERATOR: Bonnie Ravesloot

COFFEE SERVER: Jamie Kostelyk

COOKIE SERVER: Karen Hartmann

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 years old-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. *(Please note that today is the last week for Son-Catchers. Classes will resume in the fall.)*

5:00 PM SERVICE: There will be no afternoon service.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

SOPHIA O'REILLY is scheduled to have a permanent feeding tube inserted on Thursday, May 16, at Riley Children's Hospital. Please pray that the procedure will go well & that the parents can adjust to this change in her care.

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK:

Matt Johnson–5/12

Jessica Leep, Jacylin Sitter–5/13

Macy Glemby, Andrew Sitter, Bob Wadkins–5/14

Sheila Wadkins–5/16

Hank Otte (80), Ed Rudenga (95)–5/17

EXPRESSION OF THANKS: "A note of gratitude for the prayers, visits, cards, flowers & words of encouragement for both my 93rd birthday and the emergency visit to the hospital. My recovery is beyond my expectation & I'm back at Village Woods. Praise God from whom all blessings flow!"

–Jean Davids