
MORNING WORSHIP – 9:30 AM

PRELUDE

WELCOME

*CALL TO WORSHIP *(responsive)*

*GOD'S GREETING *(responsive)*

*MUTUAL GREETING

*SONGS OF PRAISE:

"In My Heart There Rings a Melody" TCH #502:1-3

"He Touched Me" TCH #505:1-2

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

SONG: *"The Solid Rock" TCH #526:1,2,4*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

*SONG: *"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" TCH #575:1-3*

SCRIPTURE:.....James 1 (pg. 1880)

MESSAGE:.....**TESTS**

PRAYER OF APPLICATION

PREPARATORY FOR THE LORD'S SUPPER *(responsive)*

*SONG: *"Apostles' Creed" (sung to the tune of PsH #146)*

OFFERING: *Ben & Amy Meyer*

OFFERTORY

*BLESSING

*DOXOLOGY: *"O Christ, Our Hope, Our Heart's Desire" PsH #485:1,4*

*POSTLUDE

Dr. Kent Van Til, 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.

THIS MORNING we welcome **Dr. Kent Van Til** and thank him for leading our worship. Dr. Van Til is a pastor in the CRC, former missionary, and currently is teaching at Hope College in Michigan.

NEXT SUNDAY, July 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 Title: Tests

Sermon Text: James 1

A TEST ABOUT TESTS

1. Are you a good test taker?
2. Why do we need tests?
3. Why are Christians tested?
4. What are the sources for Christians' tests?
5. Does God test, or tempt?
6. What makes Christians good test takers?
7. What happens if/when we pass the test?

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–Bill & Kathi Fulton/John & Jill Boender

NURSERY: 9:30 AM–Kathy Moes/Shelly Ketelaar/Hannah Kortum

AM SOUND OPERATOR: Brad Gossman

AM POWER POINT OPERATOR: Cameron Zandstra

WELCOME CENTER: Bill & Jan Stammis

COFFEE SERVERS: Mark & Tina Hoeksema

COOKIE SERVER: Tina Hoeksema

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 Worship) & EDUCATION CLASSES have concluded for the season. They will resume in September.

5:00 PM SERVICE: There is no PM worship service today.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Jeff Boender–7/14

Tina Hoeksema, Nancy Leep–7/15

Lily Everson–7/16

Jonathan Sitter, Ben Van Til–7/18