

MORNING WORSHIP – 9:30 AM

PRELUDE: **Trumpet Tune on "Duke St."** – *Thompson*

Oblation – *Rasley: Thou Art My Rock* – *Mueller*

CHOIR: **Come, Christians, Join to Sing** – *Shaw*

WELCOME

*GOD'S GREETING

*MUTUAL GREETING

*CALL TO WORSHIP (*responsive*)

*SONGS OF PRAISE:

 "Holy, Holy, Holy" *PsH #249:1-4*

 "Shout to the Lord"

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

Center leaders in the back during the last song]

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

WORSHIP CENTER DISMISSAL

SONG: "I Love You Lord" *TCH #78*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*responsive*)

SONG: "Remember Not, O God" *PsH #254:1-3*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

CHOIR: **What the Lord Has Done In Me** – *Morgan*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE: Jeremiah 29:1-7 (pg. 1221)

MESSAGE: **COPE**

PRAYER OF APPLICATION

*SONG: "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" *PsH #556:1-3*

OFFERING: *Ministry Opportunity Fund*

OFFERTORY: **Cast Thy Burden** from Elijah - *Mendelssohn*

*GOD'S BLESSING

*DOXOLOGY: "Now Blessed Be the Lord Our God" *PsH #630:1-2*

*POSTLUDE: **His Kingdom Is Forever** - *Wilson*

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.

THIS MORNING we will witness the Sacrament of Baptism for **ELLA HOPE VAN TIL**, daughter of **DOUG & AMANDA VAN TIL**.

Sermon Notes

Sermon Title: Cope

Sermon Text: Jeremiah 29:1-7

The _____ of sin has created a new situation.

People can endure and emerge _____ from traumatic circumstances.

God's people are called to His work regardless of their _____.

Despair should not keep us from living
_____.

God's faithfulness can give us the strength to _____.

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—Arie & Yvonne Swets/Rod & Jeana Otte

NURSERY: 9:30 AM—Shelley Boender/Jill Boender/Makayla Hoeksema

AM & PM SOUND OPERATOR: Ron DeYoung/Jamie Kostelyk

AM POWER POINT OPERATOR: Cameron Zandstra

WELCOME CENTER: Bill & Jan Stammis

ROVING ELDER: Roger Yonkman

COFFEE SERVERS: Tim & Mary Brummel; **COOKIE SERVER:** Kathy Moes

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.
- **CATECHISM CLASSES** (5th-12th grades) meet in the basement. **Grades 5-8 in the GEMS room; Grades 9-12 in the old nursery.**

BIBLE PROJECT: Tonight, we will be changing the format for our Sunday evening service. We will begin at 5:00 p.m. with a time of singing & prayer. We will then turn to scripture for a time of study as a group. Our study this fall will be focused on the first 5 books of the Old Testament. Please bring your questions & plan to join us for this effort to grow in our understanding of God's Word. **Tonight's study is "Foundations"; Genesis 1-11.**

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

TRUNK OR TREAT STILL NEEDS 7 OR MORE CARS: As we plan for Trunk or Treat this year, we have a major need. Before we plan for this year, we need to know how many members are willing to provide a car for the evening. **If you are willing to volunteer your car this year, there is a sign-up sheet on the table in back of church. Please sign up today to enable the Outreach Team to continue planning.** You do not have to decorate your car or provide all your own candy. Perhaps you have a friend or relative willing to participate. Thanks for your willingness to help. **—Your Outreach Team**

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES THIS WEEK

Corrine DeYoung (79), Nick Stone—9/23

Sharon VanderWoude—9/25; Desiree Timmons—9/26

Justine Hines—9/27; Blakely Johnson, Emily & Steven Otte—9/28

EXPRESSION OF THANKS: "Thank you to all who supported us with your financial contributions and prayers as we walked to raise money to help children, like our granddaughter, Keira, who have mitochondrial disease. We had a great day and we are thankful to all who remembered us."

—Terry & Tamie Kuiper

Bible Project: "Foundations"

Date: September 22, 2019

Text: Genesis 1-11

Singing:

#370:1,3,4 (CH) "Rejoice, the Lord is King"

#329:1,2,4 (CH) "There Is Power in the Blood"

#342:1-3 (CH) "Rock of Ages"

#444:1,3,4 (CH) "I Love to Tell the Story"

Video: Genesis

Prayer

Study: "Foundations" Genesis 1-11

The Creation Story

The Effects of Sin

The Flood

The Tower of Babel