



# NEWS & NOTES



## Sunday, February 9, 2020

### New Life Christian Reformed Church, Highland, Indiana

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**MEMBER TO REMEMBER:** This month's **Member to Remember** is **Ed Rudenga, 401 East US 30, Apartment 244, Schererville, IN 46375; (219) 440-7837.**

**WORSHIP CDS & SERMONS:** Our worship services are recorded each week. If you would like a copy of any service, please contact the church office. If you miss a service & would like to listen to that week's sermon, check out our website at [www.newlifecrc.com](http://www.newlifecrc.com) and select the 'Sermons' tab, the week you need & then click on 'Listen to the Sermon'.

**OUR LOVE INC HEALTHCARE KITS** supply is in need of more regular size toothpaste. Please place your donations in the cabinet in the west hall, across from the Council room.

**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: Allan Blackman, XB-430, Lake County Jail, 2293 N. Main Street, Crown Point, IN 46307; Fred Greene, XA-347 (same address). ***Please note that envelopes must be white and no glitter on cards. Thank you!***

#### REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PASS OFFERS HOPE & HEALING PROGRAM:** Are you able to identify with depression, miscarriage, regret, abortion, divorce, abuse, loneliness, low self-worth, or loss of a loved one? You are not alone. There is a time for hope and healing. PASS is offering small group sessions for any man or woman who is struggling with unspoken or unresolved hurt. The next 12-week group session will be held **February 3 - April 27, 2020**. If interested in attending, please contact Susan Wilson, PASS Director of Operations, at [susan@passhelps.org](mailto:susan@passhelps.org) or 708-614-9777 ext. 120.

**"HAVE A HEART FOR ELIM" BRUNCH** will be held on **Thursday, February 13**, at Bethel CRC in Lansing, starting at **10:00 a.m.** Come and enjoy delicious food, great fellowship and learn more about Elim's mission. If interested in attending, please contact Judy Van Til (219) 661-9921 by **February 10**.

**HIGHLAND CHRISTIAN PARENT PREVIEW DAY** will be held on **Friday, February 21, 1:30-3:00 pm**. While spiritual nurture begins at home, schooling is one of the top three influences in a child's developing belief structure. Come see how Highland Christian School partners with Christian parents to support their child's academic and spiritual growth at our **Parent Preview Event**. During this event you will see classrooms in action, tour our campus and learn more about the exciting journey that awaits your child at Highland Christian School. A second event will be held on March 13 (1:30-3:00pm). Please RSVP with Jodi Lineburg at (219) 838-0356 x165 or [jlineburg@highlandchristian.org](mailto:jlineburg@highlandchristian.org).

#### OUR CALENDAR

##### **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11**

STATE STREET LUNCH

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, FEBRUARY 12**

6:30 PM-GEMS CRAFT NIGHT

6:30 PM-CADET MEETING

##### **THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13**

9:15 AM-PRECEPTS

7:00 PM-PRECEPTS (WOMEN)

**JAIL MINISTRY:** Mon.-Thurs.-7 PM

#### STUDENT MINISTRIES

##### **Junior High Student Ministries:**

- We will be meeting **every Monday from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.** at Faith-Highland.

##### **Senior High Student Ministries:**

- We will be meeting **every Sunday from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.** at Faith-Highland.
- ***There will be a combined Junior and Senior High VIP -Valentine's Day Party tonight, February 9 from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. at Faith-Highland. There will be no meeting on Monday, February 10.***

**CROWN POINT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL** invites you to join us at the annual CPCS Auction on **Saturday, February 29 from 4:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.** in the school gymnasium. Come and check out the great items which will be up for bid that evening and enjoy the fun fellowship while supporting Christian education.

**CROWN POINT CHRISTIAN SCHOOL** invites families to join us on **Monday, March 2 at 6:30 p.m.** for our PreK through 5th grade preview night. This will be an exciting evening for parents & prospective students to learn about and experience CPCS. We will have giveaways for each family attending. Pre-registration is available at [www.crownpointchristian.org](http://www.crownpointchristian.org).

**HIGHLAND CHRISTIAN SCHOOL'S PTO** invites you to a "**Little Italy**" catered dinner on **Tuesday, March 3, from 5-7 pm.** Free-will donations will be taken at the door. Proceeds will be used to purchase "School Safety Emergency Go Bags" for each classroom and school mascot. We'll see you there!

**PREVIEW ILLIANA CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL:** (OPEN HOUSE FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS AND THEIR PARENTS). Discover what Illiana Christian has to offer at Preview Illiana on **Tuesday, March 3 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, Marie Limback, at (219) 558-7066 ext. 49 for more information.

**HCS KINDERGARTEN READINESS DAY:** Is your child a soon to be "Husky Pup"? Highland Christian School invites prospective kindergarten students for **Kindergarten Readiness Day on Wednesday, March 11.** This screening provides parents with helpful information regarding their child's preparedness for school and is a required step in our application process. Register online at ([www.highlandchristian.org](http://www.highlandchristian.org)) or by calling the Office at (219) 838-0356.

**GROUNDWORK:** JESUS TAUGHT - The Gospels repeatedly tell us it was his teaching that amazed people. Join Groundwork as we study the content and style of Jesus' teaching in Mark 1:21-28, Matthew 5, and Matthew 7:24-28 to allow his teaching to deepen our faith and influence how we engage in Bible studies and ministry today. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

## NEXT SUNDAY, February 16, 2020

**MORNING WORSHIP:** "Blessed are the Peacemakers"; Matthew 5:9  
Offering: Ministry Opportunity Fund

**EVENING SERVICE:** "Battles with the Canaanites"; Joshua 6-12

**GREETERS:** 9:30 AM—Larry & Kathy Moes/Moses & Claudia Martinez

**NURSERY:** 9:30 AM—Tina Hoeksema/Tiffany Ketelaar

**AM & PM SOUND OPERATOR:** Craig Menninga/Paul Armendariz

**AM POWER POINT OPERATOR:** Hallie Hofstra

**WELCOME CENTER:** Cathie Bennett

**ROVING ELDER:** Roger Yonkman

**COFFEE & COOKIE SERVERS:** Tim & Deb Abbring

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Pearl Adams  
A.J. Boender  
Kathy Boender  
Sandy Corder  
Jean Davids  
Corrine DeYoung  
Keira Fennema  
Macy Glemby  
Marilyn Gossman  
Bob & Irene Huizenga  
Lois Johnston  
Gelda Klooster  
Sam Kooistra  
Cindy Kuiper  
Millie Meekma  
Bob Moes  
Ed Rudenga  
Sissy Siersema  
Roy Smith  
Marilyn Sodo  
Coralee VanAmstel  
Joey VanEck  
Nola Witvliet  
Shirley Zylstra

*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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