MORNING WORSHIP – 9:30 AM

PRELUDE

WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

*GOD'S GREETING

*MUTUAL GREETING

*SONGS OF PRAISE:

"Creator Spirit, by Whose Aid" v. 1-3

"Lead On, O King Eternal" v. 1-3

{Children 4 years old - 2nd grade are invited to join the Worship Center Leaders in the back during the last song}

PREPARATION FOR THE LORD'S SUPPER: (responsive)

SONG: "Blesses Assurance: Jesus Is Mine" v. 1-3

MOMENT FOR MISSIONS

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE:......Mark 8:34-35 (pg. 1567)

MESSAGE:.....THE WAY OF THE CROSS

PRAYER OF APPLICATION

*SONG: "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" TCH #320:1,3,4

*PARTING BLESSING

*CLOSING SONG: "He Is Lord" PsH #633

*RETIRING OFFERING: Central Asian Ministries

*POSTLUDE

PsH=Psalter Hymnal (grey); TCH=The Celebration Hymnal (red)
*If you are able, please stand

WELCOME to New Life Christian Reformed Church! We are glad you are here today! If you are a guest, please enjoy some coffee and fellowship after the morning service. We pray you will be blessed as you worship with us, and that you experience the love of Christ among His people.

NEXT SUNDAY, November 20, we plan to commemorate the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. If you will be worshipping with us via livestream, please plan to prepare bread and juice so that you can join us in the commemoration of Christ's sacrifice.

SERMON TITLE: The Way of the Cross

SERMON TEXT: Mark 8:34-35

I. What is it that we want?

II. What is it that God wants?

III. What are sources of suffering today?

IV. Is it so hard to live as children of God?

V. So how shall we then live as followers of the "Way of the Cross"?

OPPORTUNITIES FOR TODAY

GREETERS: Jeff Boender/Chad & Anneke Eenigenburg/Chris Porter

NURSERY: Bree Ooms/Jace Ooms **SOUND OPERATOR:** Paul Armendariz

POWERPOINT OPERATOR: Lilly Armendariz

ROVING ELDER: Herb Sitter

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.

<u>WORSHIP CENTER</u>: Children's Church (4 years old - 2nd grade), located in the east wing, Room 3. Teachers will escort children during the morning worship service (see order of worship).

Please note that there will be no Education Classes today.

They will resume next week.

POTLUCK: Please join us today in the basement after the morning service for a potluck dinner. Please join us even if you did not sign up!

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

O'REILLY & MADYSEN TUEL in the passing of Kelly's mother, Linda Rosenski.

BIRTHDAYS FOR THIS WEEK:

Jan Stammis-11/13 Matthew Fulton-11/4 Jana Van Til-11/16 Melanie Vande Kamp-11/19

EXPRESSION OF THANKS: "Kris and I would like to thank the congregation of New Life for the many cards and well wishes I have received throughout my many months of medical problems. We know and understand that we have a long road ahead, and we know that God will be there to guide us through it. With the support of this church and the love of God in our lives, all things are possible. Also, I would like to thank Pastor Bill for his support and guidance." **-Kris & B.J. Zandstra**