MORNING WORSHIP – 9:30 AM

PRELUDE

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER

*GOD'S GREETING

*MUTUAL GREETING

*SONGS OF PRAISE: (led by the Praise Team)

"Sing to the King"

"I Give You My Heart"

"Hymn of Heaven"

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

CALL TO HOLY LIVING

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

SONG OF CONFESSION: "In Christ Alone" v. 1-4

DEACON'S PRAYER

OFFERING: Ministry Opportunity Fund

OFFERTORY:Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE: Matthew 5:5 (pg. 1501)

MESSAGE: KINGDOM EXAMINATION: NO WIMPS ALLOWED

PRAYER OF APPLICATION

*SONG: "I Know Not Why God's Wondrous Grace" PsH #495:1,2,4

*PARTING BLESSING

*CLOSING SONG: "Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty" PsH #249:4

*POSTLUDE

Rev. Cal Aardsma, Worship Leader; Phyllis Leegwater, Organist 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.

THIS MORNING, we welcome **REV. CAL AARDSMA** and thank him for leading our morning worship service.

SERMON NOTES

SERMON TITLE: Kingdom Examination: No Wimps Allowed

SERMON TEXT: Matthew 5:5

What do you think of when you hear MEEK?

King Jesus Calls Us to be Meek...

Meek does NOT equal weak

Moses and Jesus were Meek

Meek = Power under Control

Power under God's Control

Psalm 37 - Commit your way to the Lord

...And Promises His Blessing

Meekness Self-Examination

Have I committed my life to Jesus?

Is my life under control?

Am I dependable, reliable, and healing?

Am I developing my skills and talents?

Have I surrendered my abilities to God and am I living out His Kingdom purposes?

<u>OPPORTUNITIES FOR TODAY</u>

GREETERS: Tim Piatek/Chris Porter/Herb Sitter **NURSERY**: Cathie Bennett/Annette Marshall

SOUND OPERATOR: Craig Menninga

POWERPOINT OPERATOR: Jackson Armendariz

ROVING ELDER: Herb Sitter

DEACON'S PRAYER: Erik De Vries

COFFEE & COOKIE SERVERS: John & Jill Boender

NURSERY CARE is available during our morning worship service for newborn - 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 (4 years old - 2nd grade) meets in Room 3. Teachers will escort children there during the morning worship service (see order of worship).

EDUCATION HOUR: 10:45 - 11:45 AM

- SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS (3rd 8th grade) meets in Room 4.
- <u>SENIOR CATECHISM CLASS</u> (9th 12th grade) meets in the old nursery (basement).
- ADULT EDUCATION CLASS meets in the Fireside Room.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES FOR THIS WEEK:

Tim Brummel, Phyllis Leegwater (80)–11/6 Kendra De Vries–11/8 A.J. Boender–11/11

EXPRESSION OF THANKS: "Thank you very much to everyone who participated and donated to our Trunk or Treat Event! We had a successful evening, and your help was greatly appreciated!" **-Mission Outreach Team**