

CORNERSTONE UNITED REFORMED CHURCH

Bulletin Announcements for July 23, 2017

Today, our morning worship service will be conducted by **Rev. Steven Poelman**, our missionary in India, and our evening worship service will be conducted by **Rev. Mark Kelderman** from Puritan Reformed Theological Seminary.

The AM Offering today is for the **Mission Fund** – for the support of 7 missionaries throughout the world.

The PM Offering today is for **New Horizon URC** – a church plant in Toronto, Canada, where they are in a community of mixed ethnic and Canadian Christians adhering to the historic Reformed Protestant faith. Pastor Mitchell Persaud was sent to Toronto as a church planter and evangelist in 1997. They are now a mission work under the oversight of Cornerstone United Reformed Church in London, Ontario.

Next week's AM Offering is for the **Building Fund** – The Building Fund collection helps pay for the minor and major repairs for our church building. There have been several larger repairs over the past year and we project more repairs in the next several years. The collections will go towards those repairs with excess collection funding a capital reserve for future needs.

Next week's PM Offering is for **Pregnancy Resource Center** – The PRC was “born on the sidewalk” in July 1985. It is a grassroots organization, created by ordinary people with extraordinary passion – people who love God and love people of all sizes, colors, and nations. PRC's mission is Living the truth that people matter to God. The services that PRC offer are Willing to Wait – Abstinence Education, Pregnancy & Medical Services and Family Support Services. In all they do, the staff and volunteers of the PRC seek to share the life-changing message of Jesus Christ. PRC has two locations: Grand Rapids on Cherry Street, and Wyoming on 28th Street.

Missionary of the Month: **Pastor Moses and Hepsiba Gurrana** serve the Lord in India. If you would like to send them a note of encouragement, their direct address is: **G Moses, Christ Covenant Reformed Assembly, Feelam Vari Savaram, Ramachandra Puram, E.G. District, Pin code 533255, Andhra Pradesh, India**; or email them at mosescra@gmail.com.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

LOST & FOUND ~ Please check the table **under Bulletin Board #2** for any items that may belong to you. We have sorted the church's **silverware** and have found many miscellaneous pieces which are also on the table—many of these are serving pieces. **Also**, on this table is a Bible belonging to **Kenneth Gunneson**. If you know him, please pick it up and return it to him. **THANK YOU!**

The Adult Bible Class will meet in the Youth Room after the morning worship service. **Please join us!**

Early Risers meet on Wednesday mornings at 6:30 AM at the Rainbow Grill in Hudsonville. **All men and women, young and old, are welcome and encouraged to join us!**

Praise Choir is looking for a new director and pianist for the upcoming season. It meets on Family Nights from 5:00-5:45 PM. If you are interested, please contact Jim Dykstra.

LADIES (Junior high age and up) YOU'RE INVITED ~ Mark your calendar for **Thursday, August 17**, at 7:00 PM here at church!!! We are having a baby shower for Stephanie Bratt, to celebrate and love on her and the sweet **BABY BOY** growing in her womb. If you'd like to contribute for a group gift, please contact Tanya Sterk (616.307.2111). Please don't miss this special evening of fellowship and excitement for this new mama! It's a blessing to be a part of the Cornerstone family, so let's show this new family how much we love and care, and welcome this little babe with open and loving arms! There will be sign-up sheets to RSVP and volunteer for desserts coming soon! Please join us!!

The IRBC Basic Training Course in Biblical Counseling will begin in September. You are encouraged to go to www.reformedbiblicalcounseling.org to read about and register for this course which will equip you to more effectively bring God's truth to bear upon common issues with which people struggle. Don't delay, register today! Registration forms are also available on the narthex table.

THIS WEEK AT CORNERSTONE

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship Service
	11:00 AM	Adult Bible Study (Downstairs)
	4:30 PM	Men at Prayer
	5:20 PM	Song Service
	5:30 PM	Evening Worship Service
	7:00 PM	Post-High School Young Adult Group
	Wednesday	6:30 AM
	7:00 PM	Young Adult Bible Study
Thursday	6:30 PM	VBS at Presidential Estates

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

- Offerings:** **July 23 AM:** Mission Fund **PM:** New Horizon URC Church Plant
July 30 AM: Building Fund **PM:** Pregnancy Resource Center
- Coffee:** **July 23** – Larry & Carol Huttinga
July 30 – Paul & Gail Steenwyk
- Greeters:** **July 23 AM:** John & Anne Holmlund
PM: Mike & Amanda Hodges
July 30 AM: Glenn & Kathy Hop
PM: Steve & Jacqueline Hordyk
- Host Family:** **July 23:** Dan & Lori De Vries
July 30: Dan & Amanda Deppe
- Nursery Today:** **July 23 AM:** Karen & Leighann Sterk, Amber Vander Kolk
PM: Eliza Pettit, Pam Lengkeek, Peyton Schuiteman
- Nursery Check Today:** Laura Batts
- Nursery Next Week:** **July 30 AM:** Ellen Leighliter, Becky MacGraw, Kaylee Hoekman
PM: Lynnae Doll, Corinne Vander Wood, Laine Carbone
- Nursery Check Next Week:** Judy De Witt
- Security:** **July 23 AM:** Nicholas Vos, Eric Stuive
PM: Bob Warsen, Patrick Carbone
July 30 AM: Matt Kamps, Chad Spoelma
PM: Kevin Leighliter, Jason Vander Wey
- Sound:** **July 23** – Bob Hulst **July 30** – Dan Bratt
- Ushers:** **July AM:** Ed Spoelma, Zach Start, Paul Steenwyk, Bruce Sterk
PM: Eric Stuive, Alexander Stuive, Elijah Stuive, Malachi Stuive
August AM: Mitchell Stuive, Andrew Tanis, Ben Tjapkes, Henry Vander Wey
PM: Jim Van Beek, Tom Van Dyk, Randy Vander Kolk, Trent Vander Kolk

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Hudsonville Christian's Kids' Corner Child Care Program** is looking for additional staff for the After School Care program, during the hours of 2:30/3:00 PM - 6:00 PM, Monday-Friday beginning in August for the 2017-2018 school year. Applicants must be at least 18 years old to apply. Please contact Gina VanWoerkom at gvanwoerkom@4hcs.org if you are interested in this position.
- **Jenison Christian School** is seeking a nightly facilities assistant for 3 hours each evening to clean portions of the school and meet rental group needs. This may include some Saturday rentals between the hours of noon and 8:00 PM. If interested, please send an email requesting an application from Executive Assistant, Liz Wiersema (lwiersema@jenisonchristian.org).
- **Unity Christian High School** is seeking licensed bus drivers to assist in occasional routes and after school/evening sports team transportation. If you are licensed or would like to pursue licensing through Unity, contact Doug VanderPloeg, at dvanderploeg@unitychristian.org or 669-1820.
- **Zion Christian School** is hiring several positions for the upcoming school year. Teachers, Coaches and Bus Drivers, please see our website for more information, www.zionchristian.net.

MISCELLANEOUS REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **A Light For The Nations: Retreat with a Reason** – You can make an eternal difference in the lives of people in Africa by taking part in a special retreat on **Thursday, September 7**, at Friendship CRC in Byron Center. The featured speaker will be Kendra Smiley, who hosts a daily radio show, *Live Life Intentionally*. There will also be an evening banquet and a piano and vocal concert by Scott Griffin from Captivating Keyboards and Burt Kettinger from Moody Radio. This event is for both women and men, and there are pricing options for all or portions of the retreat. A special offering will be taken to provide Bibles to Africa. A brochure is posted on Bulletin Board #3. For more information and/or a registration form contact Von Gras at 772-1093. **Deadline for registration is Friday, August 7.** (Hosted by Bible League International Volunteers).
- **Right to Life of Holland Area** is looking for a **part-time Administrative Assistant** for 12 hours a week; (days/times negotiable) to assist the Executive Director in daily operations and special events. If interested, please send a resume to: Right to Life of Holland Area, Attention: Ann Wilson, 607 Heritage Court, Holland, MI 49423. Deadline is July 20 by Noon.
- **Is there a precious baby in your family** who is 24 months old or younger on or before August 26, 2017? Enter a photo of your little one in **RTLHA Precious Baby Contest**. Photo entries are from July 1-28 and **voting begins ONLINE August 7** and continues through **August 26 at 9:30 PM**. You can also vote at the RTLHA booth at the Hudsonville Community Fair, August 21-16; \$1.00 = 1 Vote. To submit photos and vote, go to www.rtlhofholland.org and click on the Precious Baby Contest link. Questions? Call Ann or Betty at 616-396-1037.
- **BE SURE TO COME HUNGRY** ~ Come join **Jehovah Jireh Ministries** at the Big Boy Restaurant on Wilson Ave between 4:00 – 8:00 PM on **Thursday, August 10**. All 100% of the profits from your purchase will go to JJM. All you need is a copy of the Big Boy flier, which can you can find on our website, Facebook at JJM, on Bulletin Board #3, or we'll give you one when you arrive at the restaurant. See you there! Any questions, contact Jim Herrema at (616) 209-7688 / 437-0960.

ELDER & DEACON DISTRICTS FOR 2017-2018

ELDERS

20 Lee De Witt, Vice-Clerk
18 Doug Ulberg
20 Jim Horjus
19 Jeff Berens

Elder Districts

Rev. J. Admiraal – P. Brower
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M. Decker – S. Dykstra
M. Eefsting – L. Holthof

18 Mark De Jong, Chairman
19 Bruce Nelson
19 Tom Van Dyken, Clerk
20 Jim Dykstra
18 Bob Warsen
18 John Koning
19 Walt Decker
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DEACONS

18 Jayson Alsum, Vice-Chairman
19 Jason Sterk, Benevolent Treasurer
18 Jon Knott
18 Steve Johnson, Chairman
19 Steve Vander Wall
20 Gary Veldhof, Secretary
19 Keith Schuiteman
20 Chad Spoelma

B. Hop – S. Johnson
H. Jolman – P. Kuiper
D. Landheer – G. Nuiver
J. Nysse – J. Schrier
K. Schuiteman – W. Sterk
E. Stuive – P. Van Dyke
T. VanDyken – G. Veldhof
W. Veltema – B. Zwart

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E. Stuive – E. Vander Sloot
S. Vander Wall – B. Zwart