



HighLites

March 26, 2017

Calendar for the Week

- Today**
- Choir Practice, 8:15 a.m.
 - Morning Worship with Pastor Kevin, 9:30 a.m.
 - Sunday School, 10:50 a.m.
 - Journey High Youth Group, 5:30 p.m.
 - Small Groups, 5:30 p.m.
- Wednesday**
- Prayer Group, 9:30 a.m.
 - Final Mid-week Gathering! Baseball Night!
5:30 - Dinner
 - Journey Mid, 6:15 p.m.
 - Search Team Meeting, 6 p.m.
- Next Sunday**
- Choir practice, 8:15 a.m.
 - Morning Worship with Pastor Art, 9:30 a.m.
 - Communion
 - Mortgage Retirement Offering
 - Sunday School, 10:50 a.m.
 - Evening Worship with Rev. Dave Armstrong, 5:30 p.m.
 - Journey High Youth Group, 5:30 p.m.
- Coming Up**
- Search Team Meeting, 4/4 at 5:30 p.m.
 - Elder Meeting, 4/4 at 7 p.m.

Prayers & Praises

Don DeWolf has been moved to Borgess Gardens and can receive visitors starting today (Sunday). He was hospitalized earlier this week with the flu and congestive heart failure. Pray for healing and strength.

Angie (Chris) Walker, one of our missionaries with New Tribes Mission, suffered a medical emergency in "the bush" which required traveling to a town where care is such that, if surgery were needed, she would have to travel to the capital, and if a blood transfusion were needed, she would have to be flown to Australia. Please be in prayer for both Angie and Chris as they navigate healing and travel.

Del Fraaza was scheduled for a heart valve replacement this past Monday, but it's being rescheduled.

Fred Gould's knee surgery went well. Pray for a quick recovery and full healing!

Continued prayers for: Arlene Doot, Linda DeGraaff, Laura Rozek, June Schaap, Ron Stolk, Irene Fraaza, Mary Kornoelje, Julie Bos, Terry Block, Pat Block, Jim Loedeman, Helen Roglic, Sarah Bradford, Chuck Harmon, Becky Nap, Jerry Waalkes, Dave Collison, Gideon Schripsema.

Volunteers

Greeters

N: Andrew & Kris Poth
S: Mike & Stephanie Klepser

Greeters Next Week

N: Steve & Amy Vlietstra
S: Jeff & Heather Offringa

Ushers

Denny Collison, Ken Larsen,
Tom Musk, Rob VanderWeele

Elder Greeters

Angie Vreeman, Shauna Collison,
Ed Moore, Rick Wielopolski

Nursery

Mary VanderStelt

Nursery Next Week

Kenna Durian & Jenelle Poth

Children and Worship

Donna Harmon

C & W Next Week

Angie Vreeman

Giving Report for: 3/19

General/Mission Fund

Received

\$ 3,952.00

Budgeted

\$ 5,507.57

Mortgage Retirement

Received for the Week

\$ 327.00

Needed for Next Payment

(April 15)

\$ 3,919.35

Monthly Payment

\$ 5,468.85



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Announcements

EASTER FLOWER SALE: Easter flowers will be sold TODAY and next Sunday in the Fellowship Hall after worship. You may purchase one in honor or in memory of a loved one. There will be lilies, daffodils and tulips (sorry, no choice in color). All flowers are \$7.00 and payment is needed at the time of the order. Checks can be made payable to Hope Church, Memo: Easter Flowers.

Our annual Hope Cadets Derby Race is this Wednesday during our final mid-week gathering. Since there are only a few cars this year, anyone who has a derby car is invited to bring it and race with the cadets! It is also "Baseball Night!" Sport your favorite team's gear! Make sure you turn in your meal slip to join in on the fun!

ADDRESS UPDATE: Marv and Carol Block have changed apartments and are now in Apt. 128, they continue to be at the same address. Please update your church directory!

Note of Praise: Congregational Care gives thanks and praise to God for His provision of a new meal coordinator, Margie Stolk!

Church mailboxes will be updated and reorganized this week. If you desire a mailbox, please let the church office know (349-9788/office@hoperca.org).

Please remember those who are shut-ins or those in assisted care with a card or note of encouragement and your prayers: Marianna Hellenga, Janet Roberts, Helen DeWinter, Ruthie Pearl Burch, and Marjorie Kelly.

During this time of transition at Hope, please remember to contact your caring elder if you need to communicate any shepherding needs.

<u>Last Name</u>	<u>Elder Team</u>
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A - F	Paul Witteveen & Angie Vreeman
G - M	Kathy Rozek & Rick Wielopolski
N - S	Steve Thomas & Shauna Collison
T - Z	Ed Moore & Steve Hellenga

Desert Streams Christian Counseling is available and may be helpful in the absence of a lead Pastor. For more information, please visit their website at www.desertstreams.org or call them at 345-0909.

Lenten Concert Tonight: The Singing Crusaders Male Chorus will present a sacred concert here at Third CRC on Sunday, March 26 at 6:00 pm. Save the date and invite your friends and relatives for this great event directed by Dr. Dan Gillette. The concert is being presented by the Music Series Committee of Third Church.

Celebrate Lent with HIS Harmony through a concert at Twin Lakes Church. The concert will be held today, Sunday, March 26, 2017 at 2:00 pm at Twin Lakes Church, 5475 Ravine Rd., Kalamazoo, MI 49009. A free-will offering will be received. For more information call (269) 382-1158.

Lenten Organ Recitals will be held at First United Methodist Church (212 S. Park Street) every Thursday during Lent (March 30 and April 6) at noon. All the recitals are free. All are welcome to attend!