

Prayer Corner

Pray for:

- Alan Hulst, recovering from surgery
- Gayle Sikkenga on the loss of her brother-in-law
- Zachary and Sharon Segaar-King and all those in Haiti
- Donna Hoover, recovering from surgery
- Jean Oole, Jayne Ruiters' mother who fell and suffered a stroke
- Bob Surridge, Bill's son, diagnosed with Meniere's disease
- Don Boyink, Sara Meiste's stepfather, being treated for lung cancer
- Norm Heerema, pray for a diagnosis and remission
- Kristin Dykstra, receiving cancer treatment
- Gert Molewyk, Donna DeYoung's sister-in-law, who has cancer
- Janet Anderson, undergoing treatment for cancer
- Billy Hines, Cindy Reinhardt's son-in-law, waiting for a kidney transplant

Pray for our loved ones who are unable to worship with us:

- Wilma Olson at Grand Pines
- Marguerite Turnbull at the Rose Garden
- Liz Mastenbrook
- Bob Palen
- Walter Zerlaut at Robbinswood
- Kathy Fritsma
- Ruth Westhoff at Christian Haven



Prayer Challenge

Reflect on the ways God has separated you from the sin in your life.

Talk About It

What will you remember from your time at church Sunday morning?

This Week at FCC (January 31—February 6, 2010)

Sunday:	Sunday School	9:15 AM	
	Worship Service	10:30 AM	Sanctuary
	Kids Choir	11:45 AM	
	Gym Use	3:00 PM	
Monday:	Senior Energizers	9:00 AM	
	GEMS	6:30 PM	
	Cadets	7:00 PM	
Tuesday:	Toddler/Preschool Gym	10:00 AM	
	Gym Use	6:00 PM	
	Building/Grounds	7:00 PM	
Wednesday:	Senior Energizers	9:00 AM	
	Council	7:00 PM	
Thursday:	Gym Use	8:00 PM	
Friday:	Senior Energizers	9:00 AM	
	GEMS Sleepover begins	7:00 PM	
Saturday:	GEMS Sleepover ends	9:00 AM	

Happy Birthday

Calvin Frifeldt
Reece Butrick

2/3
2/5

Service

	January 31, 2010	February 7, 2010
Greeters	Don & Joyce Turnbull	Dale & Pam DeYoung
Welcomers	Dean & Donna Hoover Michele Schipma	Mark & Sandy Benson Al & Liz Posthuma Greg & Judy DeWeerd
Nursery	Sara Meiste Joyce Turnbull Madeline Somers Sara Meiste	Melissa Tjapkes Nona Boer Christa Houskamp Tracey Knollinger
God Loves Me	Jennifer Kempster Kolton Burley	Jennifer Kempster Lydia Kemperman
Little Lambs	Mary Aardema Andrew Donselar	Matt DeYoung Alysa Rosema
Walk With Me	Jen Somers Jakob VanHorsen	Jen Somers William Plaisier
Children & Worship	Lisa Kingma Kyle Kingma Phoebe Risselade	Susan VanWinkle Peter VanWinkle Jena Hawkins
Sound	Stu/Ken	Ken/Stu
Screen	Jake Kempster	Mitchell Landheer
Ushers	Ron Bross Brian Meiste	Al DeYoung Cal Dykstra

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Doug Tjapkes, <i>Music Assistant</i>		

Elders

Kris Grek	<i>Last names A-C</i>
Greg DeWeerd, <i>Clerk</i>	<i>Last names D-G</i>
Don Turnbull, <i>President</i>	<i>Last names H-K</i>
Bob Rozema	<i>Last names L-P</i>
Dale DeYoung	<i>Last names Q-Te</i>
Lynn DeYoung	<i>Last names Th-Z</i>
Jan Bross, <i>Care Elder</i>	

Care District

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<i>Last names H-K</i>
<i>Last names L-P</i>
<i>Last names Q-Te</i>
<i>Last names Th-Z</i>

Deacons

Brady Proctor
Kevin Knollinger
Paul Betten
Paul Tjapkes
Chris Kemperman
Brian Meiste
Gerry Sikkenga, <i>President</i>

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Ferrysburg Community Church

Modeling our Lives after Christ
Offering Grace • Nurturing Faith • Equipping for Service

Welcome to Ferrysburg Community Church! Thank you for spending this morning with us. We hope that you experience God's grace today during your time here. Please join us for refreshments after the service.

January 31, 2010 • 4th Sunday after the Epiphany

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Organ: *Doug Tjapkes* Piano: *Sherry Merz*

Reader: *Lily VanderMolen*

We Gather for Worship

Prelude

Welcome

Opening Songs

The Solid Rock

He Touched Me

Great is Thy Faithfulness

Red Hymnal 92

Red Hymnal 628

Gray Hymnal 556

Greeting from God

Mutual Greeting

Presentation from Teen Challenge

God Speaks To Us In Word

Scripture Reading Mark 1:21-28 (p. 1552)

Prayer for Open Minds

Sermon

Totally Clean

Prayer

Song

Whiter Than Snow

Red Hymnal 109

We Respond with Praise and Thanksgiving

Deacon's Prayer

Offertory

Doxology

God Sends Us Out For Service

Blessing

Moment of Reflection

Postlude

Wireless hearing devices are available at the sound booth.

Ministries

Children

Nursery: There are staffed nurseries located at the end of the hallway for infants and toddlers.

Two Year-Olds: Children are invited to the God Loves Me class across from the nursery during the worship service. Children can be dropped off before the service.

Three Year-Olds: Children are invited to attend our Little Lambs program. Children exit the sanctuary following the banner during the time of greeting.

Preschool: Walk With Me meets during the worship service after the mutual greeting.

Early Elementary: Kindergarten and first grade students as well as other young elementary students who would benefit from their own time of worship are invited to attend Children & Worship after opening worship in the sanctuary.

Sunday School: Sunday school begins at 9:15 a.m. on Sunday for kindergarten and older, September through May.

GEMS

We will meet tomorrow night at International Aid, 17011 Hickory, Spring Lake from 6:30-8:00 p.m. Remember to bring your sleepover permission form. We are also collecting GEMS Camp applications.

Youth

Boundaries (Grades 6-8)

What a great weekend we had at Geneva last week! Our next meeting is February 10. - Mrs. De Jonge

Jubilee (Grades 9-12)

Hopefully most of you were with me this morning in the youth room. If not, we missed you! Our next meeting is next Sunday, February 7. Please put this on your calendars - Paula

Adults

Adult Ed: February 7, 2010:

A Contemporary Testimony: Redemption

"With patience and tender care the Lord set out on the long road of redemption," says the CT (paragraphs 18-22). What did this journey look like? How did God balance his love and his judgment? Led by Doug Doty, principal of Western Michigan Christian.

Announcements

Today

This morning we welcome members of West Michigan Teen Challenge to FCC. We look forward to hearing their music and how God is changing lives through their ministry.

Next Sunday

Next week we will continue our look at the Gospel of Mark. We've found answers to some important questions: Who is Jesus? What is the good news? What is discipleship? Next Sunday we'll look for the answer to another important question: Where does the kingdom of God come? We will also hear the professions of faith of George and Joyce Raymer and Pam DeYoung.

This Week's Offering is for West Michigan Teen Challenge

See how God is at work at Teen Challenge this morning during our service. Thank you for giving generously to their ministry.

Year End Giving Statement

2009 giving statements were mailed to you this week. If you did not receive one or you have questions about yours, please see a deacon. The deacons would like to thank you for your generosity that allowed us to meet all our expenses in 2009.

Help for Haiti

During the month of January you may designate any portion of your offering to go to the relief efforts of the Christian Reformed World Relief Committee. The CRWRC is one of the most efficient and trusted relief organizations in the world. You may also go to www.crwrc.org to give directly.

Food Pantry Update

This past Monday our food pantry provided a week's worth of groceries to nine families! All kinds of donations are needed to help replenish the pantry. Check the church website for ideas of items to donate. Thanks to all—the Lord is good!

Thank you from GEMS

Thank you to all who attended the stuffed potato dinner last Sunday! Our GEMS club raised nearly \$500. We donated \$250 of these proceeds to International Aid for relief in Haiti.

College Boxes

Today is the last day to contribute financially toward gift cards for our college students. If you would donate toward gift cards for the students, please mark your donation "college boxes" and drop it in the offering plate. Next Sunday will be the last opportunity to drop in your treats, notes, school supplies, and hygiene items to our 12 students. Our college students include Michelle Bussa, David Donselar, Samantha Francart, Courtney Grek, Jordan Kossuth, Jessica Landheer, Jimmy Reinhardt, Ben Rosema, JD Rosema, Lauren Sikkenga, David Teunis, and Sarah Youngquist.

Save the Date

Plan to be a part of our High Seas Expedition the mornings of June 21-25.

Ash Wednesday Soup Supper

The Ash Wednesday Soup Supper is coming up in a few weeks. Please put Wednesday, February 17 on your calendar and plan on our youth groups making dinner for you that night prior to the Ash Wednesday service.

Announcements

GIFT Cards

The Stewardship Committee wants everyone at FCC to experience the blessings of giving generously to God. Please pray about how God is leading you to support His work at FCC in 2010. Then indicate this on the GIFT card that is in your church mailbox (extra cards are available in the info rack). Please place your GIFT card in the offering plate during the month of February.

Don't Miss This Great Opportunity

We have a group of 8 students going on a "Life Trip" to Lander, WY this July and they are beginning their first fundraiser. They will be selling "*Enjoy the City*—Lakeshore and Surrounding Area Savings Books" for only \$20 starting this Sunday. The books contain over \$2,000 in valuable offers. There is something for everyone in these books. All checks should be made payable to Ferrysburg Community Church.

Come and Pray

This Tuesday the church sanctuary will be open from 7 a.m. - 8 a.m. for a time of prayer and reflection. Whether you have a full hour or just a few minutes, feel free to stop by and spend some time with God.

Humanity For Prisoners

Late last year, high school students from our church created Christmas cards to be sent to prisoners. Some 50 cards were contributed to HFP and were mailed to inmates on our list. Youth Director Paula DeJonge says she has been overwhelmed by the response from prisoners who sent thank you letters to our church. Now Paula reports the middle school students are preparing Valentine's Day cards for inmates! What a beautiful thing to do for those who are lonely and often forgotten! Our thanks to Paula and the kids in both groups for thinking of "the least of these." And our thanks to FCC, its members and friends, for on-going support of this ministry. Said a Michigan prisoner in a letter to HFP: "The folks at your church are exceptional people." Truly so!

Habitat for Humanity

Do you dream of owning a home? Can you afford \$600 a month for rent? Are you low income? Find out if you qualify for home ownership with the Tri-cities Area Habitat for Humanity home ownership program. Details and applications will be available at the Loutit Library on Thursday, March 11th from 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. or on Saturday, March 20th from 10:00 a.m. - noon. Reservations recommended. Call 846-1505.

Collection Information

General Fund—January 24, 2010

Offering	\$	6,491.33
Weekly Auto Debit Giving	\$	1,615.00
Weekly Budget Amount Needed	\$	8,151.63
Month-To-Date Offering	\$	27,812.94

Special Offering

<i>Christian Haven Home</i>	\$	228.00
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Next Week's Special Offering—Gideons