

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



Prayer Challenge

Where are you often unaware of God's presence? Stop and acknowledge God in the ordinary places of your life.

Talk About It

Talk about someone you know who has been powerfully healed.

This Week at FCC (February 7, 2010—February 13, 2010)

Sunday:	Sunday School	9:15 AM	
	Worship Service	10:30 AM	Sanctuary
	Kids Choir	11:45 AM	
	Jubilee	4:00 PM	
Monday:	Senior Energizers	9:00 AM	
	Trio	7:30 PM	
Tuesday:	Gym Use	6:00 PM	
Wednesday:	Senior Energizers	9:00 AM	
	Boundaries	6:30 PM	
	Stewardship Committee	7:00 PM	
Thursday:	Gym Use	6:00 PM	
	Gym Use	8:00 PM	
Friday:	Senior Energizers	9:00 AM	
Saturday:	No Scheduled Events		

Happy Birthday

Shanna McElrath	2/10
Isaiah Visker	2/10
McKayla Holtrop	2/13

Service

	February 7, 2010	February 14, 2010
Greeters	Dale & Pam DeYoung	Dale & Pam DeYoung
Welcomers	Mark & Sandy Benson Al & Liz Posthuma Greg & Judy DeWeerd	Mark & Sandy Benson Al & Liz Posthuma Greg & Judy DeWeerd
Nursery	Supervisor Adult Helper Greeter	Melissa Tjapkes Nona Boer Christa Houskamp Sara Meiste
God Loves Me	Leader Helper	Jennifer Kempster Lydia Kemperman
Little Lambs	Leader Helper	Michele Schipma Alysa Rosema
Walk With Me	Leader Assistant	Jen Somers William Plaisier
Children & Worship	Leader Assistant Assistant	Susan VanWinkle Peter VanWinkle Jena Hawkins
Sound	Ken/Stu	Stu/Keith
Screen	Jake Kempster	Julie Merz
Ushers	Al DeYoung Cal Dykstra	Al DeYoung Cal Dykstra

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Sherry Merz, <i>Kids' Choir Director</i>		
Liz Posthuma, <i>Parish Nurse (pregnant & new moms)</i>		
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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Deacons

Brady Proctor
Kevin Knollinger
Paul Betten
Paul Tjapkes
Chris Kemperman
Brian Meiste
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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.

February 7, 2010 • 5th Sunday after the Epiphany

10:30 a.m. Worship Service

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

Reader: *Taylor Anderson* French Horn: *Julie Merz*

We Gather for Worship

Prelude		
Welcome		
Kids' Choir	Sing Unto the Lord	
Opening Songs	O Worship the King	Grey Hymnal 428
	Glorify Your Name	Grey Hymnal 634
	Beautiful Savior	Grey Hymnal 461

Greeting from God

Kids Choir	Jesus Wants Me for a Sunbeam
	Everybody Needs Love

Professions of Faith	George & Joyce Raymer and Pam DeYoung
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God Speaks To Us In Word

Scripture Reading	Mark 1:21-34 (p. 1552)
Prayer for Open Minds	
Sermon	Three Places
Prayer	
Song	Fill Thou My Life Grey Hymnal 547

We Respond with Praise and Thanksgiving

Deacon's Prayer	
Offertory	Cavatina
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.

Scripture to Learn

Matt. 22:37 (K-1), Mk 10:14-15 (2-3), Isa 53:3-5 (4-5), I Cor 13:8-13 (6)

Youth

Boundaries (Grades 6-8)

We will be meeting this Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. The Somers family will be providing the salty snack and the Tjapkes family will be providing the sweet snack. Thank you for all your hard work last time. See you all Wednesday night! Mrs. De Jonge

Jubilee (Grades 9-12)

We will be meeting today from 4-6 p.m. Our snacks will be provided by the Gorman and Shaffer families. Hope to see all of you there tonight. Paula

Adults

Adult Ed: February 14, 2010:

A Contemporary Testimony: Christ

"There is no other Savior. We are chosen in Christ to become like him in every way." Jesus is everything to our faith. He is our salvation and our destiny. Pastor Nate Visker leads us in a discussion of paragraphs 23-27 of the CT.

Announcements

Next Sunday

Over the years, one of the biggest knocks on churches has been around the issue of money. There's always a plate to pass, a financial "seed" to plant, and operators who are standing by to take your donation. Shouldn't the church just stay out of our pockets? What does Wall Street have to do with the narrow way? Next Sunday we will start a two-week look at how money is (and isn't) connected to our relationship with God.

This Week's Offering is for Gideons International

The Gideons International presents people with the gospel message, an indispensable element in winning them to Christ. Every dollar contributed makes it possible for others to have their own copy of God's Word.

Thank You from the Deacons

The Deacons would like to thank our congregation for their financial support in 2009. Your generosity allowed us to meet our financial obligations, including full payment of our denominational ministry shares. Thank you for the sacrifices you made in 2009 to support God's work here and throughout the world.

Another Way to Help Haiti

Homemade dishcloth and scrubby sets are available for \$5 in the lobby. They are handmade by Birdella Hawkins' mother and all money collected will go to CRWRC to fund their relief efforts in Haiti.

Pantry News

For the month of January your pantry supplied the grocery needs of 36 people (14 adults and 22 children) from our community. Thank you! Praise God! How can we continue to assist? Sign up for weekly emails for the pantry needs (church office). Sign up to volunteer for two hours on a Monday (contact Alan). Bring grocery items to your church grocery cart to keep your pantry stocked.

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.

No Toddler Open Gym This Week

The Toddler Preschool Open Gym will be canceled for this Tuesday the 9th. We will start back up on the 16th! Hope to see you then. Please contact Charla Proctor for more info or if you'd like to be added to the email updates. Charla@stevensinc.com

Ash Wednesday Soup Supper and Service:

The annual Soup Supper will be held on Wednesday, February 17 from 5-6:45pm followed by the Ash Wednesday Service at 7 p.m. Mark your calendars and plan on the youth group providing your dinner for the evening.

Thank Yous

Thanks for the thoughts, the words, the calls, the cards and the PRAYERS! The medical reports are good, the recovery is going well and for certain, He is my strength for today and my Bright Hope for tomorrow! Alan Hulst

Just a note of thanks for the prayers, cards and acts of kindness shown to us after my knee surgery. God is good and we thank Him and Ferrysburg Church for its support during my recovery. Marty and Sherry Ippel

Announcements

Don't Miss This Great Opportunity:

We have a group of eight students going on a "Life Trip" to Lander, WY this July and they are beginning their first fundraiser. They are selling "*Enjoy the City*-Lakeshore and Surrounding Area Savings Books" for only \$20.00. 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."

College Boxes

College boxes will be mailed on Tuesday. If you forgot your items today, you may still drop them in the box tomorrow between 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

June 21-25

Have you marked FCC's High Seas Expedition on your calendar yet? Plan to be part of the morning adventures! Four year olds through fifth graders can participate and all other ages can assist in some way.

Support for the Segaar-Kings

After the earthquake, the Segaar-Kings were faced with some very difficult decisions. Zachary remained in Haiti to help with relief efforts. Sharon and the children returned to the States. Please consider encouraging the Segaar-Kings with a card during this difficult time. You may mail them to Sharon at 2955 Englewood Ave SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49508.

Congratulations!

Josiah Youngquist earned the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest rank in Boy Scouts. His Eagle Scout ceremony was held at FCC last Sunday. Way to go, Josiah! We are proud of you.

World Communion of Reformed Churches

The World Communion of Reformed Churches event will be held on the campus of Calvin College on June 18-27. It will be a truly historic gathering of at least 1000 delegates from Reformed churches in 107 countries. If you are interested in helping out as a volunteer or hosting/sponsoring a delegate, please talk to Pastor Nate.

Humanity For Prisoners

It was "below the radar," but it was an excellent example of what we do best! Mrs. C, a prisoner in Ypsilanti, hadn't seen her 7-year old daughter in over a year. She's from a poor family in Benton Harbor. We made some contacts and found a retired Christian Reformed couple in Ann Arbor who love to take on projects like these. They not only agreed to drive the 150 miles to Benton Harbor to pick up Mrs. C's mother, father and daughter, for a trip to the prison. They invited them into their home overnight! A true-to-life Matthew 25 story! Tales like these are made possible because of the support of you and this church.

Love INC – Valentine's Day Fundraisers

1. Pre-order your Valentine cake by Feb.10 and Desserts by Design in Grand Haven will donate 20 percent of your order to Love INC.
2. Attend the Chocolate Tasting Open House featuring Patricia's Chocolate on Tuesday, February 9 from 5:00 – 8:30 p.m. at Snug Harbor in Grand Haven. 20% of all proceeds from this event will be donated to Love INC.
3. Purchase Valentine Heart Cookies at Panera Bread in Grand Haven and support Love INC. You can pick up an order form at Panera Bread.

Collection Information

Collection information for January 31 will be available in next week's bulletin.

Next Week's Special Offering—Christian School