

Welcome to Haven Reformed Church!

We invite any to join us every Sunday for our 9:30 a.m. worship celebration! Feel free to take a Bible and/or any literature from our lobby table that you could use yourself, or to hand out to others.

Questions? Desire prayer? Please chat with an elder, any member, or any staff after the service.

For any adult with us this morning, we invite you to attend our adult Sunday school class in the Fireside Room beginning at 10:40.

Ministry Participants for Mar. 12 – Mar. 19

Allegan Medical Care Center Volunteers:

March 15: Amber Lohman and Sheryl Veldhoff

March 22: Sharon Stoel and Judy Cotts

Children & Worship:

March 12 - 9:30 am: Nancy De Good, Ethan Klingenberg

March 19 - 9:30 am: Amber, Cameron and Madison Lugten

Coffee Servers:

March 12: Norma and Tricia Overbeek

March 19: Cal & Rhonda Oldebekking

Greeters:

March 12 – 9:30 am: Paul & Sheryl Veldhoff,

Duane & Marlene Berens

March 19 – 9:30 am: Travis & Heather Bouwman,

Travis & Marcy Burton

Haven Hospitality Crew:

March 16: Wayne Blauwkamp

March 23: Kirk Van Order

Nursery (for infant through 2 years old):

March 12– 9:30 am: Rachael Vander Zwaag,

Nathan Haverdink

March 19– 9:30 am: Sara Vander Wall, Makenna Ramsey

Ushers:

March 12 – 9:30 am: Bob & Sharon Stoel, Fred Bouwman

March 19 – 9:30 am: Ken & Nancy DeGood,

Loren Joostberns

Haven's Prayer Page

We pray for our shut-ins...

- ✠ Irma Babinski, Resthaven Maple Woods, Holland
- ✠ Marcia Rienstra – Hospice care at Grace of Douglas, Douglas
- ✠ Ruth Rigterink – American House of Holland
- ✠ Winna Sal – Royal Park, Zeeland
- ✠ Homebound: Janet Dykstra, Lois Lugten, Kim Schaap, Minnie Sloothaak, Doug Sprik

We mourn when others mourn...

...with Alma Gunneman and family as the Lord welcomed Ken into His loving presence this past Tuesday.

A memorial service to celebrate his 86 years of life will be held at 3:00 p.m. this afternoon at Haven. The family will visit with friends and relatives following the service during refreshment time in the Fellowship Hall.

We unite our hearts in prayer on behalf of our church family and friends...

- ✠ Diane Boeve [sister of Lynn E.] completed chemo; impending PET scan, Thursday
- ✠ Janet Clements, scheduled for right hip replacement surgery, Tuesday
- ✠ Shirley Dangremond, recovery following successful gallbladder surgery
- ✠ Christel de Waard, Cinthia Sibaja, safe travels to Taiwan, Tuesday; YWAM missions
- ✠ Pastor Marc & Kathy as they seek the Lord's leading in this season of transition
- ✠ Jeff Etheridge, continued recovery following right knee replacement surgery; therapy
- ✠ Chris Groenheide [Mary's daughter-in-law] will continue with chemo treatments
- ✠ Kim Leslie [Amber Lugten's mom] oral chemo treatment; cancer on spine
- ✠ Peggy Meeuwssen, Stage 3 pancreatic cancer; undergoing chemo
- ✠ Alison Rockhold (daughter of Brian & Rose) broken left arm; cast removal, arm brace for 3 weeks
- ✠ Gregg Stoel, will undergo left knee replacement surgery, Tuesday
- ✠ Jen Timmer [wife of Pastor Chris, Dunningville RCA] recent diagnosis of breast cancer; additional testing
- ✠ James Williams [father of Jim] courageously battling Stage IV colon cancer
- ✠ This season of Lent, a time of self-examination, repentance, prayer and fasting
- ✠ Haven's Consistory as they meet together tomorrow night
- ✠ Seeking God's wisdom and guidance for His mission and ministry through Haven's people
- ✠ Revival, renewal, recommitment in our hearts, communities, churches and world
- ✠ Those in leadership positions for our nation and those serving to protect our country
- ✠ Missionaries serving the Lord around the world; those persecuted for their faith in Christ
- ✠ World events and personal items to pray into...

We consider it our privilege to pray with and for you...

Submit prayer requests to: Lynn@havenchurch.com, or 751.7321, ext. 106

"The Lord is near to all who call on Him." Psalm 145:18

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March 12, 2017

~ 9:30 a.m. ~

"When Nothing Else Can Help"

Rev. Dan Ackerman

Executive Leader of Zeeland Classis

"When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered around him; and he was by the sea."

Mark 5:21 (NRSV)



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9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.



Haven's Mission Statement:
HRC exists to enable people to *know* Jesus Christ,
to *grow* in Him, and to *show* Jesus to others.

Worship Celebration

March 12, 2017 Lent 2 9:30 a.m.

Organ Prelude..... Paul Connelly
God's Greeting/Call to Worship..... Pastor Ron VerWys

Psalm 18:1-3

* Opening Hymn #530 *I Will Call Upon The Lord*

Paul Connelly, organ

* Opening Prayer/Lord's Prayer (in unison)

* Greeting one another

Responsive Reading #547 *Hope And Trust In God*

Hymn of Response #531 *Unto Thee, O Lord*

Children, ages 3-5, are dismissed for *Children & Worship*

Announcements/Updates

Congregational and Offertory Prayer

Offertory/Offering: *General Fund* Paul

[please sign and pass the Friendship Pads down the pew]

*Hymn of Preparation #491 (vs 1, 2, 3) *Jesus, I Come*

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: *Mark 5:21-43* (N.T., p. 34)

Sermon: **"When Nothing Else Can Help"**

Rev. Dan Ackerman, Executive Leader of Classis

Prayer of Application

* Closing Hymn #704 (2x) *God Will Make A Way*

[Elders move to the doors to greet you]

* Benediction

* Dismissal/Postlude; (enjoy coffee, fellowship; attend SS)

[*=Please stand if you are able]

This Week at Haven (Mar. 12–Mar. 19, 2017)

Sunday (today): **March 12**

9:30 am 9:30 am Worship/Communion ~ Sanctuary

10:40 am Education/Sunday School hour ~ Haven

10:40 am Coffee/Fellowship Time ~ Fellowship Hall

3:00 pm Memorial Service/Kenneth Gunneman~Sanctuary

Monday:..... **March 13**

6:30 pm Consistory Meeting ~ Heritage Room

Tuesday: **March 14**

9:00 am Mom's in Prayer ~ Heritage Room

9:30 am Women's Bible Study (Flavia) ~ Fireside Room

Wednesday: **March 15**

1:30 pm Staff meeting ~ Heritage Room

6:15 pm GEMS/Cadets ~ Haven Campus

6:15 pm MidZONE ~ Hungry for Christ

7:00 pm Haven Prayer Group ~ Heritage Room

Thursday: **March 16**

6:00 pm Love INC ~ Haven Campus

Friday: **March 17**

9:00 am Released Time ~ Hamilton CRC

Saturday:..... **March 18**

Next Lord's Day..... **March 19**

9:30 am Worship Celebration/GEMS Sunday ~ Sanctuary

10:40 am Education/Sunday School hour ~ Haven

10:40 am Coffee/Fellowship Time ~ Fellowship Hall

6:00 pm Kingdom Ambassadors ~ Gun Lake

Here to assist you . . .

- ♦ **Hearing** assistance devices are available for you to borrow during the course of any of our services.
- ♦ **Literature** about Haven, as well as ministry and devotional materials, are on the lobby tables.
- ♦ **Our Morning service** is simulcast on a TV in the Fellowship Hall.
CD and/or DVD reproductions of the services are available, contact the office (269.751.7321)

Haven Announcements:

Haven Highlights: The March edition of the *Highlights* (our newsletter) is in your mailbox - extras are on the lobby table. You can also find it online at www.havenchurch.com under the "Resources" tab.

Youth:

MidZone - Wed. March 15th we will be going over to the **Hungry for Christ** building to serve. Our service will be sorting food for them. We will meet at 6:15 and walk to their building. **Please dress appropriately.** We will be there for about 1 hour.

HS Sunday School class will be watching and discussing the **Risen** movie for the two weeks of March 19 and 26. Come join us! We'll be watching the movie in two parts as we use the film to wrap up our reading through the Gospel of Mark "The Things Jesus Did". This will take us up to spring break and hopefully set the stage for a great Easter season of how God will speak to our hearts through His Spirit!

HS Journey Overnight - Our tentative date for our next activity will be the weekend of **April 28-30**. Put it on your schedule!

Colorado Challenge Student and Parent Meeting will be Sunday March 26 at 6pm in the Haven Youth Basement. This is a required meeting where you will receive all your paperwork and instruction as we prepare for this summer trip.

Community:

The Hamilton Christian Reformed Church is extending an offer to attend a weekend series March 17-19 by Ray VanderLaan. This series will explore the week of Jesus life from Palm Sunday to Easter in the context of the city of Jerusalem. There will be no cost to attend, but you do need to obtain tickets. There is an option to just attend Friday and/or Saturday only. Please visit the website below for more information and registration. <http://hamiltoncrc.com/ray-vanderlaan-seminar-2017/>

DATE CHANGE - The Crazy Horse Restaurant in Holland is going to have a fundraiser for Love INC on Monday, March 27th (changed from Feb. 27). They are donating 20% of their profits that evening to Love INC. JCI of Holland is matching whatever that final figure is!

Sunday, March 26 at 6 p.m., Hamilton Reformed Church is hosting a Prayer Service for Crops and Industry. You are invited to join them for the service in which they will call upon God's blessing for a new season of planting and harvest and for an ongoing blessing upon our local and global economy.

Golfers: It's time to find a partner for this year's golf league. We will again be golfing at Diamond Springs Golf Course on Tuesdays at 5:45 p.m. from May through August. More details and sign-ups will follow soon. Encourage your friends! Questions call Becky Kempfers [\(269\)751-4311](tel:2697514311).

Love INC is hiring a caseworker for Hamilton Life Skills. This person would work on every Thursday afternoon and evening for 5-7 hours. Please see job description posted on our website (loveincnwa.org) or contact Jean Eding @ loveincje@frontier.com. Applications will be received until April 14th.

✠ Information ✠

Please – if you want to know more about our Consistory (church leadership team) or our staff, you can look at the back page of our newsletter, *Haven Highlights*, or just go on line to our website. And just a reminder for Haven members: our church directory and photos are on the website too. You need an email address, and for first time users register through our office.
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