

Welcome to Haven Reformed Church!

We invite you 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.

Ministry Participants

Allegan Medical Care Center Volunteers:

May 16: Amber Lohman- Sheryl Veldhoff

May 23: Veta Lohman-Ardale Schrotenboer

Coffee Servers:

May 13: Wayne & Judy Cotts

May 20: Pastor Ron & Ruth VerWys

Greeters:

May 13: Earl & Norman Overbeek, Norm & Ginger Juries

May 20: Nick & Misten Riester (+family), Al & Mary Rudolph

Ushers:

May 13: Wayne & Judy Cotts, Travis Bouwman

May 20: Loren Joostberns, Cal & Sylvia Klokkert

Love INC Life Skills Hospitality Hosts:

May 17: Kirk Van Order

May 24: Kirk Van Order

Nursery: (for infant through 2 years old)

Congregation Care Concerns:

If you have any personal or family concerns, please call one of the following:

Rev. Ron VerWys, Congregation Care 616-886-7616

Phil Knoll, Commissioned Pastor 269-751-8521

Scott Davis, Director of Youth Ministries 616-990-7774

Bob Moore, Pastoral Care elder 269-455-9051

Norm Jurries, Pastoral Care elder 616-834-1156

Haven's Mission Statement:

*HRC exists to enable people to know Jesus Christ,
to grow in Him, and to show Jesus to others.*

Haven's Prayer Page

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

Christian Sympathies

Please keep in your prayers:

***Muriel Smart's daughter:** Please continue keep Jane Smart-Klingenberg in your prayers. She has returned to MM Center for continued treatment for Multiple Myeloma. Jane's address: Jane Klingenberg, 1501 Rahling RD. Apt#1702, Little Rock, AR 72223. In addition, the return address in the upper left corner of the envelope should read: Jane Klingenberg, 3565 Walnut Park Dr, Hamilton, MI 49419 this way she should get it either way.

***Ken Meyer:** Please keep him in your prayers, has been diagnosed with multiple myeloma. Ken's address is 2756 N. M40 Allegan, MI 49010

***Misten Reister** will be meeting with her doctor regarding a course of treatment for a spot of melanoma that they have discovered. Her appointment is this week.

*** Jan Clements** was hospitalized this week with bruises and pain after falling at home. They have discovered a tumor on her brain which will need some kind of treatment in the near future.

Our Shut-ins:

Irma Babinski @ Rest Haven, Maplewoods

Janet Dykstra @ Rest Haven Cottages on 32nd #15.

Ruth Riggerink @ American House of Holland.

Winna Sal @ Atrium Inn in Zeeland #205

Alma Gunneman @ Royal Park Place in Zeeland #275

Hermina Veldhoff @ Vista Springs #10

Elaine Van Doornik @ Rest Haven Maplewoods #4

Homebound:

Doug Sprik

Minnie Sloothaak

Haven Reformed Church



May 6, 2018

~ 9:30 a.m. ~

“Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other,
just as in Christ God forgave you.”

Ephesians 4:32

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Sunday Worship Celebration

May 13, 2018 9:30 a.m.

Order of Worship

Organ Prelude Wayne Cotts

Welcome and Call to Worship Pastor VerWys

*Opening Hymn: # 451 "A Christian Home" (vs.1-2-3)

555 "To Be Like Jesus"

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

*Greeting One Another

(Children and Youth dismissed)

Announcements/Updates

(Please sign and pass the Friendship Pads down the pew.)

Congregational Prayer/Offertory Prayer

Offering/Offertory Wayne Cotts

*Hymn of Preparation: # 667 "Lord, Speak To Me"

Scripture: Ephesians 4:29-5:2 (pg. 171 in NT of pew Bible)

Message: "Forgive One Another" Pastor VerWys

Prayer of Application

*Closing Hymn: # 654 "Change My Heart, O God"

*Benediction

*Dismissal/Postlude Wayne Cotts

[*=Please stand if you are able]

Information

Please – if you want to know more about our Consistory (church leadership team) or our staff, you can look at 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. (www.havenchurch.com)

Voice: (269) 751.7321 * fax: (269) 751.2591

This Week at Haven (May 14-May 20, 2018)

Monday:May 14

9:00a.m Women's Bible Study

Tuesday:May 15

9:00a.m Mom's in Prayer

9:30a.m Women's Bible Study- "Listening for God"

Wednesday:May 16

11:30a.m-1:30p.m H4Christ Food Distribution on campus

7:00p.m Prayer Group, everyone is welcome

Thursday:May 10

6:00p.m Love Inc

Sunday:May 20

9:30a.m Western Michigan Teen Challenge program of songs & testimonies. Celebration of Communion, with a special communion offering gifted to Teen Challenge. Bagels & beverage brunch after the service in the fellowship hall for everyone.

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:

**If you have something you'd like to share all announcements are to be in the office to Gloria no later than Wednesday 2:00p.m.*

John Grissen

Graveside celebration at Riverside Cemetery, Hamilton on Saturday May 19 at 2:00pm. Dessert, and drinks will be served following the celebration at Haven Reformed Church. In case of inclement weather, the celebration will be held at Haven Reformed Church.

Annual Congregation Meeting

The annual Congregation meeting will be held on Sunday June 3rd after morning worship.

Youth Church

Parents you are welcomed and encouraged to be a part of this time.

You will get a lot out of this month if you choose to be a part!

*May 13th- God still Guides "He leads us to partner with His mission"

*May 20th- God still Cares "He heals our broken hearts"

Colorado Challenge Update: We will be leaving June 16 again with a group of Hamilton students to experience the adventure of Colorado and to encounter God in new and first time ways. We

have a bus of 52 people at the moment and ask that you would be praying with us for God to be present and move on this trip as he always does. Thanks God for many first time participants! **Sunday June 10th** we will take a special offering to go towards this trip. Thank you to those who have generously given already to help students.

Hands Helping Hamilton July 9-12 for Middle School Students. We will be spending this week doing mission and service in our community. Registration Flyers are available from Scott, the church office, or the literature table. This event is coordinated with the HAYM (Hamilton Area Youth Ministry) groups in the community. Monday thru Wednesday are service days and Thursday will be a beach party celebration day together.

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES:

Bus Help Needed If you have surplus 2x4's or plywood you would like to donate to the bus conversion project, talk to Scott or you can put it in back of church under the porch by the recycle bins. Thanks! ☺

Hungry for Christ Food Distribution at Haven Church – Volunteers needed

Wednesday, May 16, 12:30-1:30pm will be our next food distribution. We will need volunteers for various tasks from about 11:30am to 2pm. We appreciate those who came last month, it went very well and was a fun day. If you can join us this month, please sign up on the sheet in the foyer or contact MarilynJDykstra@yahoo.com or call her at 269-751-8189.

COMMUNITY:

BACCALAUREATE You are cordially invited to the Baccalaureate Service of the Hamilton High School Class of 2018, which will be held at 2:30 p.m. on Sunday, May 20, at Overisel Reformed Church.

“Remember that Forgiveness involves a choice on your part. Think about it: Bitterness robs us of joy and peace. It hijacks us—taking us places we never wanted to go—gets us doing things we never wanted to do—and makes us into people we never wanted to become. To forgive is to set the prisoner free—only to discover the real prisoner was ME.” --Bill Elliff