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We Enter God's Presence

Preparing to Worship Call to Worship Opening Song: "Blessed Be Your Name" God's Greeting & Our Mutual Greeting Song of Praise: "I Surrender All/My Heart is Yours" Promise of Grace: Colossians 3:12 Song of Assurance: "Abide" Moment for Missions: Kenna Hoyez Song of Response: "That's Who I Praise" Intercessory Prayer: Amy Boldt Our Gifts: 1) General Fund 2) Legacy Foundation

<u>We Hear God's Word</u>

Children's Message: Shelly Ash Scripture: Mark 10:17-30 Message: **"The Walk of Godliness: Selfless Love, Sacrifice, & Surrender"** Song of Application: *"Build Your Kingdom Here"*

We Depart with God's Blessing

God's Parting Blessing Closing Song: *"Raise a Hallelujah"*



Sermon Notes

Thank you for worshiping with us today!

- If you're a visitor with us, we welcome you in the name of Christ and invite you to fill out the card in the back of the pew in front of you and place it in the offering plate. We would love to reach out to you and get to know you better!
- Nursery care for infants through age two, as well as Children in Worship for children ages 3-5th grade are all available during our worship service.
- Activity bags for small children are available near the office.
- Hearing enhancers are available in the Sound Booth.
- As a courtesy, please switch your cell phones off or to silent mode.



Sunday worship is to be, among other things, a reminder that we worship the One in whom we place our ultimate trust and hopethe only name that saves, Jesus. Welcome to worship!

This morning we welcome **Pastor Joel De Boer** from Bunde CRC in Clara City, Mn to share with us his message, *"The Walk of Godliness: Selfless Love, Sacrifice, & Surrender"*, based on Mark 10:17-30. Next Sunday **Pastor Eli Groenendyk**, Pastor of Discipleship at Calvary CRC in Edina, returns to join us in worship.



Today we celebrate all of our recent graduates. We have put together a slide show that we will view immediately following our worship service, and invite you to join us in the Fellowship Hall after our service for cake and coffee. Congratulations to

the following graduates: Maddie Pipkin, Amelia Schluender, Carson Ash, Adam Droogsma, Ashley Droogsma, Kenna Hoyez, Jack Patnode, Ayla Sonnek, Russell Totzke, Brody Ash, Gracie Ash, Isabel Byker, Ryan Droogsma, Kaitlyn Hawker, Coleton Kiel, and Josh Vermeer.

Today is also our final day of **Sunday School**! Thank you to our many dedicated teachers who stepped up to lead our kids in fun, faith-filled lessons each week!

Our annual **Adopt-a-Highway Cleanup** is this Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. If you



are able, please come and help our youth group pick up trash-many hands make light work! Vests will be provided for you, but please wear sturdy boots and gloves.

Our Church Family

We wish a happy anniversary to **Mike & Nancy Larsen**, celebrating 52 years tomorrow, May 19!

Please be in prayer for the **Shepherding Teams** as they meet tomorrow night.

Barb and Al Bekius are so thankful for all of your prayers. As of last week, Barb is in complete remission from bladder cancer. Praise the Lord!

We give thanks to God that **Carissa Toberman's** brain surgery was successful! Her parents, Shane and Nina, thank you for your cards, support, and prayers. She still has a long recovery ahead of her-please continue to keep their family in your prayers.

Do you have a knack for keeping things neat, organized, and running smoothly? We're looking for someone to fill our **Custodial role**! This part-time, flexible position involves cleaning, light maintenance, and setting up for events. For more info, a detailed job description is available in the office.

Baby bottles are still available in the Narthex! Continue to fill them with coins, cash, or checks for the Run River Life Choices Center. Consider donating \$41 for their 41st anniversary. Pick up a bottle today, and return them to church by June 1. Don't want to fill a bottle? Go to <u>rumriverforlife.org/donate</u> or use the QR code provided.

Pease SERVE Volunteer Update: We are so blessed by all those who signed up to volunteer last week. We are still in need of: prayer partners, host family volunteers to serve breakfast and provide showers on Sunday, July 6, and volunteers to assist with

breakfast (6:30-9:15 am) and supper (4:30-7:30 pm) throughout the entire week (July 5-12). Stop by the SERVE Information Center after church to learn more!



True North VBS is 4 weeks away! We are especially in need of crew leaders (entering 6th grade and up), 2 nursery volunteers, and kitchen helpers. Also, join in on the preparation by attending our Coffee and VBS Prep in the Fireside Room this Wednesday at 9:00 Bring your scissors! Thanks for helping us put on a great VBS!





Second offerings through June will be received as follows:5/25-125 Campaign6/1- Community Christian School6/8- Benevolent Fund6/15- Operation Community Connect6/22- VBS (Kid's Comfort Bags)6/29- 125 Campaign

<u>Calendar for the Week</u>

<u>Sunday, May 18</u>	
9:30 a.m.	Sunday Morning Worship Service
11:00 a.m.	Graduation Reception with Cake & Coffee
<u>Monday, May 19</u>	
5:30 p.m.	Facilitators Meeting
6:00 p.m.	Shepherding Team Meeting
<u>Wednesday, May 21</u>	
9:00 a.m.	Coffee & VBS Prep in the Fireside Room
6:30 p.m.	Adopt-a-Highway Cleanup
<u>Thursday, May 22</u>	
7:00 p.m.	Community Christian School Graduation
7:30 p.m.	Men's Bible Study

Advance Notices

>Cadet Campout & Fishing event: June 13-15
>Vacation Bible School: June 16-19
>SERVE Trip: June 20-28
>American Red Cross Blood Drive: July 29
>SERVE Hosting: July 5-12

Sunday May 10

Advance Notices

Community Christian School in Pease cordially invites you to its **2025 8th Grade Graduation** service, which will be held Thursday, May 22 at 7:00 p.m. at the Christian Reformed Church in Pease. Please join us as we honor and congratulate our graduates on this special milestone. A reception will follow the program-everyone is welcome!

<u>Opportunities To Serve</u>

Sound Board Today, May 18: Bernie Boldt Next Sunday, May 25: Ryan Swanson

Media Today, May 18: Stacy Patten Next Sunday, May 25: Anita Hubers

Livestream Today, May 18: Dylan Moorlag Next Sunday, May 25: Damian Patnode

Greeters Today, May 18: East Door: Dianne Christensen Next Sunday, May 25: East Door: Twila & Donna Hastings

Ushers Today, May 18:

East: Morris Droogsma West: Den Kiel

Next Sunday, May 25:

East: Mitch & Edie Kuperus **West:** George Droogsma

Nursery Today, May 18:

Leaders: Julie Jaunich, Nicole Hoffman **Helpers:** Maddie Pipkin, Annika Kiel

Next Sunday, May 25:

Leaders: Katlyn Moorlag, Carrie Luckhurst **Helpers:** Amelia Schluender, Lauryn Droogsma

Children's Church Today, April May 18:

Little Lambs: "Lions and Bears!" Leader: Haley Hemmerich Worship Center: "Jesus Feeds 5,000 People" Leader: Michelle Schluender Sunday School: Quarter 4/Unit 3/Week 4 Grades 2 & 3: Peggy Swenson Grades 4 & 5: Jody Patnode

Children's Church Next Sunday, May 25:

Little Lambs: "I Love You, Jesus!" Leader: Mary Koppendrayer Worship Center: "Ascension" Leader: Carol Veurink Sunday School: No Class- Summer Vacation

Greeter: Keslyn Hoyez

Greeter: Aleeri Veurink



West Door: Harly & Pauline Pap

West Door: Den & Jayne Kiel

Center: Greg Brink

Center: John & Carol Teeler

Greeter: Lauryn Droogsma

Greeter: Amelia Schluender

You and SERVE go together PEA-RFECTLY!

Are you interested in learning more about how you can help? Visit our Serve Information Station by the entrance to the Fellowship Hall or talk to a member of the host team.

Nominating a worksite? Fill out a form at the information center or talk to Dylan Ash

Becoming a Prayer Partner? The sign up form is at the information center or contact Trudy Ash with further quesitons

Volunteering? Talk to Jackelyn Bekius or sign up in the information center today

Something else? Talk to Dylan Moorlag or email peaseserve@gmail.com