# This Week at Fellowship

Sun.	8:30am	Morning Worship Service	Sanctuary
	9:45am	Longstreet Baptism Party	Room 027
	9:50am	Children's Sunday School	Various Classrooms
	9:50am	Women's Bible Study	Music Room
		Men's Bible Study	Room 108
		Guided by the Word	Room 109
		Young Married's Class	Infant Nursery
	10:00am	Open Gate Sunday School-Holy Land	Fellowship Hall
		Morning Worship Service	Sanctuary
		Sikkema Baptism Party	, Fellowship Hall
	•	Turning Point Praise Band Practice	Sanctuary
	•	Prayer Meeting	Pastor Shawn's Office
	•	New Life Youth Ministry	Youth Room
	•	Evening Worship Service	Sanctuary
	•	Turning Point Youth Ministry	Youth Room
Mon.	9:00am	Pickleball	Gym
		Timmer Gym Usage	Gym
	· ·	Team One Vocal	Sanctuary
	•	Grace Adventures' Bible Study	Lobby
	•	Cardio and Core Fitness Class	Gym
	•	Team One Band	Sanctuary
Tues.	5·30am	Early Riser's Men's Bible Study	Room 107
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		Staff Meeting	Room 107
		Upward Basketball League	Gym
	•	Business Admin. Team Meeting	Room 107
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Wed.	9:15am	Drop-in Ladies' Bible Study	Room 107
	12:00pm	Serendipity Men's Bible Study	First Reformed Grandville
	6:00pm	Roller Skating Party	Tarry Hall
	8:00pm	Men's Discipleship Bible Study	Room 001
	8:30pm	Young Adult's Bible Study	Room 109
Thurs.	6:30am	Men's Scripture/Prayer Bible Study	Room 107
	8:00am	Women's War Room	Room 109
	10:00am	Elijah Bible Study	Room 107
	1:00pm	Pickleball	Gym
	4:00pm	Timmer Gym Usage	Gym
	6:30pm	Bibles and Bows	Blendon Pines
	7:00pm	Cardio and Core Fitness Class	Gym
	8:15pm	Men's Basketball	Gym
Fri.	7:00am	Band of Brother's Bible Study	Room 109
		Pickleball	Gym
	5:45pm	Turning Point Retreat	Door F
Sat.	7:30am	Dawn Patrol	Room 027
		Euchre Tournament	Youth Room
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#### **FINDING OUR VOICE**

Prelude

\* Call to Worship: "The Love of God"

\* Songs of Praise:

"This I Believe"

"Forever Reign"

\* Prayer and Salutation



#### **SHARING OUR HEARTS**

8:30am Service:

Infant Baptism: Landry Elliot Longstreet (son of Jason and Camryn)

11:00am Service:

Infant Baptism: Sawyer Elliott Sikkema (son of Zack and Stacy)

Congregational Prayer/Offertory Prayer

Offering/Offertory: "How Deep the Father's Love" (Children may come forward for the Children's Message.)

#### FOCUSING OUR THOUGHTS

Children's Message with Pastor Shawn

(Children ages 3—Kindergarten are dismissed for Children and Worship.)

Prayer for Blessing on the Word of God

Scripture: 1 John 4:7-21 (pg. 1,212 in the Pew Bible)

Message: "Abide in Love" Rev. Jeremy Visser

Prayer of Application

#### **DEPARTING TO SERVE**

\* Benediction

\* Song of Response: "The Same Love"

\* Postlude

\* Please stand if you are able

WELCOME HOME TO FELLOWSHIP REFORMED CHURCH. We are convinced that every member of our family brings a valuable contribution as we celebrate the one true God! This celebration takes place in three ways: worship, growth and service. As disciples, we long to see one another actively worshipping God—pursuing Him in a life of praise. Secondly, we are called to intentional growth—studying God's Word with brothers and sisters throughout the course of the week. Finally, we demonstrate our love for God by actively serving within His Kingdom—being the very hands and feet of Christ. Visit our website today and discover how you can worship, grow and serve within the family at FRC!

## **STAFF NEWS**

**SHELLI SCHULTZ** is on vacation through February 17. She will be back in the office on Monday, February 18.

#### **CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS**

<u>WELCOME GUESTS:</u> Thank you for worshipping with us today. Please fill out a blue Welcome Card located in the pew slot. Return the card to the Information Desk to receive a gift as a thank you for joining us today.

**THE ROSE ARRANGEMENT,** located this morning near the Baptismal Font, represents FRC's five Baptisms this year. This morning we celebrate the Baptisms of Landry Elliot Longstreet and Sawyer Elliott Sikkema. This evening we celebrate the Baptism of Adelynn Joy Veldman.

**INDIVIDUAL-USE HEARING DEVICES** are available at the Information Desk.

<u>FAMILY NIGHT CLASSES</u> will not meet this Wednesday, February 13. Please join us at Tarry Hall in Jenison for a fun night of roller skating. Classes will resume on Wednesday, February 20.

<u>SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES</u> will not be meeting on Sunday, February 17, so that our leaders can have a week off in appreciation of all that they do for Fellowship. Classes will resume on Sunday, February 24.

**EDUCATION LEADER APPRECIATION:** Everyone at FRC is invited for a light brunch in the Fellowship Hall from 9:40-10:45am on Sunday, February 17 (come and go as you please). This event is a "thank-you" on behalf of our amazing education leaders who serve our youngest children through adults.

**CHURCH BUILDING TOURS:** We will be offering church tours on Sunday, February 17. Everyone (members, non-members, and guests) is invited to join a tour of the entire building. Meet at the Information Desk at either 9:45am or 10:15am if you would like to join a tour.

**FAMILY NIGHT MEALS:** There is no meal this Wednesday, February 13. Looking ahead: February 20: Lasagna; February 27: Chicken/Cheese Potatoes; March 6: Hamburgers; March 13: Pizza. Sign up on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board to ensure everyone will be served.

# FELLOWSHIP REFORMED CHURCH EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 6:00PM

#### **WELCOME TO WORSHIP AND PRAISE**

Prelude

- \* Call to Worship: #68 "We Praise Thee, O God, Our Redeemer"
- \* Songs of Praise:

#79 "My Jesus, I Love Thee"

#36 "He Is Exalted"

\* Opening Prayer and Salutation

## **WE PRESENT PRAYERS AND OFFERINGS**

Infant Baptism: Adelynn Joy Veldman (daughter of Josh and Stephanie)

**Sharing of Joys and Concerns** 

Congregational Prayer/Offertory Prayer

Offering/Offertory

#### WE HEAR GOD'S HOLY WORD

Song of Preparation: #88 "More Precious than Silver"

Prayer for Blessing on the Word of God

Scripture: Matthew 6:25-34 (pg. 965 in the Pew Bible)

Message: "Worried Sick!" Rev. Shawn Hulst

Prayer for Application

#### WE RESPOND TO GOD'S HOLY WORD

- \* Benediction
- \* Song of Response: #139 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"
- \* Postlude
- \* Please stand if you are able

**YAK AND YARN:** Our group made a total of 770 items this past year. We thank you for all your support. We are always in need of more yarn and helpers. Come and check us out on the first Tuesday of the month at 1:00pm in the Music Room.

# **ELDER'S MEETING RECAP (FEBRUARY 3, 2019)**

#### **CONFESSION OF FAITH:**

Shane Mast

#### **REAFFIRMATIONS OF FAITH:**

- David VanDam
- Marla VanDam

#### TRANSFER OF MEMBERSHIP INTO FELLOWSHIP:

Joan Timmerman from Georgetown CRC

#### **NEW BUSINESS:**

924 Individuals were served Communion on February 3, 2019.

#### **COMMUNITY NEWS**

<u>PARENT SEMINAR</u>: Parents, grandparents, and all those who are invested in the lives of children from birth through college will benefit from attending a parenting seminar on Saturday, March 9, held at the Three Mile Project in Walker. Dr. Rob Rienow, founder of Visionary Family Ministries, will be teaching participants about a God-sized vision for their family and will give them the tools to raise their kids to be followers of Christ. Go to grparenting.org for more information and to sign up. The event begins at 9:00am and will conclude near noon.

<u>JEHOVAH JIREH MINISTRIES</u> is in need of some volunteers for a few positions: an office assistant, a receiving/stocking helper, a food pick-up driver, and a truck driver for food pick-ups. For a description of these positions, see the sheet located on the Outreach Bulletin Board.

#### **2019 FINANCIAL REPORT**

Budgeted Amount \$ 41,661.14 Last Week's Offering \$ 48,885.36 Overage to Date \$ 15,822.53 Sunday School \$ 105.93 Contributions to FRC can be made in four ways: Weekly Offerings during our Worship Services; Online Giving through Subsplash; Auto-Giving through your Bank; or Mailing a Check to the Church Address.

# Thank You!

Church Telephone: 616.669.1213 Church Prayer Line: 616.669.5400
Bulletin Announcement Deadline: 4:00pm on Wednesday
Web Site: frchudsonville.org
Worship Times: 8:30am, 11:00am, and 6:00pm

<u>AUCTION DONATIONS NEEDED</u>: On Saturday, March 16, the youth ministries are hosting a church-wide auction to raise funds for their summer missions experiences. We would love any new or nearly new items, tickets to concerts or sporting events, handmade items, services your business could provide, guided trips, cash donations, homemade food items, etc. Please fill out a form letting us know what item you'll be providing by Sunday, February 24. Forms are available at the Information Desk or online at frchudsonville.org.

MARCH NEWSLETTER DEADLINE: Items for the March Newsletter are due on Monday, February 18, at noon. They can be dropped off in the church office, emailed to Ifolkert@frchudsonville.org, or placed in the mailbox of Linda Folkert.

**FOR THE NEXT THREE WEEKS** you'll find a college care package display in the lobby. There are two options to choose from—of course you can do both. First, you could donate a snack/goodie/treat; you'll find great ideas listed on cards at the display. There are 62 students receiving a care package, so we need many items. Secondly, you could write a note of encouragement to a student (or two or three). You'll find student cards with information about that student enclosed. Both snacks and encouragement cards need to be returned to the display table by March 3. If you have any questions, call Shelli Schultz or Brian Boom at 669-1213.

**REMEMBER JULY 2000?** That was over 18 years ago. And that is when we purchased our trusty church bus. Many miles have been traveled with the bus—but maintenance (finding parts) and safety concerns have continued to increase. Fortunately, your generosity throughout 2018 (combined with underspending and several special gifts) has provided the funding to purchase a new church bus. Please pray that the Lord will bless every mile traveled as we seek to go and serve Him well.

**FACTS AND SNACKS:** Have you been attending Fellowship regularly, but are not yet a member? If you would like more information about FRC, have questions, or would just like to get acquainted with others from FRC, please join us on Sunday, February 17, at 5:00pm. Pastor Shawn and his wife, Susan, will be your hosts at their home at 5464 Alberta Drive, Hudsonville. Pastor Shawn will be presenting facts about FRC and information about membership. There will be a time for questions and answers. Light snacks will be served. Please sign up on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board if you plan to attend.

**OUR ANNUAL PINEWOOD DERBY** will be on Wednesday, March 20, at 6:30pm. This is an exciting event for the entire family. Car kits are available for purchase if you would like to enter in one of the races (ages 4 through high school). We are also having workshop days in Room 034 if you would like to come to church to work on your cars. These will take place on Saturday, March 2, and Saturday, March 9, from 10:00-noon. Sign-ups for car kits, races, and workshop days are posted on the Children's Ministries Bulletin Board.

**FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN:** A big thanks for your pigs-in-the-blanket orders. You can pick up your order TODAY (Sunday, February 10) in the kitchenette. Please make checks out to Cal or Deb Karsten and place them in their mailbox.

#### YOUTH MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

**NEW LIFE YOUTH MINISTRY (7th-8th gr.)** begins a lesson series tonight on "Sexuality: Understanding God's Design for Sex and Relationships." Our lesson tonight will be looking at God's original intention for sex and relationships. Join us tonight in the Youth Room from 5:30-7:00pm.

<u>LEAD CAMP</u>: Sign-ups begin today, February 10! New Life is headed to Expeditions Unlimited in Baraboo, Wisconsin, for our Annual Lead Camp July 24-29. Join us as we conquer the high ropes course, climb rock walls, marvel at God's creation at Devil's Lake State Park, and worship Him throughout the week. You won't want to miss out on this trip! The total cost is \$200. You can sign up the Youth Bulletin Board or online at frchudsonville.org/new-life. The deadline to sign up is Sunday, March 3, with a \$50 deposit.

TURNING POINT YOUTH MINISTRY (9th-12th gr.): How do you make decisions when the choice isn't very clear? Let's talk about it tonight, February 10, in the Youth Room from 7:30-9:00pm. We will not be meeting next Sunday, February 17, due to the retreat.

<u>TURNING POINT CRAN HILL RETREAT:</u> Participants need to meet at 5:30pm by Door F on Friday, February 15, for our departure to Cran Hill. Please make sure to bring your completed Cran Hill waiver and any funds you owe.

<u>HIGH SCHOOL SUNDAY SCHOOL:</u> We will continue our experience in the book of Ephesians today, February 10, from 9:45-10:40am in the Youth Room. Next Sunday, February 17, we will not have Sunday School due to the retreat.

#### **ADULT MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES**

**YOUNG ADULT'S BIBLE STUDY:** Join us in Room 109 beginning at 8:30pm this Wednesday, February 13, as we experience God through the book of Job.

<u>THE HOLY LAND VIDEO STUDY</u> resumes today in the Open Gate Sunday School Class. Join Joel Baar as he hosts this interesting series.

**BIBLES AND BOWS:** Join us at Blendon Pines for Bibles and Bows. The range opens at 6:30pm every Thursday evening and our Bible study begins at 7:30pm.

<u>JAMES FAITH/WORKS:</u> Join this fascinating study this Wednesday, February 13, at 6:45pm in the sanctuary as we look deeper into what James meant when he said faith without works is dead.

**YOUNG ADULT'S PASSION CONFERENCE 2020:** Sign up today for our trip to Atlanta December 31, 2019-January 2, 2020. A cost of \$300 will get you to the conference via charter bus, two meals, a hotel stay, and a ticket into the conference of over 60,000 18-25-year-olds worshiping Jesus together. Sign up on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board or online at frchudsonville.org/young-adults.

<u>DAWN PATROL</u>: God is Omnipresent. Do you find that scary or comforting? Join us at Dawn Patrol this Saturday, February 16, as we continue our study entitled, "Great Men, Greater God." We will be discussing the omnipresent aspect of God's character. Dawn Patrol begins at 7:30am in Room 027 on the third Saturday of every month.

<u>WANT MORE?</u> Each week the Adult Education/Discipleship Team researches the topic of the morning sermon in an attempt to provide you with additional follow-up resources. These resources are available each week at the "Want More?" displays on the bulletin tables. Everyone is encouraged to take advantage of these materials.

MEN'S SPRING TRAINING RETREAT to Grace Adventures will be March 22-24. The cost is \$65. Sign up on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board to join us for this great event! For more information, contact Nick Wabeke at 218-5083 or nick.wabeke@gmail.com. Our speaker this year is Kevin DeVries, the Founder and President of Grace Explorations. He is an inspirational speaker, explorer, entrepreneur, author, and national men's ministry leader from Grand Rapids.

#### **SOCIAL OPPORTUNITIES**

THE EUCHRE TOURNAMENT is this coming Saturday, February 16, in the Youth Room (enter at Door F). Join us at 6:00pm for pizza—please bring along some sort of a snack to share; pop will be provided. The tournament will begin at 6:30pm. While everyone who participates must know how to play Euchre, our goal is to have a fun night for everyone without any pressure! Sign up on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board—today is the last day to sign up. Contact Linda Folkert at Ifolkert@frchudsonville.org or 669-1213 with any questions.

ROLLER SKATING PARTY: Join us this Wednesday, February 13, for our Roller Skating Party at Tarry Hall in Grandville. Skating will begin at 6:00pm and conclude at 8:00pm. The cost is only \$4.00 person. Sign up on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board. Friends are welcome to attend this event with you (even if they aren't signed up.) We do ask that anyone under the age of 16 have an adult present with them at this event. Contact Linda Folkert at Ifolkert@frchudsonville.org or 669-1213 with any questions.

**SENIOR GAME DAY:** With so many of our participants in a warmer climate and the weather causing many cancellations, this group has decided to take a break until April. The next Senior Game Day will be on Wednesday, April 3.