

This Week at Fellowship

Sun.	8:30am Morning Worship Service	Sanctuary
	11:00am Morning Worship Service	Sanctuary
	1:00pm Turning Point Praise Band Rehearsal	Sanctuary
	4:00pm Elder's Meeting	Conference Room
	5:30pm Prayer Meeting	Pastor Shawn's Office
	5:30pm New Life and Turning Point Game Night	Youth Room
	6:00pm Evening Worship Service	Sanctuary
	6:00pm Creation First (1 of 4)	Fellowship Hall
Mon.	9:00am Pickleball	Gym
	4:30pm Schuurman Gym Usage	Gym
	7:00pm Cardio and Core Fitness Class	Gym
	7:00pm Business Consistory Meeting	Conference Room
Tues.	5:30am Early Riser's Men's Bible Study	Conference Room
	5:30am Young Men's Discipleship	Room 109
	9:00am Staff Meeting	Conference Room
	9:30am REFIT Dance Fitness	Gym
	10:00am Redoration Coffee	Rainbow Grill
	1:00pm Yak and Yarn	Conference Room
	5:30pm Upward Basketball	Gym
	6:30pm Classis Meeting	Fellowship Hall
	7:00pm Beth Moore Bible Study	Conference Room
Wed.	9:15am Drop-in Women's Bible Study	Fellowship Hall Annex
	9:30am Nelson Bible Study	Nursery
	9:30am Armor of God Bible Study	Conference Room
	12:00pm Serendipity Men's Bible Study	Baar Law Office
	1:30pm Senior Game Day	Conference Room
	8:30pm Men's Discipleship Bible Study	Conference Room
	8:30pm Young Adult's Bible Study	Room 109
Thurs.	6:30am Men's Scripture/Prayer Bible Study	Conference Room
	8:00am Women's War Room	Prayer Room
	9:30am REFIT Dance Fitness	Gym
	1:00pm Pickleball	Gym
	4:30pm Beemer Gym Usage	Gym
	6:00pm 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	Conference Room
	9:00am Pickleball	Gym
	6:00pm GEMS Late Nighter	Fellowship Hall
Sat.	2:00pm New Life to Rebounderz	Meet at Door F
	6:00pm Free Babysitting	Check in at Nursery Counter
	8:00pm Co-Ed Bowling League	Hudsonville Lanes



FELLOWSHIP *Family* RESOURCE

FEBRUARY 4, 2018

FINDING OUR VOICE

Prelude

* Call to Worship: #682 "Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

* Moments of Fellowship

* Songs of Praise:

"Greater"

"The Only Name (Yours Will Be)"

* Prayer and Salutation

SHARING OUR HEARTS

Congregational Prayer/Offertory Prayer

Offering/Offertory: "Blessed Assurance"

(Children may come forward for the Children's Message.)

FOCUSING OUR THOUGHTS

Children's Message/Guatemala Commissioning with Pastor Shawn

Prayer of Blessing on the Word of God

Scripture: **Genesis 3:1-13 (pg. 3) and Matthew 26:26-29 (pg. 989)**

Message: **"Take and Eat"**

Rev. Jeremy Visser

Prayer of Application

CELEBRATING OUR LORD

Meaning of the Sacrament

The Invitation

Blessing of the Bread and Cup

Distribution of the Elements

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Psalm of Praise

DEPARTING TO SERVE

* Benediction

* Song of Response: "We Believe"

* 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

JIM DEHORN is on vacation February 5-8. He will be back in the office on Monday, February 12.

LINDA FOLKERT is on vacation February 5-8. She will be back in the office on Monday, February 12.

VICKI VICTORY is on vacation February 5-13. She will be back in the office on Wednesday, February 14.

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME GUESTS: Thank you for worshipping with us today. Please fill out a blue Welcome Card that is located in the pew slot. Return the card to the Information Desk to receive a **FREE GIFT** as a thank you for joining us today.

GLUTEN-FREE COMMUNION ELEMENTS are available today at the Information Desk. We invite you to pick up the items before worship in anticipation of celebrating the Lord's Supper.

THERE IS NO SUNDAY SCHOOL OR CHILDREN IN WORSHIP today. We will resume next week Sunday, February 11.

ITEMS FOR LOVE INC FOOD PANTRY can be placed on the table in the lobby.

ELDER'S MEETING: If you would like to make your Confession or Reaffirmation of Faith in Jesus Christ—or, if you would like to request Baptism—please plan to meet with our Elders and Pastors TODAY at 4:00pm in the Conference Room. Enter the church at Door E. Those wishing to transfer their Church Membership into FRC should contact the church that currently holds their membership papers and request a transfer. Contact the Church Office at 669-1213 with any questions.

FAMILY NIGHT CLASSES will not meet this Wednesday, February 7. We will resume classes on February 14.

THE BETH MOORE TUESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY will be meeting this week, February 6, in the Conference Room. Please enter at Door E.

TO SHAKE—OR NOT TO SHAKE? Due to widespread illness, we encourage you to greet one another with a kind word while avoiding shaking hands before, during, and after our services throughout this cold and flu season.

FELLOWSHIP REFORMED CHURCH

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE

6:00PM

WELCOME TO WORSHIP AND PRAISE

Prelude

* Call to Worship: #38 “Ye Servants of God”

* Songs of Praise:

“Before the Throne of God Above”

“Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty” (#3)

* Opening Prayer and Salutation

WE PRESENT PRAYERS AND OFFERINGS

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Congregational Prayer/Offertory Prayer

Offering/Offertory

WE HEAR GOD'S HOLY WORD

* Song of Preparation: #377 “Alleluia! Sing to Jesus”

Prayer for Blessing on the Word of God

Scripture: **John 15: 1-2, Hebrews 12:7-11, Romans 5:3-5, 2 Cor. 12:7-10**

Message: **“The Positives of Pruning”**

Rev. Mike VanBuren

Prayer for Application

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S HOLY WORD

* Benediction

* Song of Response: #435 “God of Grace and God of Glory”

* Postlude

* *please stand if you are able*

YAK AND YARN will meet on Tuesday, February 6, at 1:00pm in the Conference Room. Anyone who would like to knit or crochet for those in need (or if you'd like to learn more about this group) are welcome to join them.

SENIOR GAME DAY: Do you need to get out of the house during these dreary winter months? How about joining other seniors from FRC for a couple hours playing games? Join us on Wednesday, February 7, at 1:30pm in the Conference Room. Sign up on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board.

ALL-CHURCH ROLLER SKATING PARTY: Everyone is invited to Tarry Hall Skating Rink in Grandville on Monday, February 19, from 6:00-8:00pm. Cost is \$4.00 admission. Roller Skate Rental and Roller Blade Rental is \$1.00. Sign up on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board. Friends and neighbors are welcome! We do ask that anyone under the age of 16 be accompanied by an adult.

EUCHRE TOURNAMENT: Join us on Saturday, February 24, from 6:30-9:00pm for a Euchre Tournament. We will meet in the Youth Room. We will begin the night at 6:30pm with pizza (donations will be accepted to cover the cost of the pizza). Please also bring some sort of a snack to share; pop will be provided. The tournament will begin at 7:00pm—prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place! Sign up on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board. If you don't have a partner, sign up anyway and we will try to partner you up with someone.

"I CAN ONLY IMAGINE" You know the song—now find out the story behind the song. FRC is renting a theater at Rivertown Celebration Cinema to see the movie, "I Can Only Imagine," (Rated PG) on Saturday, March 17, at 4:55pm. Cost is only \$5.00 per person. Sign up on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board if you are interested in going (space is limited). Payment is due by Sunday, March 4 (checks payable to Fellowship and placed in the mailbox of Linda Folkert).

FREE BABYSITTING: Parents, enjoy a night out on the New Life Youth Ministry! On Saturday, February 10, we will care for your children from 5:30-9:00pm. You simply need to sign them up on the Youth Bulletin Board, register them the evening of the 10th at the nursery drop-off counter, and pick them back up by 9:00pm.

PANTRY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! Our Love INC Food Pantry at church is looking for some help. We pack groceries for Love INC clients on Tuesday afternoons and greet the clients on Wednesday mornings and evenings. This is a great opportunity for individuals, couples, or families. At this time, we have a great need for Wednesday evening greeters as most of our regular volunteers have headed to warmer temperatures. Come check out the pantry any Tuesday afternoon (around 12:30pm) to see what is going on. If you would like to help out or just have questions, please contact Sandy Costen at 669-1385.

IT'S COLLEGE CARE PACKAGE TIME, which means we need your help. For three weeks beginning Sunday, February 18, a college care package display will be in the lobby. There are two options to choose from—of course you can do both. You could donate a snack/goody/treat of your choice. There are 50 students receiving these so we need many items. You'll find samples of great ideas at the display table. Secondly, you could write a note of encouragement to a student (or two or three). You'll find student cards with information about the student enclosed. Both snacks and encouragement cards need to be returned to the display table by Sunday, March 4. If you have any questions, please contact Shelli Schultz or Brian Boom at 669-1213.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEALS: There is no meal this Wednesday, February 7. Join us on Wednesday, February 14, from 5:15-6:15pm in the gym for a meal of Lasagna. The cost is a suggested donation of \$3.00 per person. Sign up for the meal on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board. Looking ahead: February 21: Soup, Salad, and Rolls; February 28: Chicken Tenders, Mac and Cheese; March 7: BBQ and Baked Beans; March 14: Pizza.

INFORMATION DESK VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED at the Information Desk for our evening services. Volunteers would be scheduled every four to six weeks and training will be provided. If you are able to help with this important ministry, please sign up on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board today. Contact Dawn Feenstra at 669-1213x122 or email dfeenstra@frchudsonville.org with any questions.

VBS IS FAST APPROACHING and the craft ladies have been busy finding great crafts for our kids to remind them of Jesus and VBS. If you would like to help, you can donate the following items: Pringles cans, full skeins of yarn, assortment of washers, nuts, bolts, brackets etc., sandwich bags, brown paper lunch bags, potting soil, and grass seed. Please bring your donations to the Information Desk. Thank you so much for helping our kids learn about Jesus.

2018 FINANCIAL REPORT

Budgeted Amount	\$ 40,851.74	Contributions to FRC can be made in four ways:
Last Week's Offering	\$ 38,147.20	Weekly Offerings during our Worship Services;
Overage to Date	\$ 10,642.30	Online Giving through PayPal;
		Auto-Giving through your Bank;
Sunday School	\$ 87.55	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

FELLOWSHIP'S ANNUAL PINEWOOD DERBY will be on Wednesday, March 21, at 6:30pm. Classes range from age 4 through 12th grade. All BOOM! boys will be given a car kit and will be able to design and make their own cars. Additional car kits are available for purchase. If you or your children would like to be involved in this fun event, a sign-up sheet to purchase kits is posted on the Children's Ministries Bulletin Board. Each kit costs \$3.00. We will also have workshop days on the mornings of March 10 and March 17 from 10:00am-12:00pm if you would like to use the tools in Room 034 at church. Contact Vicki Victory if you have any questions.

YOUTH MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

NEW LIFE YOUTH MINISTRY (7th-8th gr.) meets for Game Night tonight. Next week, we will begin a series on the power of our words in the Youth Room from 5:30-7:00pm.

TURNING POINT YOUTH MINISTRY (9th-12th gr.): Game Night tonight beginning at 5:30pm. Next week, we lead the congregation in worship at both morning services. All students, regardless of role in the service, are asked to meet in the Youth Room at 7:45am to get your t-shirt and pray prior to the service.

ALL 7TH-12TH GRADE STUDENTS: Join us tonight for Game Night in the Youth Room beginning at 5:30pm. We will have various board games, active games, video games, and tournaments throughout the night. The Big Game will be on multiple screens and we'll hear from God's Word on the issue of living a life worthy of your calling. Bring your favorite game and a friend! The event ends at 10:00pm, but you can leave when you need to.

NEW LIFE REBOUNDERZ AND BABYSITTING EVENT: Today is the last day to sign up for Rebounderz and Babysitting, which is happening this Saturday, February 10. We'll be meeting at church at 2pm, heading to Rebounderz for 90 minutes of fun, returning to church for food, and then serving the congregation by babysitting their kids from 5:30-9:00pm. Cost is \$10 and a Rebounderz waiver is required (online only at <https://rebounderzgrandrapids.pfestore.com/waiver/>).

ADULT MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

YOUNG ADULT'S "REASON FOR GOD" STUDY meets this Wednesday, February 7, from 8:30-9:30pm. Join us in Room 109 as we discuss the questions, "Why does God allow suffering?" and "Why is there so much evil in this world?"

IN THE OPEN GATE NEXT WEEK: Join Joel Baar as he introduces a short video series entitled, "All the Places to Go." There are very few times in the Bible when God commands someone to "stay." He usually opens doors and invites us to walk through them into the unknown. How we choose to respond will ultimately determine the life we lead, and the person we will become. To fail to embrace the open door is to miss the work that God has made for us to do. Our video host will be John Ortberg, speaker, author, and pastor who has led the Open Gate Sunday school class through several other outstanding studies.

CREATION FIRST: Don't miss the first session of "Creation First," as it begins this evening. Chuck Bultman will kick off this exciting "four-session" worship seminar. The Fellowship Hall will be the place and 6:00pm will be the time, and an entertaining, stimulating learning experience will be the event. As you walk into the Fellowship Hall, you'll be greeted by a 12-foot long model of Noah's Ark. Come together as a family, and be blessed together as a family. Snacks will be on the tables or you can bring your own. The Education/Discipleship team promises you an experience like you've never had before as you grow in your faith. Q&A's four and five of the *New City Catechism* deal with God's Creation. Join us in the "Creation First" seminar and be awed by what God has done.

GOD WINS: Are you attending Pastor Mike's class on the book of Revelation? Then you're going to want to read this week's FRC Discipleship Blog, written by Jim DeHorn, entitled, "What Do You Think, Are You 'Pre,' 'Post,' or 'A'?" If you don't get the blog yet, subscribe now, by clicking on the "Resources" heading on the Fellowship website. Subscribe today, and get the blog tomorrow.

WOMEN'S THURSDAY AM BIBLE STUDY begins a new, seven-week study entitled, "Hosea-Unfailing Love Changes Everything." This DVD-based study helps us dig into Scripture we seldom read to confirm our identity as women of God. Sign up by February 11 on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board. New members are welcome! See the February FRC Newsletter for more details.

LADIES ARE INVITED to join the Women's Sunday School class as we watch the DVD Bible Study, "Jonah: Navigating a Life Interrupted," by Priscilla Shirer. This Bible Study gives valuable insight as to what we do when God interrupts our lives. Priscilla redefines interruption and shows that an interruption is actually God's invitation to do something beyond our wildest dreams. When Jonah was willing to allow God to interrupt his life, the result was revival in an entire city. This study will occur from February 25-April 15. Please sign up on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board if you are interested.

SPRING TRAINING: Fellowship's Men's Weekend at Grace Adventures will be April 6-8 this year, and it's not too early to reserve your spot now. This is a fantastic experience that you don't want to miss. Sign up on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board ASAP as registration numbers are limited and we don't want anyone "left-behind."

NEW CITY CATECHISM WEEK FIVE: *Question:* What else did God create? *Answer:* God created all things by His powerful Word, and all His creation was very good; everything flourished under His loving rule. The question for Week Six is: How can we glorify God?

SOCIAL OPPORTUNITIES

REDORATION COFFEE: Join the Red Hat Group for coffee and conversation on Tuesday, February 6. They meet at Rainbow Grill in Hudsonville at 10:00am. New members are always welcome!