



fellowship
CHURCH

CELEBRATING OUR GOD NOVEMBER 26, 2023

Songs of Praise and Prayer:

“I Thank God”

“My Jesus”

8:30A Service:

Membership Transfers:

Bob and Pam Phillips

Confessions of Faith:

Colton Kamphuis (son of Doug and Tiffany)

Dakota Kamphuis (son of Doug and Tiffany)

Infant Baptism:

Taylor Jolie Friberg (daughter of Matt and Emily)

11:00A Service:

Infant Baptism:

Jason Andrew Burgess (son of Nick and Elizabeth)

Congregational Prayer

(Please take a moment to sign and pass the Fellowship Pad or check-in online.)



MATURING RELATIONSHIPS

Song of Preparation: “Hymn of Heaven”

(Children ages 3 - Kindergarten may go to Children and Worship.)

Prayer for the Blessing on the Word of God

Scripture: Nehemiah 8:1-12 (pg. 474)

Message: “Five Rules for the Holidays”

Pastor Tim Lyzenga

Prayer of Application

CELEBRATING OUR LORD

Service of Communion

Prayer of Thanksgiving

ENGAGING THE WORLD

Benediction

Song of Response: “All the People Said Amen”

WELCOME

We're so glad you've joined us today! If you're a first-time guest, please fill out a Welcome Card located in the pew slot in front of you or online. Stay up to date at Fellowship with our app, website, and Facebook page.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE SACRAMENT OF COMMUNION will be celebrated at both Worship Services **today** (Sunday, November 26). Gluten-free wafers will be available at the Information Desk. For those worshipping via livestream, please prepare a portion of bread and a cup of juice before the service.

REVERSE OFFERING: Items for the Hand2Hand Reverse Offering may be returned to the table in the Lobby **today** (Sunday, November 26). These items will help to supply Fellowship's Hand2Hand Pantry and will be distributed to students at Godwin Heights Schools.

GODWIN HEIGHTS CHRISTMAS: School organizers are asking to receive Meijer Gift Cards to bless families, allowing them to make their own food choices. If you would like to support a family by purchasing Meijer gift cards, please see Pastor Brent after either service, **today** (Sunday, November 26), in the Lobby to receive a family bio sheet.

OUR ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING will be held on Sunday, December 3, at 9:45A in the Sanctuary; we will be voting at this meeting. If you cannot attend this meeting, absentee ballots can be requested by contacting Linda Folkert at 669-1213 or lfolkert@frchudsonville.org. During the meeting, there will be an informational presentation, including the introduction of Consistory nominees and a budget review, followed by the vote.

CONSISTORY NOMINATIONS: The following men have been nominated for the Office of Elder: Tom Beltman, Bruce Kleinjans, Todd Mast, and Bob Nyenhuis (elect two). The following men have been nominated for the Office of Deacon: Zach Bohl, Kellen Brusveen, Nick Burgess, and Michael Wabeke (elect two).

ELDERS' 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 on Sunday, December 3, at 4:00P in Room 107. Enter the church at Door D or E. Those wishing to transfer their Church Membership into FRC should contact Linda Folkert at 669-1213 for assistance.

IMPORTANT DATES:

- Sunday, November 26 - No Sunday School or Children and Worship
- Sunday, December 10 - No Children and Worship at the 11:00A Service (Kids' Christmas Program)
- Sunday, December 17 - No Sunday School (**UPDATED**)
- Wednesday, December 20 - No Family Night (**UPDATED**)

ANNUAL CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON: If you are a Widow, Widower, or Single Senior, you are invited to our Annual Christmas Luncheon on Monday, December 11, at noon. **Today** (Sunday, November 26) is the deadline to sign up! Please do so by adding your name to the sign-up sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board.

DISHWASHERS NEEDED: We still need two volunteers to help wash dishes on Monday, December 11, following the Widow, Widower, Single Senior Christmas Luncheon. If you can help, please sign up on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board.

YARN DONATIONS continue to be accepted for our Yak and Yarn group to make projects for local non-profit agencies. They are especially in need of 4-ply yarn for their winter projects. Yarn can be dropped off at the Church Office or the Information Desk.

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP FOR CHRISTMAS EVE: If you are able to serve in Children and Worship for our Christmas Eve service at 11:00A, please sign up on the Kids' Ministry Bulletin Board. There is no lesson prep needed. Contact Megan at mdurham@frchudsonville.org with any questions.

CHRISTMAS CARDS FOR FRIENDS AT HOME: Please consider giving a Christmas Card to each Friend-at-Home listed on the Prayer Insert. Your cards can be placed in the containers on the table in the Lobby through Sunday, December 10.

KIDS

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM DRAMA PRACTICE (4th - 5th Graders with drama parts) will be on Saturday, December 2, from 9:00-10:00A in the Checkerboard Area. Please contact Vicki at vvictory@frchudsonville.org with questions.

KIDS' PROGRAM PRACTICE: The Kids' Christmas Program practice will be on Saturday, December 9, from 9:00-10:30A, and the Christmas Program will be on Sunday, December 10, at 11:00A. The practice and program are for all three-year-old through 3rd Grade Sunday School kids and 4th and 5th Grade drama participants. Contact Vicki at vvictory@frchudsonville.org with questions.

SOCIAL

COLLINGSWORTH CHRISTMAS CONCERT: We have two tickets available for the Collingsworth Family Christmas Concert on Saturday, December 2. The cost is \$27 per ticket. Contact Linda at lfolkert@frchudsonville.org if interested.

LADIES' OVER 50 COFFEE: Ladies over 50 are invited to join us on Tuesday, December 5, at 11:00A at Russ' Grandville for a Christmas Luncheon. Please bring a \$5 gift for a gift exchange. Sign up on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board by Sunday, December 3. Contact Bev Mulder with any questions at 669-2238.

RETIREE GROUP ORGAN CONCERT: Join us for a Christmas Concert featuring the Mighty Wurlitzer Organ at the GR Public Museum on Saturday, December 16. The bus will leave church at 1:00P. The cost is \$15 per person; payment should be placed in the mailbox of Linda Folkert. Sign up on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board--we have a limited supply of tickets. Following the concert, we will stop for dessert/early supper at Arrows.

 **Worship Times: 8:30A and 11:00A**

THIS WEEK AT FELLOWSHIP

SUN 26	8:30A	Worship Service	Sanctuary
	9:45A	Kamphuis Confession Celebration	Room 027
	10:00A	Welcome Team Appreciation Meeting	Fellowship Hall
	11:00A	Worship Service	Sanctuary
	12:00P	Burgess Baptism Celebration	Gym
	6:00P	Turning Point Turkey Olympics	Youth Room/Gym
MON 27	9:00A	Pickleball	Gym
	3:30P	Zeilstra Gym Usage	Gym
	6:30P	Deacon's Meeting	Youth Room
	6:45P	High School Basketball	Gym
TUE 28	5:30A	Cross-Age Brotherhood Men's Bible Study	Room 109
	5:30A	Early Risers Men's Bible Study	Room 107
	5:30A	Young Ladies' Bible Study	Room 108
	9:00A	Staff Meeting	Room 107
	9:00A	Pickleball	Gym
	1:30P	Blood Drive	Fellowship Hall
	2:00P	Homeschool Game Time	Gym
	4:00P	Brusveen Gym Usage	Gym
WED 29	10:00A	Women's Koinonia Bible Study	Room 027
	12:00P	Iron Sharpens Iron Bible Study	Baar Law Office
	5:15P	Family Night Meal	Gym
	6:30P	JR JAM/JAM/GEMS/BOOM!	Various
	6:30P	Women's Bible Study	Room 001
	6:45P	Success That Matters	Room 042
	6:45P	Raising Your Kids Without ...	Sanctuary
	6:45P	Men's Discipleship Group	Prayer Room
THU 30	6:30A	Men's Prayer and Scripture Study	Room 107
	8:30A	Women's War Room Prayer Group	Room 109
	3:00P	Underground	Youth Room/Gym
	5:30P	Pickleball	Gym
	7:00P	Podcast Bible Study Gathering	Lobby
	7:00P	East Ottawa Special Ministries	Fellowship Hall
FRI 1	7:00A	Band of Brothers	Room 107
	9:00A	Pickleball	Gym
	3:30P	Zeilstra Gym Usage	Gym
	6:00P	Staff Christmas Party	Offsite
SAT 2	9:00A	Christmas Program Drama Rehearsal	Checkerboard Room
	9:00A	Fall Fundraiser Order Pick Up	Door D
	6:00P	Collingsworth Family Concert	Jonison PAC

2023 STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Budgeted Amount	\$ 42,445.83	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.
Last Week's Offering	\$ 36,672.97	
Shortage To Date	\$ (56,838.09)	
Sunday School	\$ 68.49	

Thank You!