## SUNDAY WORSHIP April 23, 2017 – 9 AM

Prelude "Ten Thousand Angels" Char Baumann "Don't you realize that I could ask my Father for thousands of angels to protect us, and he would send them instantly?" Matthew 26:53 NLT

Choral Call to Worship "Amazing Love" (congregation join on vs. 2 & 3)

\*Time of Welcome

(GUESTS: Please take a few minutes to fill out a "welcome card" and place it in the offering plate later in the service.)

\*Worship Song # 220 "He Lives"

\*Prayer of Praise

Announcements

Prayer of Confession based on Genesis 6:6-7 (Unison)

How tragic, O Lord, that we should cause You grief and fill Your heart with pain. You made us so that we may glorify You and give You delight. But our wickedness is great, polluting even our hidden thoughts. Yet we praise You, O God, that in Your great mercy You have chosen not to wipe us from the face of the earth; rather, You have chosen to wipe away our sins and transgressions. Cleanse us, wash us, free us, so that we might fear You and serve You. May we grieve your Spirit no longer, but instead bring delight to Your heart. Amen

Words of Assurance and Pardon Psalm 103:8-12 NLT

Worship Choir Anthem "Love Found a Way"

Congregational and Offertory Prayer

Offering of our Tithes, Gifts and Voices "Because He Lives (Amen)" (lyrics on screen)

\*# 625 "Doxology"

\*Worship Song # 225 vs. 1, 2 & 5 "Worship Christ the Risen King"

Prayer for God's Word to Strengthen Our Hearts

Scripture: Genesis 6:9-22 (page 9) by Kevin Dulmes

Message: EARLY GARDENERS: BROKENNESS

Prayer for Obedience to God in Our Daily Lives

\*Benediction

\*Parting Chorus (refrain only, twice) # 105 "He Is Lord"

\*Postlude

(\*Those who are able are invited to stand. Please stand as the hymn introduction begins.)

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## <u>Hingham Reformed Church</u> <u>Vision Statement</u>

Building followers of Jesus
who glorify God;
depend on His Word, Spirit,
and prayer;
impacting people
with his grace, truth, and love.

# TODAY AT HINGHAM REFORMED CHURCH April 23, 2017

#### **WELCOME TO OUR SERVICE TODAY!**

If you are a guest, we are glad you have joined us. We pray that you will be blessed as we worship together. The following are made available for your assistance: restrooms (available in the south entry or in the hallway north of the sanctuary); an elevator to all levels; nursery care for infants and toddlers on the main level. If you have any questions about membership or getting plugged in to the life and ministry of our congregation, please call the church office at (564-2879) and please know: we're glad you're here. Please stop at our information booth located in the north end of the narthex for information on activities.

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**TODAY** - 9 AM Morning Worship. Pastor Steve leads us in worship today.

- 8:30 AM Prayer Meeting in the Crusaders Room
- 10:15 AM Sunday School Adult Sunday School Class –
- "Sermon Topics How to apply the message to your everyday life" led by Larry Duenk. This class will be held in the Choir Room.
- "The Book of Galatians" led by Don Heideman in the Fellowship Hall, at the south end.
- 10:20 AM Pastor's Class
- 5:30 PM High School Youth Group

Everyone is invited to enjoy coffee and fellowship in the Fellowship Hall immediately following morning worship.

# ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP and FELLOWSHIP

**NURSERY TODAY:** Michelle Oppeneer, Samantha Kanz, Sydney Kanz

Nursery Next Sunday (4/30): Megan Balde, Rachel Mentink, Isabelle Kolste

**Sunday School Nursery Today**: Jackie Parrish Sunday School Nursery Next Sunday: (4/30) Lisa Brusse CHILDREN'S BULLETINS: April: Liz Stokdyk

GREETERS: North South

Today – Travis & Nicole Ten Pas Ryan & Melissa Ten Pas

4/30 – Clarence & Mary Thiel Barb TeStroete

5/7 – Jay & Cindy VanderWeele Christine & Jon Veldboom

**ROVING GREETERS:** 

Today - Gary & Doris Kolste

4/30 – Tony Kaat 5/7 – Jim Dolfin

#### **SOUND SYSTEM OPERATORS:**

Today - David Dolfin

4/30 – Dirk Dulmes 5/7 – Bob Stokdyk

**VIDEO OPERATORS: Today** – Leroy Gaines

4/30 – Andy Eggebeen 5/7 – Andy Eggebeen

MEDIA:

Today – Riley Mentink

4/30 – Kevin Bruggink 5/7 – Owen Kolste

#### THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

## **MONDAY** (4/24)

- 6:30 PM Bell Choir

### WEDNESDAY (4/26)

- 6:30 PM Middle School Youth Group
- 7 PM Worship Choir

## **THURSDAY** (4/27)

- 6:30 PM Praise Band

### NEXT LORD'S DAY (4/30)

- 8:30 AM Prayer Meeting in the Crusaders Room
- 9 AM Morning Worship
- 10:15 AM Sunday School
- 10:20 AM Pastor's Class
- 5:30 PM High School Youth Group

### **CHURCH FAMILY NEWS**

Mary De Troye (Kathy Dykstra's Mother) – 24 Hour Hospice Care.

Please keep Mary and the Family in your prayers.

Betty Polster – Chemotherapy Treatment

Dave Dolfin - Multiple Myeloma

Lillian Dykstra – Stroke

Mike Heinen – Prostate Cancer

Sue Arentsen – Ovarian Cancer

Barry Huibregtse – Immune Deficiency

Dave Scholten – Parkinson's Disease

Barb Veldboom – Parkinson's Disease

Gloria De Groff - Multiple Sclerosis

Grand Child Baby Ver Velde - Heart Issues and

Surgery after Birth

**CONGRATULATIONS** to Mildred Rauwerdink who will be celebrating her 97<sup>th</sup> birthday on Monday, April 24<sup>th</sup>!!

**THANK YOU** for all of the prayers and cards during my recent surgery and recovery.

...Keith & Carol Dulmes

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

If you are Interested in Helping with Food Planning for Funerals, we are having a meeting after church <u>TODAY</u>. Please meet in the Fellowship Hall.

There will be an informational presentation by the Committee on Human Sexuality lasting about 10 minutes at the conclusion of morning worship on Sunday, April 30<sup>th</sup>. There will still be Sunday School and the Pastor's Class that day. The Reformed Church in America has failed to ratify the amendments that came before the 45 Classes of the RCA that were designed to strengthen the language of the marriage liturgy to say, "Marriage is between one man and one woman". The Elders are continuing to pursue a pathway to departure from the RCA and want to inform the congregation of the next steps to be undertaken by the special committee.

**Many Have Volunteered to Help;** however, we will need more volunteers this summer for this summer's VBS program *ROME:* 

**Paul and the Underground Church.** Please prayerfully consider becoming a part of **ROME** this summer, July 24-28. Sign-up sheets will be available soon.

- Start learning the VBS songs today! VBS CD's and DVD's are available at the welcome center. CD's are \$6.00 and DVD's are \$15.00. Please write checks to Hingham Reformed Church.
- We are once again looking for individuals to donate funds to purchase t-shirts for VBS. If you are willing to donate toward the purchase of the VBS shirts please talk to Nancy De Jong. No amount of donation is too small. Thank You!

Church Family Bible Reading Plan. Week 32: April 23, 2017 – We are relational beings because He created us that way. When we open the Bible, therefore, we are engaging with God's communication to us. Read Genesis 24. Where do you have the hardest time trusting that God is lovingly in control of your life?

Join us on Tuesday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Mental Health and Alcohol & Other Drug Abuse Resource Fair. This resource fair is at the St. Dominic Parish Activity Center, 2133 N. 22<sup>nd</sup> St. Sheboygan. Join us anytime between 4 pm and 7 pm! This event is for anyone interested in discovering community resources, networking or sharing information. For questions call 458-3951.

National Day of Prayer: Oostburg Christian School invites you to attend the community-wide National Day of Prayer service Thursday, May 4, beginning at 11:30 in our school gymnasium. We welcome everyone to attend this important event and we will see you as you enter our building off the parking lot on 7<sup>th</sup> street. This year's theme is based on Daniel 9:19 "For your great name's sake, hear us...forgive us...heal us." You are welcome to come and participate in worship as we praise God for his bountiful blessing and pray for his wisdom to rule in our country.

Love INC News: We are excited to share with you all the news of our upcoming fundraiser taking place on Saturday, June 3, 2017 from 10:00 AM-6:00 PM! Love INC will be hosting a Bowl-a-Thon entitled, "Love INC Fun-Raiser: A Hand Up, Frame-by-Frame" at Odyssey Fun Center in Sheboygan Falls. As we expand and move into our next phases of development, we hope you will continue to joyfully support the Love INC Mission of transforming lives within our communities. Our fundraising goal for the bowl-a-thon is \$5,000 to be raised through bowling teams, a 50/50 raffle, and a basket raffle. If anyone would

# like to be a representative from our church and organize this event please call the church office or email.

- There are flyers and bowler registration forms on the Welcome Center.
- Please put together a gift basket (\$25 minimum please), please include a small sign or label with your church's name on it. The baskets can be themed or not themed. Please bring your basket to Love INC by 3:00 PM on Thursday, June 1<sup>st</sup>.

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

April 30 – 7:30 AM Words of Hope WJUB 1420 AM Coming up on Groundwork: Waiting for the Second Coming

May 1 – 6:30 PM Bell Choir

May 3 – 6:30 PM Middle School Youth Group

- 7 PM Worship Choir

May 4 – 9 AM Prayer Group

10:30 AM Bible Study

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#### **DEACONS REPORT - March 2017**

	General	<u>Benevolent</u>	Building
Mar Receipts	29,744	4,315	2,625
Mar Budget	30,078	6,212	2,400
Over/Under	-334	-1,897	225
YTD Receipts	69,760	16,812	5,285
YTD Budget	90,234	18,636	7,200
Over/Under	-20,474	-1,824	-1,915
YTD Receipts	69,760		
YTD Expenses	87,881		
Over/Under	-18,121		

# PLEASE KEEP THESE PEOPLE IN YOUR PRAYERS THIS MORNING AND DURING THE COMING WEEK:

## **Currently in Residential & Rehabilitation Nursing Homes:**

Azura Memory Care – Ruth Obbink

Cedar Grove Gardens – Jean Hoftiezer, Marion Wynveen

Heritage Senior Living – Laverne Joosse

Pine Haven – Residential: Marion Johnston, Carl Joosse,

Ralph Dykstra, Mary Wilterdink, Mildred Rauwerdink,

Floyd Tenpas

Pine Haven Prairie Crossing - Edith Bruggink

Pine Haven Christian Communities/Oostburg – Bea Wilterdink,
Dave & Audrey Dolfin
Victoria Castle – Helen Arentsen

(If you know of anyone who would like their name included on this list please contact the church office.)

Our <b>Sunday morning worship service</b> is broadcast on Time Warner Cable channel 14. Times are as follows:				
<u>Monday</u>	Tuesday	Wednesday		
2:30 pm	2:30 pm	5:30 am		
10:00 pm		2:30 pm		
Thursday	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>		
5:30 am	8:30 am	8:30 am		
2:30 pm				
10:00 pm				