

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

WEATHER CANCELLATION GUIDELINES

Please check the church website (fellowshipreformed.org) for the most up-to-date information on closings! Often, cancellations will be communicated via email and on social media, as well. The decision to cancel Sunday morning worship will be made by 7am and communicated shortly thereafter. The decision to cancel Community Nights will be made by 12pm and communicated shortly thereafter. Fellowship will consider weather service alerts, local school closings, and local weather conditions when making decisions about closings.

NETHERLANDS MISSION TRIP

Fellowship is in the final stages of planning our trip to the Netherlands to visit Church planter partners in Apeldoorn. We only have 4 spots left and we are hoping to solidify the team by February 4. Use the QR code to signup. For more information, contact trip leaders, Tim and Susan DeForest: tsdeforest66@gmail.com



WORD OF THE YEAR

As a follow up to Pastor Ross' challenge to choose a word of the year for 2024 to live into, we are offering an opportunity for you to make a visual reminder of your word. In the Gallery, you will find a table with puzzle pieces on it. Take a moment to write your word on a piece of the puzzle and drop it in the box provided. Over the next few weeks we will build a "Fellowship Word of the Year" puzzle for all to enjoy.

GIVING

To support the work God is doing in and through Fellowship's ministries, you can give cash or checks using the offering bowls in the Sanctuary, text any dollar amount to **84321**, or use the QR code or the Church Center app to give online.



PRAYER REQUESTS

If you would like to submit a prayer request, we have a new system using a QR code. You may choose whether you want the request to go to the Care Team (pastors and care coordinator), to the prayer chain (a group of lay leaders/staff), or be published in the bulletin. If you are not comfortable using the QR code, please contact Pat Vorpapel at 616.399.9280, ext. 130 or pvorpapel@fellowshipreformed.org to request prayers.



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KURIOS



SUNDAY | JANUARY 21 | 9 & 10:30AM

Prelude

Call to Worship

*A Mighty Fortress is Our God (Hymn #260)**

*Great Are You, Lord**

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Giving Thanks for Mentors

*Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing**

Passing the Peace

Welcome & Announcements

(dismissed during song: 3 yrs - 5th grade [9am]; 3 yrs - 8th grade [10:30am])

Fairest Lord Jesus (Hymn #306)

Scripture: Mark 3:1-6

Sermon: "Lord of the Sabbath"

*What a Beautiful Name**

Benediction

Postlude

**indicates congregational song*

Leading in the Service:

Preaching: Rev. Ross Dieleman

Liturgists: Rev. Tierra Marshall, Rev. Nate Schipper

Worship Band: Megan Abbott, Barb Eriks, Daniel González-Gómez, Jasmine & Rodd Lowell, Lori Maatman, Marcia Meoli-Smith, Abbey Price

Audio & Video Tech Team: Joel & Luke Bosma, Aaron Clark, Jeremy Dalman, Travis Dixon, Mary Moore, Paul Solis, Duane & Ginger VandenBrink

As a **WITH MINISTRIES** church, Fellowship welcomes all individuals and families living with disabilities. Please inquire at the Welcome Center for assistance and/or additional information. We have a team, led by Sara Gortsema, that addresses these needs in our community all year round.

PYE | MENTAL HEALTH, TECH, & KIDS

All caring adults are invited to this presentation by Protect Young Eyes on Wednesday, February 7 @ 6:30pm (following the 5:45pm Community Night meal). Studies are starting to point toward a greater percentage of young people who struggle with anxiety, depression, and suicide ideation. This talk elevates our understanding of their brains so that we elevate our empathy and know how to care for them. Use the QR code to sign up.



CONSISTORY NOMINATIONS

We invite you to nominate individuals you trust are equipped and suited to serve as elders and deacons on Fellowship's Consistory. You can make your nominations and find out more information about consistory by using the QR code. Please make your nominations by Tuesday, January 31.



ALL-CHURCH RETREAT | MARCH 8-10

We invite you to spend an awesome weekend away with your church family March 8-10 @ Timber Wolf Lake Young Life Camp in Lake City, MI. Use the QR code to sign up and learn more!



ELEVATE SUMMER TRIP INFO MEETINGS

Middle school students and parents, you're invited to learn more about the 2024 Elevate Summer Trip. We will have two brief meeting options: this morning @ 11:40am in the Youth Center or this Wednesday evening, January 24 @ 7:20pm in the Youth Center. We are excited to share our plans and invite your middle schooler to join us this summer! Contact Hannah Cochrane with questions: hcochrane@fellowshippreformed.org

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Mark 2:23 - 3:6 | January 21

Journal it. Ask a friend. Discuss it in a group.

Reflect | Do you remember practicing Sabbath, a full day of rest, as a kid? Was it a day that you looked forward to? Why or why not? If your family didn't practice Sabbath, looking back, do you wish you had? Why or why not?

Excavate | What were God's people to do and not do on the Sabbath? What do you think that says about the purpose of the Sabbath? [see Genesis 2:1-13, Exodus 20:8-11, Exodus 31:12-17, Deuteronomy 5:12-15?]

Interpret | How does Jesus' teaching and practice about the Sabbath reflect and/or refine the practice of Sabbath?

Examine | Do you – as an individual, couple, or family – currently practice Sabbath? How easy or difficult is it for you to set aside a day of rest? Why do you think that is? Sabbath is intended to be joyful. What would make Sabbath a joyful experience for you and/or your family?

Apply | How might you set aside an intentional day to rest, connect with God and others, and play this week? What could you do that you and/or your family would look forward to?

Invite | How might you help create an opportunity for someone else to enjoy Sabbath rest this week?