

Order of Worship

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost July 2, 2017 10:00 a.m.

Welcome to worship at Fellowship!

We believe that God is the central focus of our worship. It is God who **gathers** us together, who **speaks** to us through the Word, who **feeds** us at the Table, and who **sends** us out into the world to join in God’s mission. This morning we continue our series, *At the Water’s Edge*. Please join with us today as we offer ourselves to God, one another, and the world!

God Gathers Us

Prelude
Gathering & Call to Worship: *Let God Arise*
Song of Praise: *Revelation Song*
Prayer of Confession
Assurance of Pardon: *Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound v 1,4,5*
Greeting One Another
Announcements
Offering of the People: *When Israel Was in Egypt’s Land*
(Please sign and pass the *Fellowship Folder* during the offering. The July Deacon Spotlight Offering will also be received. Please mark this offering *Deacon Spotlight*.)

God Speaks to Us

Children’s Blessing
The Word Read: Exodus 14:10-13 *Pew Bible p.53*
Crashing Waters at Creation
Prayer for Illumination
The Word Spoken: *At the Water’s Edge: Pharaoh’s Hard Heart* Nate Schipper

God Sends Us

Song of Response: *Song of Moses*
Prayers of God’s People
Song of Sending: *10,000 Reasons*
God’s Blessing
Postlude

 Fellowship Church welcomes all individuals and families affected by disabilities. If you need assistance, please ask at the Welcome Center.

Children & Families

Betsy Bruins, bbruins@fellowshipreformed.org
Emily Rosendahl, erosendahl@fellowshipreformed.org

Nursery and Children & Worship: Please see the calendar on the back of the bulletin for times and locations. Children may borrow a worship bag to use.

Please Return Red Shirts: If you borrowed a shirt for VBS please return your clean shirt to the child check-in kiosk, and check off your name. Thank you!

VBS Photos Are Now On Facebook: Check out the 70+ pictures that show the fun and learning that took place! Go to bit.ly/FRC2017vbs.

Kids at Summer Camp: We have many kids attending Camp Geneva, Cran Hill, and more. Please take a moment to pray for our children and youth at camp.

Youth

Bryce Vander Stelt, bvanderstelt@fellowshipreformed.org

Middle School Gathering: July 12 from 7-9pm at Fellowship. We will meet in the new Youth Center!

HSM: The James study will be July 9 at 7pm. All high school students are welcome.

Rocky Mountain High: We are only a few weeks away! Please remember that final payments are due to church by July 12. We depart from Fellowship at 7am on Thursday, July 20.

Adult

Lindsay Small, lsmall@fellowshipreformed.org

thortysomething Picnic: Everyone in their 30s/40s (and families) are invited to a picnic at Tunnel Park on **July 19 at 6pm**. Bring a dish to pass & drinks for your family.

Mission

Nate Schipper, nschipper@fellowshipreformed.org
Karen Donker, kdonker@fellowshipreformed.org

Breakfast with Baby: is July 8. Items needed are: new and gently used summer clothes, wipes, and diapers size new born, 2, 3, 4, and 5.

Special Request: If you have surplus garden produce this summer, please bring your items to the Hand2Hand pantry by Wednesday or Thursday each week. Families pick up their Hand2Hand bags every Thursday or Friday and would be very grateful for your generosity! Thank You!

Meet Up and Eat Up in August: There is still time for you to make a positive impact in our own community this summer! **Volunteers are still needed August 14-18 and August 21-25.** Please check your calendar and come join the fun!! Contact Karen Donker with questions or to sign up.

Worship

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Jordan Clegg, jclegg@fellowshipreformed.org

At the Water’s Edge Photos: Do you have a photo that shows your water’s edge moment? Submit it by sharing to Facebook, Twitter, or Instagram with the tag **#frcwater** or by emailing them to Renee at rkrueger@fellowshipreformed.org.

Worship Workshop July 8: If you are currently on our worship team, or are interested in leading worship, join us for an amazing workshop coming up with Greg Scheer. Please contact Jordan if you are interested in attending.

Congregational Life

Lindsay Small, lsmall@fellowshipreformed.org
Linda Hutchison, lhutchison@fellowshipreformed.org

Meet our Summer Intern! Alyssa Muehmel grew up in Waterford Michigan and graduated from Calvin this May with a degree in Sociology. She will begin pursuing a dual-track (M.Div/ MSW) degree at Western Seminary in the fall. She is eager to be involved in various ministries and to get to know the Fellowship community!

Office Closed: In honor of July 4th, the church office will be closed on July 3 & 4.

Water’s Edge Retreat Space: Do you have a space At the Water’s Edge that the staff could use for a retreat on **August 8**? We are looking for a place to meet for that entire day that would accommodate about 12 people. If you have a space to offer, please contact Stacie Hoey at shoey@fellowshipreformed.org.

Ushers Needed: Can you offer a friendly and welcoming presence on Sunday mornings? If you are interested in serving as an usher, contact Paulette Chaponniere (8:30 service) at [738.3808](tel:738.3808) or Dick Schaap (10:00 service) at [393.6585](tel:393.6585).

Host Needed: Bishop Hawkins Mugaya is visiting from Kenya July 6-27 and his housing has fallen through. We are looking for a host family (meal expenses will be reimbursed). Please contact Ken Arthurs at [566.3310](tel:566.3310) if you are able to host.

Lost & Found – Our lost and found cabinet is full! Please look for any lost items on the table in the Lobby by the Welcome Center.



Deacon Spotlight: Your giving envelopes now have a line for *Deacon Spotlight* instead of *Christian Aid*. This change is an effort to help us deepen our relationships with current mission partners by allowing us to highlight their ministry projects. It will also allow us to respond to current needs in the world.

Summer Book Read: Copies of *Streams of Living Water* by Richard Foster are available for purchase at the Welcome Center for \$10 each.

Church Assistance Program: Fellowship has a contract with Pine Rest Counseling (CAP program) that enables every member to have 3 FREE counseling visits for each individual in your household. All contacts are confidential and not reported to the church. You can call 24 hours-a-day, 7 days-a-week to speak to a counselor. To schedule an appointment, call Monday- Thursday 8am-6pm or Friday 8am-5pm. Evenings may be available for appointments. When calling, please identify yourself as a CAP member. Call 800.442.0809 or 616.455.6210.

Transition Updates

Rodger Price, rodger@leadingbd.com
Steve Braunius, sbraunius@fellowshipreformed.org

Listening Sessions: The Transition Team is hosting listening sessions after both services on **July 9, 16, August 6, & 13** in MC32/33. These are times to share your thoughts, ask questions, and give feedback about our pastor transition. If you are not able to attend, you can share your feedback at bit.ly/FRCfeedback.

Transition Blog: As we move through this period of transition between pastors, updates will be posted on our blog at: www.fellowshipreformed.org/transition. Printed copies of the blog can be found at the Welcome Center.

This Week at fellowship

July 2-8, 2017

8:30, 10:00 a.m. Worship in the Sanctuary
9:30 a.m. Blood Pressure Clinic
10:00 a.m. Nursery (Infant - 3 1/2 years old)
10:00 a.m. Children & Worship (age 3 1/2 - Kindergarten; E27)

Monday, 3

Church office CLOSED

Tuesday, 4

Happy 92nd Birthday Arvilla Boere! (118 W 29th St., 49423)

Church office CLOSED

Wednesday, 5

Happy 86th Birthday Jean Galien (4311 North Lakes Edge Drive)

6:30 a.m. Men Built for Others – Panera
6:45 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast – Russ' North
9:30 a.m. Knitting/Crocheting Missional Community - MC34
6:30 p.m. Worship Band - Sanctuary

Thursday, 6

9:00 a.m. Prime Timers Breakfast - Russ' North
8:30 p.m. Fellowship Softball Team– Helder Park #2

Friday, 7

Happy 85th Birthday Don Jansma! (340 Timberlake Drive West)

Saturday, July 8

Sunday, July 9

Happy 90th Birthday Doris VanderKooi! (167 North 160th Ave.)

Preaching: Jon Brown Text: Acts 2
8:30 a.m. Special Needs Missional Community Meeting - MC34
9:15, 11:15 a.m. Listening Sessions - MC32/33

For the most up to date calendar, go to
www.fellowshipreformed.org/upcoming-events



Hand2Hand Needs: There are currently 10 families who rely on our Hand2Hand Pantry for weekend supplemental food. Your donations are needed and appreciated. Thank you!

- Cereal
- Fruit cups
- Rice
- Instant oatmeal
- Chunky soup
- Chicken & Tuna Helper

Financial donations can be given at www.fellowshipreformed.org/give

Of Special Concern

July 2, 2017

Paul Bekker (602 Maple Creek Dr.) is recovering from surgery to remove melanoma on his scalp (H).

Dave Doornewerd (5516 Lakeshore Drive N) receiving difficult cancer treatments (I).

Carole Fulkerson (423 Highbanks Ct.) is at the Rehab Cottage at Resthaven after ankle surgery (K).

Amos Limo Liang-Or (our mission partner in Alale, Kenya) The Pokot Heath Center is recovering from a lost law suit that is negatively impacting their ministry.

Travis Rosendahl (750 Pleasant Ridge Dr.) will be deployed on July 5th as a Marine to Afghanistan for active duty (D).

Bill Smith (3957 Dune Shadow Dr.) starting the process for bone marrow transplant (B).

Dave Taylor (12876 Colebrooke Ct.) recovering at home after recent hospitalizations (F).

Please continue to pray for:

Mary Assink (2398 Court Dr.) is continuing with maintenance cancer treatments (A).

Ray Elhart (727 Apple Ave., Room A2) is in declining health in hospice care (H)

Lois Groteler (408 Arthur St.) is receiving treatment for cancer (D).

Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to **Lynn & Kevin Cole** (1403 Seminole Dr.) on the passing of her father, **Richard Kingma** (C).

Sympathy is extended to **Barb Grissen & Marcia Westrate-Butterfield** on the passing of Barb's sister & Marcia's sister-in-law **Yvonne Logan** in St. Louis last week.

Thank You

Please see the binder at the Welcome Center for a thank you from **Sharon VanGelderren**.

Marilyn Kolean would like to thank her Fellowship family for all the love, cards, goodies, and prayers for her and her family during the recent death of her two brothers, **James** and **Roger**. We appreciated this more than you will ever know.

July Deacon Spotlight

The July Deacon Spotlight is designated to bless those in need at Fellowship through our Internal Christian Aid Fund.

Those Serving in the Military:

Jacob Assink, US Navy, please drop off cards in the church office.

Brian Moran, US Army, 11500 Hobbiton Trail, Austin, TX 78739, mandr2150@att.net

Brent Philipps, US Navy, please drop off cards in the church office.

Travis Rosendahl, US Marine Reserves, please drop off cards in the church office.

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At the Water's Edge

10:00 a.m. Service