

fellowship

CHURCH ● ● ●

November 24, 2019 10:00 a.m.
Twenty-Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome to worship at Fellowship!

God Gathers Us

Call to Worship: Psalm 24
*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name!**
*King of Kings**
Confession & Grace
*'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus**
Greet One Another
(Blessing & Dismissal of Children)
Welcome and Announcements
Offering
*O Come to the Altar**
(Please sign and pass the *Fellowship Folder* during the offering.)

God Speaks to Us

Prayer for Illumination
The Word: *Spend Whatever It Takes* (2 Kings 22:1-13, 23:1-3; p.310-311)

God Sends Us

*Take My Life**
God's Blessing
Postlude
**indicates congregational song*

Participating in Today's Service:

Preaching - Ross Dieleman; Liturgists - Jessica Mix.

Worship team - Jerry Alverson, Aaron Anderson, Steve Braunius, Jasmine & Rodd Lowell,
Jackson Nickolay, Duane & Ginger VandenBrink.

*Fellowship Church welcomes all individuals and families with special needs. If you need assistance,
please ask at the Welcome Center.*

Adult

Ross Dieleman, rdieleman@fellowshipreformed.org

Christmas in Context: Are you looking to be more intentional about keeping Christ in Christmas this year? Starting in December, this three part mini series in our *Community Conversations* classroom will focus on the details of the very first Christmas and why they matter today. Veteran pastor and teacher Bill Boersma (Ross' father-in-law!) will lead us. Wednesday nights, Dec. 4th, 11th, & 18th at 6:30pm in N1. All are welcome!

Thursday Morning Women's Bible study: Will end on November 21 and start up again in March.

Children & Families

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

Sunday School: Children & Worship kids through 8th grade begin in worship and are dismissed to the children's wing during the 10am service. Pick up at Sunday School rooms. Worship Journals & Worship Bags are available to borrow in the back of the sanctuary.

No Kingdom Kids, GEMS, or Explorers this Wednesday: There will be no regular activities on Wed. Nov. 27th. Please join us at our Thanksgiving Eve service at 6:30pm, followed by desserts. Nursery will be provided.

Better Together Sunday: There will be no Sunday School next week Dec. 1st. It is the first Sunday of Advent and we will worship together as families. Nursery and Children and Worship will be provided.

Mission

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

Thanks to Habitat Volunteers who, on Friday and Saturday, worked for nearly 8 hours each day taking part in the construction of the Faith Unity Build home for the Morales Family. Special gratitude to Ned Meurer for organizing the event.

Bethany Christmas Project: This is the last Sunday to donate gift cards to supply a personalized gift for Bethany foster children. You can contribute by donating \$60 gift cards from Target, Wal-Mart, or Meijer by November 30th. We appreciate your support as we strive to reach 80 children. Contact Jan Wehrmeyer at 616.392.5034 with questions.

HOPE Christmas Store: The HOPE Christmas Store is a one day shopping opportunity on December 7th, for families experiencing an excessive financial burden. Please stop by the Christmas Tree, located by the Welcome Center, to choose an ornament with gift needs (\$25 children gifts & \$10 parent gifts) and return unwrapped gifts to the tree by Sunday, December 1st. Volunteers are needed to help set up as well as during the actual store. Sign up for December 5, 6 or 7 by the Welcome Center. If you are aware of someone who could benefit from this opportunity, please contact Karen.

Christmas Cookies Needed: Please sign up by the Welcome Center if you are able to provide Christmas cookies for either the Kids Hope Christmas Party on Tuesday, December 3rd or the HOPE Christmas Store on Saturday, December 7th.

Congregational Life

Lindsay Small, lsmall@fellowshipreformed.org
Cathy Hamilton, chamilton@fellowshipreformed.org

Home communion: If you or someone you know is unable to receive communion during worship and would like to receive home communion, please contact Cathy Hamilton at 399-9280 x130 or chamilton@fellowshipreformed.org

Faithful Friends: Do you enjoy getting to know people? This ministry involves praying for the friend, visiting 1 time per month, calling on the phone, and sending cards of cheer and caring. Contact Cathy Hamilton, 399-9280 x130 or chamilton@fellowshipreformed.org to share your interest.

Request Announcements

Christians Uniting in Song and Prayer (CUSP): We invite you to this annual community-wide Thanksgiving Worship Service held at Pillar Church (57 E 10th St, Holland) at 5:00pm on Sunday, November 24th. The Holland Ecumenical Choir and the St. Francis de Sales Brass will both be featured at the service.

Vision 2020 : As the RCA continues conversations about how to faithfully discern priorities and direction in regard to human sexuality, the Vision 2020 team is asking for feedback via an online survey. Even if you are not sure and not passionately committed to a perspective on this subject, the team would like to hear from you. Copy this link into your browser:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2019-2020RCACommunitySurvey>

Worship

Jess Mix, jmix@fellowshipreformed.org

The Longest Night Service (formerly Blue Christmas): This is a service on December 8th at 3pm for those who are grieving, hurting, or experience any kind of longing during Advent.

Sing with the Choir! For both services on Sunday, December 1st. Rehearsals on Tuesday, November 26th at 7pm. Please RVSP to Jess so we have enough music.

Advent Scripture Arts Ensemble: If you are interested in helping present Scripture during Advent, contact Jackson Nickolay: jnickolay@fellowshipreformed.org

Youth

Bryce Vander Stelt, bvanderstelt@fellowshipreformed.org
Hannah Cochrane, hcochrane@fellowshipreformed.org

Elevate: Elevate meets weekly in the Youth Center on Wednesday nights from 6:15-7:30pm in the Youth Center. This is for all middle school students in 6th-8th grade. Elevate will not be meeting this Wednesday. Join us for worship at 6:30pm.

Middle School Parents' Meet & Greet TODAY: Hannah Cochrane, our new Minister of Middle School Youth, invites parents to stop by the youth center after the 10:00am service for donuts and cider. She and the other awesome youth leaders would love to meet you!

HSM: HSM small groups will meet tonight. Check out our High School Ministry Facebook page to see where and when your small group is meeting.

This Week at fellowship

November 24-30, 2019

- 8:30am Worship Service; Nursery (Infant - 3½ years)
- 9:45am Spiritual Fitness - N4
- 10:00am Worship Service; Nursery (Infant - 3½ years); Children & Worship (3 by 9/1/18 - Kinder); Sunday School (*Children dismissed during worship:* 1st-5th in Children's Wing; 6th-8th boys - Youth Center; 6th-8th girls - N3)
- 11:15am Middle School Parent Meet and Greet Event - Youth Center
- 6:00pm High School Ministry - Youth Center
- 6:00pm Apprentice of Jesus Class - Green Room

Monday, 25

- 4:00pm Pickleball - Gym
- 6:30pm Needlework Group - N4

Tuesday, 26

- 8:00am Men's Prayer Breakfast - Russ' North
- 9:30am Heart to Heart Quilters - N4
- 3:00pm Dementia & Alzheimer's Support Group - N3
- 6:00pm Handbell Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary

Wednesday, 27

- Office open 8am - noon only
- 6:30am Men Built for Others - Panera
- 6:45am Men's Prayer Breakfast - Russ' North
- 9:30am Knitting/Crocheting Missional Community - N4
- 6:30pm Thanksgiving Eve Service

Thursday, 28

Happy Thanksgiving Day! - Office Closed

Friday, 29

Office Closed

Sunday, December 1

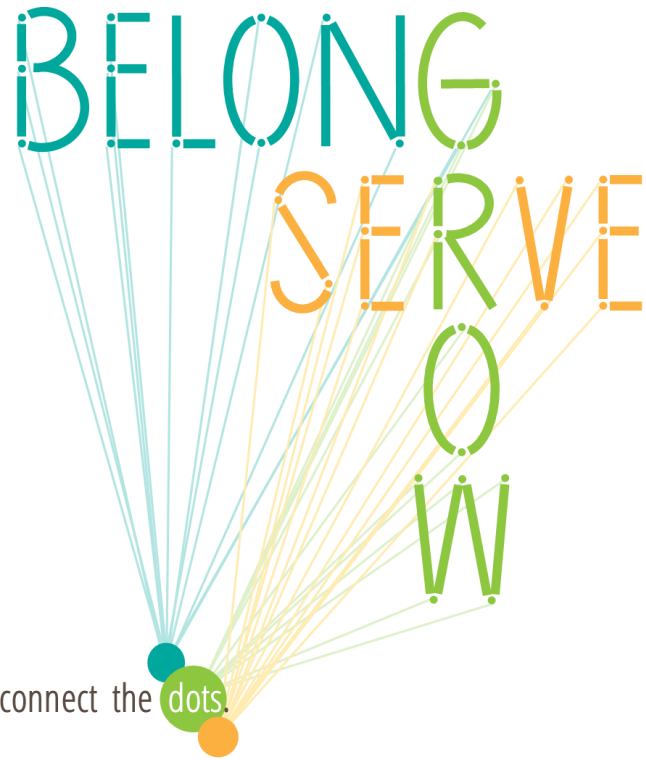
Preaching: Lindsay Small.....Jeremiah 33:14-18

Of Special Concern

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Care Concerns have been omitted from this online version for privacy reasons.

Are you, or someone you know, going to be hospitalized or in a rehab facility or would like a home visit? Please let us know by calling 616.399.9280 x130.



Hand2Hand Needs: Your donations are needed and appreciated. No glass packaging. Thank you!

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| •Mac & Cheese | •Cereal | •Jelly | •Canned Chicken |
| •Vienna Sausages | •Fruit Snacks | •Peanut Butter | •Hamburger Helper |
| •Canned Veggies | •Pudding Cups | •Instant Oatmeal | •Individually packaged |
| •Fruit Cups | •Pasta & Spaghetti Sauce | •Soup | Cheese & Crackers |
| •Granola Bars | •Saltine Crackers | •Tuna | •Ramen Noodles |

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10:00 a.m. Service