

This Week

December 9 - 15

Sun 9th

10A Pastor KC
 Greeters Phil & Judy Verrengia
 Ushers John Everett, Erik Moses
 Nursery Krissy Vande Vrede, Janet Jacobs, Brooke Talsma
 Ch Worship Bill Faasse, Tracy Baron
 Sound Paul Cusack
 Projector Phil Verrengia
 Open/Close Alan Bandstra
 11:20A Coffee Hour (B) – Steve & Jess Lagerveld; Erik & Cheryl Moses
 KidSpace (FH); Hayloft (P)

Mon 10th 6:30P Deacons (B); 7:15P Council (B); 8:30P Elders (B)

Tues 11th 7P Cadets (MP); 7P GEMS Caroling at Holland Home (HH)

Wed 12th 9:30A Ladies Bible Study (KS); 7P Choir (S)

Thurs 13th 6:30P Prayer Group

Sat 15th KidSpace Rehearsal

Next Week

December 16 - 23

Sun 16th

10A Pastor KC
 Greeters John & Barbara Belanus
 Ushers Len De Block, Ginny Hoogstra
 Nursery Cheryl Cusack, Beverly Bentley, Hank Hagedoorn
 Ch Worship KidSpace Program
 Sound Andrew van der Meer
 Projector Kevin Hoogerhyde
 Open/Close Mark Van Kampen
 11:20A Coffee Hour (B) – Bill & Carolyn De Witte; Beverly Bentley
 KidSpace (FH); Hayloft (P)

Tues 18th 7P Cadets (MP)

Wed 19th 9:30A Ladies Bible Study (KS); 7P Choir (S)

(B) Barn; (CH) Cedar Hill; (CO) Church Office; (Faith Ref) Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park; (FH) Fellowship Hall; (KS) KidSpace Room; (MP) Midland Park Church; (P) Parlor, Barn 2nd Floor; (S) Sanctuary



KC Vande Streek, Pastor

December 9, 2018

Kyle Sandison, Director of Worship & Congregational Life

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*GOD'S GREETING

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Angels from the Realms of Glory

GH 354
vs. 1 & 5

ADVENT CANDLE LIGHTING

Prayer and *Advent Gloria*

A reading from Psalm 27

**Advent Gloria (refrain)*

*SINGING TOGETHER

O Come, O Come Emmanuel

You Alone Can Rescue

RH 245

OFFERING

1ST: General Fund

2ND: Benevolent Fund

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE - Barbara Belanus

Children are dismissed for Children's Worship (ages 3 through 2nd grade)

PASTORAL PRAYER

*SONG OF PREPARATION

On Jordan's Banks the Baptist's Cry

GH 327
vs. 1, 2, 4 & 5

SCRIPTURE

Exodus 2: 1- 10

SERMON

"Drawn Out"

*SONG OF RESPONSE

O Come, All Ye Faithful

RH 249
vs. 1 & 2

*BENEDICTION

*DOXOLOGY

Joyful, Joyful

RH 271

*POSTLUDE

Children are dismissed for KidSpace

**If you are able, please stand.*

The mission of Faith Community Church is to make more and better followers of Jesus Christ who worship God, care for one another, and serve in the world.

Welcome to Faith Community Christian Reformed Church. We are glad you are here. Nursery Care for infants and toddlers is located on the lower level. Children's Worship is held for children ages 3 years to 1st grade. The children will be dismissed during the worship service and may be met on the lower level immediately following the service.

TODAY, December 9,

- is the second Sunday of Advent.
- our second morning offering will be taken for the Benevolent Fund.

NEXT SUNDAY, December 16,

- is the third Sunday of Advent.
- our second morning offering will be taken for the Don Stoel Memorial Fund.
- the KidSpace children will present their Christmas program "Follow the Star" during our morning worship service.

DEACONS, COUNCIL & ELDERS will meet tomorrow, Monday, December 10 in the Barn.

THE PROPOSED 2019 BUDGET was approved at the December 2 Congregational Meeting.

COME AND SING WITH US! This year, our Lessons and Carols Service will be held on Sunday, December 23. Our Choir will be practicing for this service on Wednesdays December 12, and 19 from 7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. If you are already a choir member or if you would like to join us, please mark your calendars and come and practice with us! See Phil Verrengia if you need more information.

OUR CHURCH CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON will be held in the EC Middle School on Sunday, December 23 following our morning service of Lessons and Carols. **Please sign up on the sheet in the narthex.** Bring a dish to share – sandwiches, a casserole, salad, etc. Dessert and drinks will be provided. Help is needed with setting up on Saturday, 12/22 (10 a.m. for about 30 minutes), on Sunday morning before church, and then with serving and cleaning up. Please choose a time to help if you are able to. See or call Jan Kuiken (551-427-4647) with any questions.

DO YOU WANT TO MAKE A GREATER IMPACT WITH YOUR CHRISTMAS GIVING? Consider shopping from the WorldRenew Gift Catalog. There are many options for every budget! Catalogs can be found on the narthex tables or visit wordrenew.net/gifts.

DID YOU KNOW that large print bulletins are available on the narthex tables? These large print editions include the order of worship as well as the information that is projected on the screen during the service. Please help yourself to a copy if you think it will be useful to you.

TRANSPORTATION HELP: Volunteers are needed to take Johnny Dykstra to and from church each Sunday. Please follow the link on our website to sign up under "Members Info, Transportation" or call the Church Office at 201-891-9450.

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cornerstone Christian Church invites you to their adult choir Christmas Worship Event, "The Mercy Manger" taking place Sunday, December 16, at 6:00 p.m. in their church sanctuary (495 Wyckoff Avenue, Wyckoff).

OUR FAITH COMMUNITY FAMILY

Ken Dyer is recuperating from knee replacement surgery.

Jim Gower is undergoing immunotherapy treatments for melanoma.

Thank you for the cards and get-well wishes I have been receiving. They help to make the challenging days a little brighter. *Phyllis Sweetman*

SICK & SHUT-INS –

Gert Braunius, Lois Dekker, Ken Dyer, Jim Gower, Joan Hoogerhyde, Pat Kuiken, Foge Maas, Gladys Sokoly, Ruth Spikeboer, Phyllis Sweetman, Muriel Tolsma

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

12/9 Dom Rivera
Pastor KC
12/10 John Butler
Ron Dapp
Annabelle Vande Vrede
12/12 Al Maas
12/16 Connor Delaney
Bill Slump



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Offering Schedule

12/2 Building Fund
12/9 Benevolent Fund
12/16 Don Stoel Memorial Fund
12/23 Faith Community ECSA
Scholarship Fund
12/25 New Hope
12/30 Missions