



HUMANS
OF
FAITH
Bev Smid

If you could be great at any Olympic sport, what would it be?

Figure skating!

Which natural phenomenon brings you joy?

I could sit all day watching the ocean. It brings joy, peace and excitement to my being.

What's your favorite Bible verse and why?

There are so many verses that are dear to my heart, but Psalm 63:1 comes to mind right now because it is my daily commitment to God. It begins with these words, "O God, you are my God, earnestly I seek you; my soul thirsts for you."

What was your career?

Wife, Mother, foster mom, Choir director, Worship coordinator, piano teacher.

If you were a potato, how would you be cooked?

Deep fried! What a bubble bath!

What is your favorite hobby/pastime?

I love reading, playing piano and painting.

What is the strangest thing you've ever eaten?

A raw oyster. Yeah, not again. I love raw clams and smoked eels but raw oyster not so much.

Church Calendar

This Week October 6

Door Monitor- Dave Ruitenber
Sound/Video- Jess Ruit
Projector- Jess Ruit
Nursery- Kelly Delaney, Bev Bentley, Jack Delaney
KidsChurch- Kathy Faasse, Kristen Tolsma
Coffee- Bev Bentley, Trudie Pruiksma
Prayers of the People-
Children's Message- Barb Belanus
KidSpace- Bill Faasse, Sue Grimm
Chosen- Emma Faasse, Gloria Kang

Next Week October 13

Door Monitor- John Everett
Sound/Video- Jon Englishmen
Projector- Dan Vande Vrede
Nursery- Dana Miller, Janet Jacobs, Emilia Miller
KidsChurch- Sally Ruitenber, Alyssa Morin
Coffee- Jim & Tanya Calaski
Prayers of the People-
Children's Message- Kathy Faasse
KidSpace- Emma Faasse, Kelly Delaney
Chosen- Bill Faasse, Tanya Calaski

Special Collections

October 6-

Missions

October 13-

New Hope

October 20-

Don Stoel Memorial Fund

October 27-

ECSA/FCCRC Scholarship Fund

Rev. Moses Kang

Rob Flim, Worship Leader

October 6, 2024

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***GOD'S GREETING**

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

***OPENING SONG- "BEHOLD THE LAMB"**

CALL TO CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

STATEMENT OF FAITH

COMMUNION

SONG OF ASSURANCE- "GRACE ALONE"

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

OFFERING

SPECIAL COLLECTION- MISSIONS

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SONG OF PREPARATION- "BREATHE ON ME, BREATH OF GOD"

SCRIPTURE- GENESIS 2: 16-25

SERMON- "GENESIS 3: CREATION AS RELATIONSHIP"

***SONG OF RESPONSE- "THEY'LL KNOW WE ARE CHRISTIANS"**

***BENEDICTION**

***DOXOLOGY- "THEY'LL KNOW WE ARE CHRISTIANS"**

POSTLUDE

FELLOWSHIP TIME

EVERYONE IS INVITED TO ENJOY COFFEE, TEA, JUICE, WATER AND MEANINGFUL CONVERSATION.

*Please rise, in body or in spirit

TODAY, October 6,

- Is the twentieth Sunday after Pentecost
- We will celebrate communion at our morning service. Jesus said, "Come to me all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls." All, then, who are truly sorry for their sins, who sincerely believe in the Lord Jesus as their Savior, and who earnestly desire to lead a godly life, ought to accept the invitation now given and come with gladness to the table of the Lord

NEXT SUNDAY, October 13,

- Is the twenty-first Sunday after Pentecost

FAITH COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

2025 Pledge Cards will be mailed out this week. Please be on the lookout and return your response no later than November 3rd. Please see Mark Tolsma with any questions.

A Lending Library Update! Thank you all for the generous donations to our church lending library! At this time, we kindly ask you to hold off on donating nonfiction books—we have plenty, and some are getting a bit old. Also, don't forget to stop by and take some books home to enjoy- happy reading! Any questions, please see Ginny Hoogstra or Julanna Klaasen.

Join us for a delightful morning of fellowship, coffee, and freshly made olie bollen on Saturday, October 12th from 8:45-11:45 am! All are welcome to attend. Please sign up in the narthex so we can plan accordingly. We look forward to seeing you there!

The Christian Singles will meet for a "Picnic and Pie" planned on Saturday, October 12th at 6 pm. Hot dogs, sandwiches, salads, chips, water, soda, tea, coffee and pie will be provided. The meal will be followed by scripture, prayer, and praises. A free will offering will be taken. Contact Carol at 973-523-5072 or email cdunningCSNJ@gmail.com for more information.

Ladies: Please join us each Thursday at 10 am in the church fellowship hall for a time of Bible Study, prayer and fellowship. You can enter through the outside nursery door to avoid the stairs. If you have any questions or need a ride, please contact Linda VanLenten and Barb Belanus.

Our next Heirborne meeting for 7th-8th graders will be October 9th from 7:00-9:00 pm at Cedar Hill Church. Please join us for games, snack and an introduction to the theme for the year: Identity and how to live as a Christian! Any questions? contact Alley at 973-557-5013.



Attention High Schoolers!

Join us for Game Night in the Faith Barn on October 6th from 6 PM-8PM! We'll have exciting games and activities planned, along with delicious food. This is a great opportunity to learn about what we have planned this year for SNL and how you can get involved. Don't miss it! Bring your friends and come ready for a fun evening! See you there! If you would like to volunteer or donate pizza or dessert, please reach out to Emma Faasse, Emma@faithcommunitycrc.com or 973-277-8816.



Hey, AWESOME 5th and 6th graders!

Join us Friday, October 25th at the Barn from 6-8:30 p.m. for *Glow In The Dark! Light up the night with glowing games and awesome activities!* Bring your friends! If you would like to volunteer or donate dinner or dessert, please reach out to Emma Faasse, Emma@faithcommunitycrc.com or 973-277-8816.

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sing Handel's Messiah with the Cathedral Choir & the American Chamber Orchestra December 7th, 7:00 PM, at Cedar Hill Christian Reformed Church. Interested singers are invited to come 2:30-4 PM to the first of nine Sunday rehearsals beginning October 6th at Midland Park Christian Reformed Church. The American Chamber Orchestra will again accompany the Cathedral Choir with a quartet of soloists and Robert F. Davis conducting in their 80th annual performance.

Fall Craft & Vendor Sale: On Saturday, November 9th from 9:30-3:30 pm, Rockpoint Church will be hosting an arts and crafts festival. Come and see a variety of hand-crafted items, clothing, accessories, toys, and more! For more info contact rcvendorcraftepo@yahoo.com.

OUR FAITH COMMUNITY FAMILY

Our Christian sympathy is extended to *Patrick & Amy Brooks* in the passing of Patrick's mother, Cheryl Brooks, on September 29th. Please keep Patrick, Amy, Andrew & Jenna in your prayers.

Congratulations to *Foge Maas*, who will celebrate her 105th birthday on October 13th. We give thanks for Foge's long and faithful life.

Please note the new cell phone number for Pastor Moses is 201-566-8620.

SICK & SHUT-INS –

Louise Butler, Foge Maas,
Helen Van Olden



10/7 Diane Tolsma

10/9 Barb Belanus

10/10 Carol Rivera

10/10 Laura Lotz

10/12 Brooke Damato

10/13 Foge Maas

10/13 Laura Royle

In the event of an emergency, there is a full medical kit and AED machine located in the narthex closet.
