



July 15, 2018

Worship Services 10 AM and 5 PM

“Those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it.”

Mark 8:35

Ordinary Time

Ten o'clock

July 15, 2018

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Prelude: “Air, from Orchestral Suite #3” J.S. Bach
“Jesu, Joy of Man’s Desiring” J.S. Bach

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship: “O Come, Let Us Sing” Dickson Vardell Murray
O come, let us sing to the Lord,
O come and sing praises!

* Opening Hymns: “To God Be the Glory” #604:1-3
“O Sing to the Lord” #493:1-3
[To be sung in English or Spanish]

* God’s Greeting

WE CONFESS OUR SIN

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Hymn of Confession: “Not What My Hands Have Done” #624:1-3

Assurance of Pardon (from Psalm 103)

The Lord is merciful and gracious,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.

**He will not always accuse,
nor will he keep his anger forever.**

He does not deal with us according to our sins,
nor repay us according to our iniquities.

**For as the heavens are high above the earth,
so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him;**

as far as the east is from the west,

so far he removes our transgressions from us.

As a father has compassion for his children,

so the Lord has compassion for those who fear him.

People of God, know that you are forgiven, and be at peace.

Thanks be to God.

WE WELCOME AND COMMISSION A MINISTER FOR SERVICE

Sentences of Scripture and Call to Discipleship

A Particular Call: Bradly Zwiers as Minister of Faith Formation

Commissioning Prayer, Charge, and Blessing

* Song of Response: “I Will Sing of My Redeemer”

#568:1,3,4

(Children may come forward during the singing of this song.)

GOD SPEAKS TO US THROUGH HIS WORD

Message for Children: Testimonies from SERVE

Blessing for Children

Leader: People of God, what is your prayer for these children?

Congregation: The Lord be with you.

Children: And also with you.

Congregation: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

Anthem: “O God, Our Lives are Parched and Dry” Dorothy VanAndel Frisch

O God, our lives are parched and dry, as in a wasteland, waterless;

Our thirsty souls unto you cry: Dear Lord, refresh, renew, and bless!

Your help, our hollow vessels seek; into us living water pour!

Come, overflow all that is weak, so we may worship and adore!

God, fill our hearts as you will please, with noble thoughts and lofty dreams,

And may they not be fantasies, but actions through which Jesus gleams!

So even as we leave this place, may we remember whose we are,

And act so that we give you praise, in all we say, in all we are!

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession

* Hymn of Preparation: “Spirit of the Living God”

#749:1-2

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture Reading: Mark 8:31-9:1

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Sermon: **THE BOSS OF ME**

Prayer of Application

WE RESPOND IN GRATITUDE

* Hymn of Response: “May the Mind of Christ, My Savior”

#334:1-4

Presentation of Offerings and Passing of Friendship Pads

Offertory Prayer: Bruce Tiejema

Offering for the Ministry Fund

Offertory: “Sarabande and Rondeau, from Orchestral Suite #2” J.S. Bach

* Doxology: “May the Mind of Christ, My Savior”

#334:5

**May we run the race before us,
Strong and brave to face the foe,
Looking only unto Jesus
As we onward go. Amen.**

* Benediction

* Choral Closing: “Song of Hope” (#941)

* Postlude: “Arrival of the Queen of Sheba”

G.F. Handel

Preaching Pastor: The Rev. Rebecca Jordan Heys

Organist and Choir Director: Kenneth Bos

Ministry of Music: Summer Choir

Pianist: Lisa Meyer

Hand drum: Julie Bowden

Claves: Jan Postma

Scripture Reader: Jay Lindquist

Evening Worship Service at 5:00 PM at Woodlawn CRC, 3190 Burton St SE

Calvin CRC Announcements for , July 15, 2018

WORSHIP Today, 10 AM and 5 PM

Morning worship: Our summer choir leads us in ministry of music, and the Rev. Rebecca Jordan Heys continues our series on the spiritual disciplines with a sermon on the discipline of submission from Mark 8:31–9:1, “The Boss of Me.” We commission Brad Zwiers as our Minister of Faith Formation, and we hear testimonies from the high school SERVE participants.

We thank everyone who is participating in the Summer Choir this morning. The anthem was composed by Dorothy Frisch. Dorothy and her husband, Kurt, moved to Grand Rapids recently, and they have become members of our Sanctuary Choir.

Evening worship: We do not have a 5:00 PM worship service scheduled at Calvin Church for today. You are warmly invited to attend 5:00 PM worship at Woodlawn Christian Reformed Church in the Calvin College Chapel.

WORSHIP Next Sunday, July 22

Morning worship: Brad Zwiers will preach from Matthew 4:1-11, “Two Spirits.” We will welcome Helen Van Wyck to lead us in ministry of music. The offering will be for Family Promise.

Evening worship We will welcome the Rev. Jack Roeda to lead us in worship. The offering will be for the Holland Home.

STAFF NOTES

Pastor Rebecca plans to attend the conference of Young Clergy Women International in St. Louis later this week. She will return to the office on July 24. If you desire pastoral care, please contact your district Elder, Pastor Jake, Pastor Brad, or the church office.

Pastor Brad has begun his ministry with us. Let’s welcome him warmly! You may contact him at 451-8467 x27 or bzwiers@calvincrc.org.

CHURCH FAMILY

Dave Tuuk (district #5) is receiving hospice care at home and is nearing the end of his life. Pray for peace, comfort, and resurrection hope for him and his family.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH MINISTRIES

NEW ARTWORK: Members of Worship Center have created self-portraits, which are now hanging in the Infant Nursery, thanks to the Visual Arts Committee. Stop by and check out these beautiful depictions of young image-bearers of God.

MEETINGS, ACTIVITIES, AND EVENTS

IN THE ATRIUM we have a new photo exhibit by local artist David Lubbers featuring depictions of God’s beautiful world.

THE COMMUNITY CARE/SOCIAL JUSTICE COMMITTEE will meet following this morning's service at 11:30 in the Prayer Room.

FAMILY ASSISTANCE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES: Besides our Tuesday and Thursday summer hours, Family Assistance will be open on two Saturday mornings because several young people from our church and from the community have offered to volunteer. All are welcome to join us on Saturday, July 21 and August 11, from 10:00 until noon.

ALL INTERESTED GARDENERS are invited to Pat Elders' cottage garden party this Wednesday, July 18, any time after 2:30 PM. Refreshments will be served, of course, and directions to the cottage are on the table near the mailboxes. See you there!

RUTH LEMMEN, our friend from China, will be in West Michigan soon and would love to see you! Join her anytime between 6 and 8 PM on Wednesday, July 18, at Holland State Park. She'll get some picnic tables along the channel—look for balloons to help find her. Feel free to bring meat to grill and/or other picnic items (and lawn chairs). She'll provide sides, drinks, and dessert. Let Ruth know if you have questions at ruth.lemmen@gmail.com.

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Christian Reformed Conference Grounds, 12253 Lakeshore Dr., Grand Haven, is excited to welcome the Mark Trammell Quartet in concert on Saturday, July 21. We hope you will join us for this special evening of worship and praise. The doors to the Worship Center will open at 6:00 PM; the concert will begin at 7:00 PM. No tickets are needed; however, a free-will offering will be taken to help offset our music ministry. Be sure to come early and enjoy a delicious roast beef dinner served in the Sunshine Room from 5-6:30 PM.

CALENDAR

	<i>Today, Sunday, July 15</i>
9:30a	Prayer Time (Prayer Room)
9:40a	Atrium Greeters: Mike & Lisa TerBeek
	East Greeters: Ed & Melanie Tolsma
	Nursery Supervisor: Kim Wierenga
	Nursery Helpers: Corrin & Lisa Meyer
	Tyler Koeman, Henry TerBeek
11:15a	Library Volunteer: Doris Ridders
	Coffee Servers: DeKoster and Trap
11:30a	Community Care/Social Justice Committee meets in Prayer Room
5:00p	Evening Worship Service at Woodlawn, CRC, in the Calvin College Chapel, 3190 Burton St. SE
	<i>Monday, July 16</i>
6:30p	Men's Softball against Sherman St. CRC on diamond 1
	<i>Thursday, July 19</i>
9:00a	Take Charge meeting
8:30p	Women's Softball against First Byron CRC on diamond 3
	<i>Next Sunday, July 22</i>
9:30a	Prayer Time (Prayer Room)
9:40a	Atrium Greeters: Bruce and Deb Tiejema
	East Greeters: Don and Karen Trap
	Nursery Supervisor: Melisa Hubka
	Nursery Helpers: Melanie and Gary Burghgraef
	Nathan Baker and Morgan Burghgraef
11:15a	Library Volunteer: Mary Brummel
	Coffee Servers: Rosema and Vanderhill



**Growing in Discipleship ...
...Transformed for Ministry**

Welcome to Calvin Church

In Worship:

- Our worship proceeds unannounced and follows the printed liturgy.
- The Chancel banner expresses the Christian belief that in one God there are three divine persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. The color green represents spiritual growth during the season of the Lord's life and ministry.
- Large print resources are available at the Information Desk.
- Adult coloring pages are on the TRIP table in the Narthex.
- Our facility is equipped with the Loop hearing system.



For Children:

- Ages 0-2: Infant and toddler nurseries are available.
- Preschool: The Little Children (TLC) gathers downstairs in room 19 prior to the morning worship.
- Busy Bags for young children are on the picket fence in the Atrium.
- Bulletins for older children are in the rack in the Narthex.
- Coloring pages and colored pencils are available at the table in the Narthex.

Fellowship and Information:

- Everyone is invited to the Fellowship Hall for refreshments following the morning service.
- "Like" us on Facebook: www.facebook.com/CalvinChristianReformedChurch
- All of our ministries are described in the colorful folders at the Information Desk near the nurseries.

Church office hours: 8:00 AM – 3:00 PM, Monday—Thursday

Bulletin deadline: Wednesday Noon

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