

LORD'S DAY FIVE

WELCOME TO REDEEMER UNITED REFORMED CHURCH! We are glad that you have joined us today and we pray that you will experience God's blessing as we worship together.

PRAYER CONCERNS

-Please pray for strength and healing for *Doug Zylstra* as he recovers from the treatments he received to fight his cancer.

-*Lindy Zylstra* had knee replacement surgery on Friday. Pray for a full and swift recovery.

-Continue to pray for *Judy Vander Zee*, *Norma Dekker* and *Babs Zandstra* following their recent surgeries.

-Keep *Sean Eizenga's* brother, *Scott*, in your prayers; he was diagnosed with ALS. Pray for God's peace and guidance for him.

United in Prayer:

Prayer Requests from our Missionaries
Rev. Ken Anema is a Professor in Divine Hope Reformed Bible Seminary: "Give thanks for an enthusiastic cadre of new students at the Danville Correctional Center this semester. Give thanks for existing and new doors of opportunity at the Westville Correctional Facility. Ask God to restore the lives of victims who have been affected by the crimes of our students. Pray that God may continue to give us the favor of state and prison officials who give us permission to teach our classes within their facilities."

Vision Prayer

"**A Community striving to be Grace-filled**" Father, we are a community formed and sustained by your grace. Let your grace so infuse us that we will think about others, look at others, talk to others, and live with others in such way that displays your grace.

MEMORY VERSE—FEBRUARY

"Commit your work to the LORD,
and your plans will be established."
Proverbs 16:3 ESV

SERVICE SCHEDULES

February 3

10:00 am Sunday School/Catechism
6:30 pm Cross Trainers
Ushers: Lindy Cergizan, Colton De Jong
Greeters: Allen & Judy Vander Zee
Snacks: Kim Schaver, Carrie Siersema
Nursery: am Caitlin Iwema, Jill Jacobs, Eli Terpstra, Marielle Rademaker
pm Rebekah Knoll, Flo Kooiman, Robby Terpstra
Song Service: Ryan Knoll
Recording: Dave Iwema
Open/Close: Dan & Carrie Siersema

February 5

7:00 pm Consistory Meeting

February 6

7:00 pm GEMS/Cadets

February 7

9:30 am Women's Bible Study
7:00 pm Women's Evening Bible Study

February 10

10:00 am Sunday School/Catechism
3:15 pm Men's Chorus Rehearsal
Ushers: Luke Darling, Andrew Roets
Greeters: Dr. Cornel & Nancy Venema
Snacks: Mary Slagter, Shari Spoolstra
Nursery: am Liz Hamstra, Debbie Leestma, Ava Kramer, Brice VanderZee
pm Eric & Barb Leestma, Paul Roets
Recording: Dan Eizenga
Open/Close: Ben & Mary Slagter

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

February 4-Cole Bultema, Linda Eizenga

February 5-Dan Eizenga, Dan Siersema

February 6-Maya Leestma

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY!

February 6-Bill & Becky Bultema

ANNOUNCEMENTS

From the Council: The Council will be nominating candidates for the offices of Elder and Deacon this month. If you would like to recommend someone, contact Ken Kreykes.

From the Council: As we look forward to our new church building, it is the prayer of Council that we remember the love and kindness we have been shown by our brothers and sisters at Dyer Presbyterian Church. It is through their graciousness that we have been able to worship and grow as a church. As we start a new chapter in the life of Redeemer URC, Dyer Presbyterian also faces change. We would like to give Dyer Presbyterian a financial gift for the many years they have generously hosted us. You will be able to give towards this gift anytime during the month of February. Please place your contribution in a budget envelope indicating it is for the Dyer Presbyterian Gift. If you have any questions you may ask a member of Council.

At the recent **congregational meeting** on January 27, the congregation approved an increase in the new building construction budget from \$3.0 million to \$3.2 million.

From the Deacons: Next Sunday's morning offering will be collected for the *Christian Education Fund*. Our congregation supports the various Christian schools that children in our church family attend; the Education Fund assists families with the cost of tuition as necessary.

College Care Packages: The Fellowship Committee is collecting items for care packages that will be sent to our church family members who are away at college. There's a donation collection box on the table by the kitchen. We need the items by Feb. 10. A list of suggested items is in your mailboxes. Thanks for your help!

Next Week's Sermons

AM: Jonah 1:1-3 - *Running from God!*

PM: Psalm 110, Lord's Day 19
Jesus, the Exulted King!

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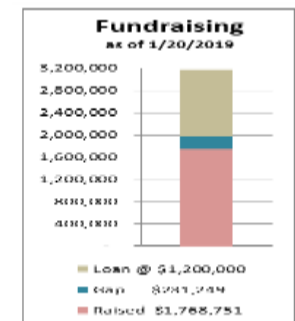
Cross Trainers will be meeting this Sunday after the evening service at Mike and Kim Deckinga's house for a Super Bowl Party. Hope to see you there!

Cross Trainers' annual **Ski Trip** will be Friday February 15, leaving from Lynwood at 5:30 am. \$20 for students - all are welcome. Please let Sean Eizenga or Tami Bultema know if you will be attending!

Join us on Monday, February 18 at 5:30 pm in the fellowship hall for Cross Trainers' first ever **Chili Cook-Off fundraiser!** This is your opportunity to compete by making your best homemade chili recipe or to show your support by bringing the family for a bowl or two. Check your mailbox for more information.

The **GEMS Spaghetti Supper** fundraiser will be held on February 13 from 4:30-7 p.m. at Lynwood URC. There will also be spaghetti sauce for sale!

From the Music Committee: Are there more instrumentalists and singers in our congregation than we are aware of? If you love to sing, play any type of instrument (brass, woodwind, strings, piano), and are willing to occasionally assist in music in some capacity, please speak with Nancy Venema, email her, or speak with a member of the music committee. We are blessed to have a music-loving and great-singing congregation and would welcome more in using their gifts and talents in praising God.



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The members of the council are desirous of calling on those who need spiritual counsel or who are sick. Whether you are a member or a visitor, please feel free to call them.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper is generally celebrated the 2nd Sunday of each month, during the evening service.

Meetings:

Consistory: 1st Tuesday
Council: 2nd Tuesday
Deacons: 4th Tuesday

AUDIO RECORDING

Dan Eizenga, Dave Iwema, Kevin Post,
Rob Terpstra
For copies see Dan Eizenga

Offering Schedule

February 10

Christian Education Fund (AM)
General Fund (PM)

REDEEMER VISION

A Community striving to be Christ-centered, grace-filled and people-loving.

- Christ-centered:
 - *A Community where Christ is our manifest reason for being!*
 - ◆ Christ is our life and peace.
 - ◆ Christ is our unity and power.
 - ◆ Christ is our comfort and encouragement.
 - ◆ Christ is our hope and boast.
(Rom. 5:1-11; Rom. 6:1-14; Col. 3:1-4; Rom. 8:31-39, 1 Cor. 1:18-31)
- Grace-filled:
 - *A Community where God's grace is experienced, lived, and manifested!*
 - ◆ Where we treasure God's grace that saved us.
 - ◆ Where we acknowledge God's grace that brought us together.
 - ◆ Where we depend on God's grace to keep us together.
 - ◆ Where we seek to manifest God's grace in all our relationships.
(Eph. 2:1-10; Eph. 4:1-16; Rom. 12:3-8; 2 Cor. 13:11-14)
- People-loving:
 - *A Community where the Holy Spirit's presence is manifested in our love!*
 - ◆ Love towards one another.
 - Carrying each other's burdens.
 - Encouraging each other.
 - Seeking each other's good.
 - ◆ Love towards the stranger in our midst.
 - Welcoming them in the name of Christ.
 - Showing genuine interest in them.
 - ◆ Love towards those who are lost.
 - Working deliberately to display God's love to them.
 - Seizing every opportunity to testify to God's love in Christ.
(Rom. 5:5; John 13:34-35; Rom. 12:9-18; Gal.5:22; Gal.6:1-10; Rom. 15:1-7; Matt.5:13-16, 1 Pet.3:15-16)



**“GROWING TOGETHER IN THE WORD;
STRIVING TO BE CHRIST-CENTERED,
GRACE-FILLED, AND PEOPLE-LOVING”**

Worshiping at
Dyer Presbyterian Church
2501 Hart St. Dyer, IN
February 3, 2019
Pastor: Rev. Jacques Roets

MORNING SERVICE

8:45 AM

We Enter into God's Presence

Piano Prelude
Hymn of the Month: #435:1 (Gray)
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Welcome & Call to Worship

*God's Greeting

*Song of Adoration: #284 (Blue)

“Give Thanks to God, for Good Is He”

To Confess to Him Our Sins

God's Law as Prayer of Confession: p. 3 (WF)

Song of Confession: #388:1-3 (Blue)

“Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me”

To Offer Him Our Prayers

Congregational Memory Verse

Congregational Prayer

With Hearts Open to His Word

*Song of Preparation: #286:1-3 (Blue)

“With Grateful Heart My Thanks I Bring”

Scripture: 2 Kings 14:23-29 (p. 374)

Jonah 1:1-3 (p. 916)

Text: Jonah 1:1-2

Message: *Jonah, the Prophet of Yahweh*

Prayer of Application

*Song of Response: #241 (Blue)

“Thy Promised Mercies Send to Me”

To Honor Him with Our Gifts

Offering: Bethshan

*Doxology: #34 (WF)

“Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow”

To Go Forth to Serve with His Blessing

*Benediction

*Moment of Meditation

Postlude

Pianist: Nancy Venema

*Please stand

EVENING SERVICE

4:30 PM

Let Us Worship the Lord

Piano Prelude

Song Service

Welcome & Call to Worship

*Pastor: I lift up my eyes to the hills, where does my help come from?

Congregation: My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of Heaven and earth.

*God's Greeting

*Song of Praise: #232 (Gray)

“Hail the Day That Sees Him Rise”

With a United Confession of Faith

*Nicene Creed: p. 5 (WF)

*Song of Response: #6:3 (WF)

“Praise Ye the Father”

With Prayers of Thanksgiving and Petition

Reading of the Preparatory Form: p. 8 (WF)

Congregational Prayer followed by the Lord's Prayer

With Hearts Open to His Word

*Song of Preparation: #233 (Gray)

“Alleluia! Sing to Jesus”

Scripture: 1 John 1:1-2:2 (p. 1207)

What We Believe: Lord's Day 18 (p. 24)

Message: *The Ascended Jesus, Our Advocate*

Prayer of Application

*Song of Response: see song sheet

“Before the Throne of God Above”

With Offerings of Gratitude

Offering: General Fund

*Doxology: #36 (WF)

“Grace, Love, and Fellowship”

To Go Forth to Serve with His Blessing

*Benediction

*Moment of Meditation

Postlude