"Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see." Hebrews 11:1

September 27, 2020

Order of Worship

Morning Service

Welcome and Announcements

We Come to Worship

Opening Prayer

Opening Song ~ CH 214 He Has Made Me Glad

*Call to Worship ~ from Psalm 86:8-10

Leader: There is none like you, O Lord, nor are there any works like yours. All the nations you have made shall come and bow down before you, O Lord, and shall glorify your name.

People: For you are great and do wondrous things, you alone are God.

*God's Greeting

*We Greet One Another

*Songs of Praise ~ Blessed Be the Name

All praise to him who reigns above in majesty supreme, who gave His son for man to die, that He might man redeem.

Chorus: Blessed be the name, blessed be the name, blessed be the name of the Lord; blessed be the name, blessed be the name of the Lord.

His name above all names shall stand, exalted more and more, at God the Father's own right hand, where angel hosts adore. Chorus

His name shall be the Counselor, the mighty Prince of Peace, of all earth's kingdoms Conqueror, whose reign shall never cease. Chorus

Psalm of Praise ~ Psalm 146

Song ~ Goodness of God

Message for the Children

We Are Renewed in God's Grace

Confession and Assurance ~ Ephesians 2:1-10

Leader: As for you, you were dead in your transgressions and sins, in which you used to live when you followed the ways of this world and of the ruler of the kingdom of the air, the spirit who is now at work in those who are disobedient.

People: All of us also lived among them at one time, gratifying the cravings of our flesh and following its desires and thoughts.

Leader: Like the rest, we were by nature deserving of wrath. But because of his great love for us, God, who is rich in mercy, made us alive with Christ even when we were dead in transgressions—

People: It is by grace I have been saved.

Leader: And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus, in order that in the coming ages he might show the incomparable riches of his grace, expressed in his kindness to us in Christ Jesus. For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God— not by works, so that no one can boast.

People: For I am God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for me to do.

Our Response ~ Grace Alone

Congregational Prayer

God's Word for Us

*Song ~ CH 83 There's Something About That Name

Scripture Reading ~ Mark 10:46-52

Message ~ Can You See Jesus?

Prayer

*Song ~ CH 235 Take The Name Of Jesus With You

We Depart to Serve

*God's Parting Blessing

*Closing Song ~ CH 105 v1, 4 We Will Glorify

Order of Worship

5 PM Service

Prayer

Call to Worship

Greeting

*Song of Praise ~ CH 56 To God Be the Glory

*Profession of Faith ~ Apostle's Creed (p3)

Songs of Praise ~ Congregation Choice

Congregational Prayer

Offering

Video ∼ That the World May Know

Prayer

*Benediction

*Parting Song ~ CH 581 'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus

RUDYARD CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH THE SUNDAY BULLETIN – September 27, 2020

Nursery is provided in the Educational Building for children up to age three.

Attendants today: Laurie Morley, Tammy Folkersma, Paige Postma,

and Liam Hoolsema

Next week: Cherie Rice, Cynthia English, Leah Beelen, and

Ashlyn Mitchell

<u>Junior Worship</u> is provided in the Educational Building for 3, 4, and 5 year olds not yet in school. They will be dismissed before the morning sermon.

Helpers today: Donell Beelen, Andrew Borowski, and Raya

Morley

Next week: Stef Lubben, Meagan Postma, and Kyle Postma

Please stay after the morning service for a time of fellowship and refreshments.

Offerings today: A.M. – General Fund

P.M. – Parking Lot

Next week: A.M. – General Fund

P.M. – Missions

2020 Amount Budgeted Weekly for

General Fund: \$3745.

<u>September 20 Offerings:</u>

General Fund: \$2569.

THIS WEEK - September 27 - October 4

MONDAY:

- Happy Birthday to Gerald Hoolsema!
- Happy Birthday to Kim Cheney!

WEDNESDAY:

• **GEMS Leaders** will meet at 7 pm at the church.

FAMILY NEWS

Applications for tuition assistance for families sending students to the Rudyard Christian School are available in the back of church. All applications must be returned to a member of council or in the council mailbox by the end of October.

Chippewa County Right to Life Hosts Local Life Chain 2020

Preparations are underway for *National Life Chain Sunday 2020*, a peaceful and prayerful pro-life witness to be held on sidewalks throughout the US and Canada on Sunday, *October 4*th. Chippewa County Right to Life Association is hosting the local *Life Chain 2020*, asking participants to gather in front of the parking lot of the Good Will store at the intersection of M-129 and Ashmun St. The hour of silent prayer will begin at 2 pm, with *Life Chain* participants silently holding small placards with pro-life messages.

Anyone with questions regarding the local *Life Chain 2020* can call CCRTL chair Phil Becker at (906) 322-0652. If you are away from the area on October 4th, you can check out www.LifeChain.net for the location of *Life Chain 2020* events throughout the country.