



First Reformed
Church of Portage

September 27, 2020

Welcome



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Ministry Servers

Prayer

Today: Cindi Kirby, Jeff Everts

Next Week: Allan & Gloria Terpstra

Projector & Sound Techs

Today: Heather Reeves, Jim Thompson

Next Week: Tim Kirby, Dan Kalleward

Sunday Morning Transport

Today: Allan Terpstra

Next Week: Tim Kirby

WORSHIP

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Preparation for Worship

Call to Worship

“He Reigns”
“How Great Are You Lord?”
“The Solid Rock” #404

Greeting

Children’s Message

Prayer

Judges 19: 20-30; 21: 20-25

“Desperate for Leadership”
Part 11

Prayer

“Firm Foundation”

HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK

Sunday 9/27

8:15 AM ~ Praise Choir Rehearsal

9:30 AM ~ Worship Service ~ In the Sanctuary ~ Coffee Fellowship in the Fellowship Hall

Monday 9/28

6:30 PM ~ Executive Meeting

Tuesday 9/29

Wednesday 9/30

8:15-11:15 AM ~ MOPS

Thursday 10/1

Friday 10/2

9:00-3:00 PM ~ Classical Conversations

Saturday 10/3

Sunday 10/4

8:15 AM ~ Praise Choir Rehearsal

9:30 AM ~ Worship Service ~ In the Sanctuary ~ Coffee Fellowship in the Fellowship Hall



 Hearing device available in the Sound Booth.

Pastor

Clayton Smith

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Pastor of Visitation

Kathy Hoeksema

269-370-3677

Care Teams

Elder & Deacon

A-D

(E) Jeff Everts &

(D) T.J. Pool Jr.

E-J

(E) Deb Polderman &

(D) Sue Bos

K-M

(E) Peter Cook &

(D) Jeremiah Barnes

N-R

(E) Larry Hoeksema &

(D) Brad Dayton

S-U

(E) Rick Reeves &

(D) Steve Newhouse

V-Z

(E) John Byholt &

(D) Troy Roller

Team Ministry

(Team Leaders)

Church Life

Joan Eshuis

Education

Deb Polderman

Finance

Tim Kirby

Mission & Outreach

Pam Reeves

Prayer

John Medema

Maintenance

Don Terpstra

Technology

Dan Kalleward

Worship

Ryan Hoeksema

Property/Vision

Troy Roller

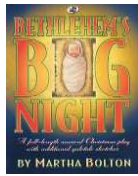
ANNOUNCEMENTS



TODAY at 11 AM (following worship and coffee) you will have an opportunity to learn about what's going on in the RCA, some major reports about the denomination, and the decisions we'll need to make in the near future. We hope you'll take an opportunity to join us.

TIM VANDENOEVER ADDRESS:

11825 Joyce Kilmer Rd.
Roscommon MI, 48563



JOIN THE FUN! Start your holiday season by being a part of our Christmas Musical, "**BETHLEHEM'S BIG NIGHT**"! Adults, children, anyone who likes to make a joyful noise is welcome! If you're interested, **SIGN UP TODAY** on the sign-up sheet in our lobby. Our first meeting and read thru will be Sunday, Oct. 11 at 4 PM. *Let's do a show!*

FUN SEEKERS will begin meeting again for breakfast on Tuesday, October 6th at 9 AM at Café Meli'.



MOPS Childcare volunteers if you have graciously offered to help with childcare for our MOPS meeting, we would love to do a brief meeting with you directly after church in the nursery **TODAY**. This will be brief and we will discuss our new changes coming this year. See you there.



MOPS Kicks off September 30. If you are interested in joining MOPS, we are kicking off our year on Wednesday, September 30 from 9:15-11:15 AM. You may arrive as early as 9! Not sure MOPS is for you? You are welcome to come and try a meeting. Hope to see you there!



CHURCH LIFE TEAM Since we are back to having coffee fellowship after church on Sunday mornings, we would appreciate it if people would help out with serving and clean up. There is a sign up sheet in the kitchen as well as a list of things that need to be done. Thank you in advance for your willingness to help.

Church Life Team



REMINDER Next Sunday will be our first Sunday of the month "extra offering" for our Mend the Nets Campaign.



COMMUNION SUNDAY In anticipation of celebrating the Sacrament we invite you to take time this week in prayer, reflection, confession, and repentance, to prepare yourself to receive this blessing on Sunday, October 4th.

THE BARNES FAMILY is growing! If you would like to bless Jeremiah & Abbey with a meal after their new baby arrives, there is a signup sheet on the bulletin board. Contact Brooke with additional questions.

Sermon Notes

1. When God is _____, the _____ are _____.
2. When God is _____, we _____ in _____.
3. All the _____ have _____ to save the people, but _____ will _____.