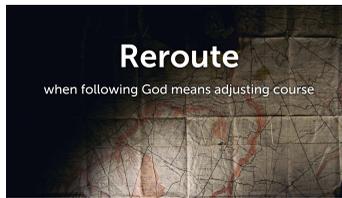


Detour Ahead

Luke 10:30-37



DEACONS REPORT

Thanks to the congregation for the gifts received on July 26:

Received for General Ministries: \$8,656.00
Avg. weekly collection should be: \$6,445.00
Received for Christian Education: \$541.00
Avg. weekly collection should be: \$629.20

Community Offering:

The Banner \$35.00

Upcoming Community Offerings

TODAY: Resonate Global Mission – Jesse and Jari Rodriguez. Jesse and Jari Rodriguez are missionaries serving at the Nehemiah Center in Nicaragua. Their goal is for the development of holistic Christian financial models that will strengthen Nicaraguan families and communities by providing jobs, hiring others, and increasing evangelism.

Aug 9: Wycliffe Bible Translators

Aug 16: Kids Food Basket

Aug 23: Backpack Buddies

Aug 30: Resonate Global Mission – Tony & Stacey Meyer

THIS WEEK

Tuesday, Aug 4

9:15am August gathering group

6:30pm Life Skills – food pick up

Sunday, Aug 9

10am Outdoor Worship



August 2, 2020

WELCOME
we are glad you are here!

COMING UP

ADMIN BOARD, Aug 11

LIFE SKILLS, Aug 11

STAFF

Tom VanderPloeg (Pastor)

Barb Sanders (Pastor)

Andrew Lenhart (Worship)

Sherri DeVries (Custodian)

Liz Boerman (Admin Assistant)

TODAY: What happens when an unexpected detour comes along on our journey of faith?

NEXT WEEK: Breakdown! The story of Joseph shows us what happens when the journey of faith seems to fall apart.

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Call to Worship

10,000 Reasons (Bless The Lord)
Great Things

Confession of Sin and Assurance of Grace

The Stand

Prayers of the People

Scripture *Luke 10:30-37*

³⁰ In reply Jesus said: “A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, when he was attacked by robbers. They stripped him of his clothes, beat him and went away, leaving him half dead. ³¹ A priest happened to be going down the same road, and when he saw the man, he passed by on the other side. ³² So too, a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. ³³ But a Samaritan, as he traveled, came where the man was; and when he saw him, he took pity on him. ³⁴ He went to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he put the man on his own donkey, brought him to an inn and took care of him. ³⁵ The next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper. ‘Look after him,’ he said, ‘and when I return, I will reimburse you for any extra expense you may have.’

³⁶ “Which of these three do you think was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of robbers?”

³⁷ The expert in the law replied, “The one who had mercy on him.” Jesus told him, “Go and do likewise.”

Message “detour ahead”

I Will Follow

God’s Parting Blessing

CHURCH LIFE

AUGUST GATHERING GROUPS

Plans are in the works to provide opportunities to gather in small groups during the month of August, while following COVID safety guidelines. The purpose of these groups is to provide a time of fellowship with others and for discussion of questions provided from each week’s sermon. The hope is that each group will meet for the weeks of **August 2, 9, 16, and 23** for about an hour. This time will be a mixture of sermon topic discussion and simply opportunity for fellowship with one another. If you wish to be a part of a small group, contact **Pastor Tom** or **Pastor Barb**.

August Birthdays

Bill Huyser -8/3

2500 Breton Woods #3064
Grand Rapids MI 49512

Marv Houtstra - 8/7

4253 Redbush Dr.
Grandville MI 49418

Rachel Tjoelker - 8/16

Azpira Place of Breton
4352 Breton Rd SE
Kentwood MI 49512

Caroline Dik - 8/30

Waterford Place
1725 Port Sheldon #E109
Jenison MI 49428

PRAYER FOCUS

Outreach:

Jesse and Jari Rodriguez as they continue to serve at the Nehemiah Center in Nicaragua developing Christian financial models to help strengthen Nicaraguan families and communities by providing jobs, hiring others, and increasing evangelism.

Continuing Needs:

- Remember in prayer those who are not able to worship with us on Sundays and have restrictions on visitors: **Gloria DeWitte, Caroline Dik, Lois Oom, Rachel Tjoelker, Phil and Char VanDommelen.**
- Remember in your prayers those who have ongoing health needs and concerns: **Ryan Brunink, Kristie Buchholz, Ron Dykstra, Valerie Fleming, Jo Hanenburg, Len Koetje, Mike Philo, Jo Postema, Paul Sausser, Arv & Pearl Tap, Sharon Walcott, Tom & Donna Westra, and Don Winkle.**

OUTREACH/VOLUNTEER

STUFF THE BUS/SCHOOL SUPPLIES

This is our last week to shop for our friends at Central Elementary! We’ve almost reached our goal! Please check the link on our webpage (www.fellowshippcrc.com) for some still needed items:

- (1) 2nd grade girls back pack
- (3) 4 ct. pkg. Expo Dry erase markers—any color
- (1) 4 ct. pkg. Expo Dry Erase markers—fine point
- (2) 4 ct. pkg. Expo Dry Erase markers—black
- (4) headphones
- (3) earbuds
- (6) pkg. 3x3 sticky notes (e.g. Post It notes)
- (12) boxes Kleenex
- (6) container disinfecting wipes
- (6) boxes resealable baggies—quart size

All donations are due **August 9**. It would be helpful if you could either use the online link to sign up or let **Linda Westra** know what you purchase (lkwestra@yahoo.com or 264-9741). Any extra supplies that we receive will be donated to Love INC’s “Stuff the Bus” program.

Thanks! ~ *Missions and Community Connections Team*

LIFE SKILLS

On **August 11th** we plan to resume our Tuesday night program at Fellowship. We are able to meet the “10 people or less” threshold and are excited to resume the community with our families. We are in need of **2 mentors** for this program. We are also in need of **2-3 childcare providers**. We are excited to move forward, in new ways, as we explore how to do Life Skills in what feels like a different world.

Guidelines for resuming:

- Classes will not exceed 10 people
- Socially distanced classroom setup
- Temperature checks at the door
- Masks *required* by **all** adults while in the building
- No** dinners or communal coffee stands
- Children *over 5* will have to wear a mask while in communal spaces.

Contact **Laura VanderPloeg** for more information and to volunteer as a mentor or in childcare.