

# All In the Family

Hebrews 2:10-18



We still need to be asking: \_\_\_\_\_?

### DEACONS REPORT

Thanks to the congregation for the gifts received on March 6:

Received for General Ministries: \$5,212.58  
 Avg. weekly collection should be: \$6,445.00  
 Received for Christian Education: \$220.00  
 Avg. weekly collection should be: \$629.20

### Community Offering:

Desert Streams Ministries \$47.00

### Upcoming Community Offerings

**TODAY: THIRD OFFERING: Denomination Ministry Shares (DMS)**

The Christian Reformed Church uses ministry shares to fund a variety of ministry programs that start new churches, train servant leaders, support chaplains, resource congregations, and reach out to our neighbors through media and evangelism.

**March 20:** LOVE Your Neighbor

**March 27:** Roosevelt Park Ministries

**April 3:** Resonate Global Missions - Rodriguez

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### THIS WEEK

#### Monday, Mar 14

7pm Admin Meeting

#### Friday, Mar 18

#### Tuesday, Mar 15

9:15am Tuesday Morning Small Group  
6pm Life Skills

#### Saturday, Mar 19

#### Wednesday, Mar 16

6:30am Men's Bible Study  
(Red Geranium Café)

#### Sunday, Mar 20

9:30am Worship  
10:45am Church School  
11am Adult Bible Study

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### COMING UP

**ELDERS/DEACONS**, March 22

**YOUTH GROUP**, March 27

### STAFF

Tom VanderPloeg (Pastor)  
 Barb Sanders (Pastor)  
 Andrew Lenhart (Worship)  
 Laura Williams (Admin Assistant)  
 Katherine Sneller (Custodian)

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**TODAY:** Second Sunday of Lent: the only way for Jesus to completely take away the guilt of our sin was for Jesus to become completely like us in every way; sometimes we forget what it means that Jesus has become our brother.

**NEXT WEEK:** Third Sunday of Lent: What is it about Jesus that gives us confidence; and how do we live as people with confident faith?

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## March 13, 2022



Welcome!  
We are glad you are here!

### CHILDREN ARE WELCOME in our service

Also available during worship

- Nursery for infants & toddlers
- "Busy Bags" with kid's bulletin & activities
- Puzzle & sermon notes written by Pastor Tom for students Grades 3 & up (found by weekly bulletins)

**LARGE PRINT BULLETINS & SONGSHEETS**  
are available at the sound booth

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### Call to Worship

*10,000 Reasons  
Holy Is The Lord  
Who You Say I am*

### Baptism

### Prayers of the People

### Scripture Hebrews 2:10-18

<sup>10</sup> In bringing many sons and daughters to glory, it was fitting that God, for whom and through whom everything exists, should make the pioneer of their salvation perfect through what he suffered. <sup>11</sup> Both the one who makes people holy and those who are made holy are of the same family. So Jesus is not ashamed to call them brothers and sisters.

<sup>12</sup> He says,

"I will declare your name to my brothers and sisters;  
in the assembly I will sing your praises."

<sup>13</sup> And again,

"I will put my trust in him."

And again he says,

"Here am I, and the children God has given me."

<sup>14</sup> Since the children have flesh and blood, he too shared in their humanity so that by his death he might break the power of him who holds the power of death—that is, the devil— <sup>15</sup> and free those who all their lives were held in slavery by their fear of death. <sup>16</sup> For surely it is not angels he helps, but Abraham's descendants. <sup>17</sup> For this reason he had to be made like them, <sup>18</sup> fully human in every way, in order that he might become a merciful and faithful high priest in service to God, and that he might make atonement for the sins of the people. <sup>18</sup> Because he himself suffered when he was tempted, he is able to help those who are being tempted.

### Message "All In the Family"

*As the Deer  
Before the Throne of God Above*

### God's Parting Blessing

#### **TODAY:**

9:30am Worship  
10:30am Church School  
11am Adult Bible Study

## CHURCH LIFE

**TODAY** we commemorate the sacrament of baptism received by **Zoey Hageman**. This was an in-home baptism which already took place; today the video of baptism will be shared during worship. We celebrate along with **Chris and Lauren** the promises of God extended to Zoey as part of our church family.

**The wooden crosses on the stage come from the Cholla Cactus plant. The 'arms down' formation of the crosses for Lent are symbolic of our call during Lent to be repentant and humble before God.**

### CHRIST IN THE PASSOVER ~ THE FEAST OF REDEMPTION

A look at the biblical feast of Passover and how Jesus fulfilled this feast as the "Lamb of God." This educational event is being planned for Sunday, March 27, 11:00 – 12:00. There was an attachment in the midweek newsletter with more information. A copy of this attachment is available at the information center. *A specific count is needed for set up and food preparation. Please sign up via the link in the midweek or [tinyurl.com/Passover-Seder](http://tinyurl.com/Passover-Seder)*

### SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE STUDY

All are invited to join - Sundays at 11am in room 10. Questions? Contact **Mike Philo** ([lmphilo@aol.com](mailto:lmphilo@aol.com)) or **Dave Cook** ([dcook@calvin.edu](mailto:dcook@calvin.edu)).

### MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Men's Bible Study meets this Thursday 6:30-7:30am at Red Geranium Café. This week we are looking at chapters 14 & 15 in *Letters to a Young Calvinist*.

### LIFE SKILLS

Volunteers needed to prepare and serve the Life Skills meal March 29. We also need two adults or one adult and a teen to help with childcare. Contact **Laura VanderPloeg** today to sign up.

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

To **Arv Tap** who will be celebrating his birthday March 22.

## PRAYER FOCUS

- **Gary Roode** had hip replacement surgery on March 10. Give thanks that surgery went well and pray for a good recovery process.
- Continue to pray for **Sherri Funk**. She had rotator cuff surgery last week. Give thanks that recovery is going well.
- For **Denominational Ministry Shares** as they directly fund ministry programs that start new churches, train servant leaders, support chaplains, resource congregations, and reach out to our neighbors through media and evangelism.
- For the **LOVE Food Pantry** and the families that receive support through this ministry.
- Remember in prayer those who are not able to worship with us on Sundays: **Gloria DeWitte, Lois Oom, and Rachel Tjoelker**.
- Remember in your prayers those who have ongoing health needs and concerns: **Rick Carter, Valerie Fleming, Len Koetje, Bob Agents and Mary Wood-Agents**.

## OUTREACH/VOLUNTEER

### FOOD PANTRY

A huge THANK YOU from the Food Pantry staff for helping us reach our goal of \$150,000 in Family Fare receipts. We have received a check for \$1,000 as a reward to use for our grocery outreach ministries. We will continue to collect receipts toward our next goal. Thanks again!!

### BACKPACK BUDDIES

If you would like to donate to the Backpack Buddies ministry, our food requests for the next month include:

- Easter candy for treat bags
- canned pasts (i.e. Chef Boyardee type meals)
- canned chunky style soups - Beef or Chicken
- TUNA helper type side dishes
- granola bars and other snack items
- Cash donations or gift cards to Meijer, Aldi & Costco can be given through the deacons.

Please place items in the wooden box in the lobby. Thank you for showing Christ's love to our neighbors through your support of this ministry. - **Sandy Campo** 616-889-3134.