On Earth as It Is in Heaven Hebrews 1:5-14



angels are	
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what Jesus accomplished on the cross is

TODAY: First Sunday of Lent: Jesus came to accomplish the work of God by doing what no one else but God could do; God's entire plan of redemption for his entire creation was pointing towards Jesus the whole way **NEXT WEEK:** 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

DEACONS REPORT

Thanks to the congregation for the gifts received on February 27:

Received for General Ministries: \$2,918.30 Avg. weekly collection should be: \$6,445.00 Received for Christian Education: \$155.00 Avg. weekly collection should be: \$629.20

Community Offering:

\$97.00 Harbor House

Upcoming Community Offerings

TODAY: Desert Streams Ministries (Lonts)

David and Sara Lont are Fellowship-supported missionaries in Mexico. They pastor a church, translate Christian materials and texts into Spanish, and have an online Bible school (The Advanced

School of Ministry).

March 13: Denomination Ministry Shares

March 20: LOVE Your Neighbor March 27: Roosevelt Park Ministries

Monday, Mar 7 Tuesday, Mar 8 6pm Life Skills 7pm Admin

ELDERS/DEACONS, March 22

Sunday, Mar 13 Wednesday, Mar 9

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

Thursday, Mar 10

Saturday, Mar 12

Friday, Mar 11

COMING UP STAFF

Tom VanderPloeg (Pastor) YOUTH GROUP, March 12 Barb Sanders (Pastor)

Andrew Lenhart (Worship)

Laura Williams (Admin Assistant)

Katherine Sneller (Custodian)

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March 6, 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

Hosanna (Praise is Rising) Your Grace Is Enough

Communion

At The Cross Nothing But the Blood

Prayers of the People

Scripture *Hebrews* 1:5-14

The Son Superior to Angels

⁵ For to which of the angels did God ever say,

"You are my Son;

today I have become your Father"?

Or again,

"I will be his Father,

and he will be my Son"?

⁶ And again, when God brings his firstborn into the world, he says,

"Let all God's angels worship him."

⁷ In speaking of the angels he says,

"He makes his angels spirits,

and his servants flames of fire."

⁸ But about the Son he says.

"Your throne, O God, will last for ever and ever;

a scepter of justice will be the scepter of your kingdom.

⁹ You have loved righteousness and hated wickedness;

therefore God, your God, has set you above your companions by anointing you with the oil of joy."

¹⁰ He also says,

"In the beginning, Lord, you laid the foundations of the earth, and the heavens are the work of your hands.

¹¹ They will perish, but you remain;

they will all wear out like a garment.

12 You will roll them up like a robe;

like a garment they will be changed.

But you remain the same,

and your years will never end."

¹³ To which of the angels did God ever say,

"Sit at my right hand

until I make your enemies

a footstool for your feet"?

¹⁴ Are not all angels ministering spirits sent to serve those who will inherit salvation?

Message "On Earth as It Is in Heaven"

Exalted Over All

CHURCH LIFE

We will celebrate the sacrament of communion TODAY during the worship service.

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.

Would you like to read along through the book of Hebrews with us this season of Lent? Use the bookmark that is available to follow the reading schedule for Hebrews.

The 2022 Church Budget was passed by the congregation and approved at the Feb. 22, 2022 Council meeting.

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

SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE STUDY

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

MARCH SOCIAL GATHERING

The March Social Gathering is scheduled for this Tuesday, March 8, from 1-3pm here at Fellowship. All who are able to attend are welcome. Questions? contact Myrna Koning, Ellie Postma, Diane Ronda, Sharon Walcott, or Barb Sanders.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

To **Terry VanHaitsma** who will be celebrating his birthday March 2. Cards can be sent to: 4355 Redstone Ct., Grandville, MI 49418

"Dear Backpack Buddies, Thank you for providing such a great outreach service. It has blessed our family so much. A great big Thank You for the Christmas food. We were dealing with a relative on hospice and if it weren't for your support we wouldn't have had our turkey and fixings. Thank you again. May God bless you all."

-From a Grateful Heart

TODAY:

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

PRAYER FOCUS

- We extend our sympathy and prayers to Marc and Nancy VanDenBerg and family. Marc's mother, Arlene VanDenBerg, passed away February 22. May this family know God's comfort, presence, and peace.
- Pray for Gary and Sue Roode. Gary is scheduled to have hip replacement surgery on March 10. Pray that surgery goes well and for a good recovery process.
- For Desert Streams Ministries and David and Sara Lont as they
 minister to people in Mexico. Continue to pray for healing for David
 & Sara and Anna Lont as they battle COVID.
- 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.