

Fruit of the Spirit: SELF-CONTROL

Romans 12:1-8



FROM THE DEACONS

Thank You to the congregation for the gifts received June 5-12:

Received for general ministries:	\$ 9,894.00
Received for Christian Education:	\$ 1,020.00
Community Offering: DMS	\$ 400.00
Youth Group	\$ 225.00

Upcoming Community Offerings

TODAY: Gideons International

The Gideons International is an association of Christians dedicated to telling people about Jesus through associating together for service, sharing personal testimony, and by providing Bibles and New Testaments. While they are often recognized for their work with hotels, they also place and distribute Scriptures in other strategic locations. This makes them available to those who want them, as well as to those who may not know they need them.

June 26: Kid's Food Basket

July 3: The Banner

July 10: Desert Streams Ministries (Lont's)

THIS WEEK

Monday, Jun 20

5pm Golf League

Tuesday, Jun 21

6pm Life Skills

Wednesday, Jun 22

Thursday, Jun 23

Friday, Jun 24

Saturday, Jun 25

Sunday, Jun 26

9:30am Worship

11am Adult Bible Study

COMING UP

ELDERS, Jun 28

DEACONS, Jun 28

STAFF

Tom VanderPloeg (Pastor)

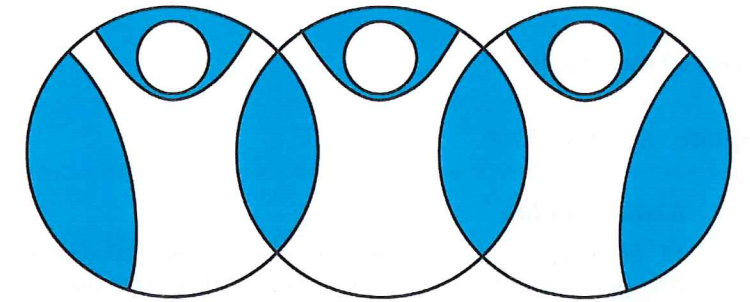
Barb Sanders (Pastor)

Andrew Lenhart (Worship)

Laura Williams (Admin Assistant)

Katherine Sneller (Custodian)

June 19, 2022



Fellowship
Christian Reformed Church

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

TODAY: The Fruit of the Spirit: SELF-CONTROL – Bearing the spiritual fruit of self-control requires discernment; the Bible tells us that discernment requires participation in God's covenant community.

NEXT WEEK: The Fruit of the Spirit: FRUIT SALAD

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Call to Worship

*Great Things
Joyful Joyful We Adore Thee
Who You Say I Am*

Prayers of the People

Scripture *Romans 12:1-8*

A Living Sacrifice

¹² Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. ² Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.

Humble Service in the Body of Christ

³ For by the grace given me I say to every one of you: Do not think of yourself more highly than you ought, but rather think of yourself with sober judgment, in accordance with the faith God has distributed to each of you. ⁴ For just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, ⁵ so in Christ we, though many, form one body, and each member belongs to all the others. ⁶ We have different gifts, according to the grace given to each of us. If your gift is prophesying, then prophesy in accordance with your faith; ⁷ if it is serving, then serve; if it is teaching, then teach; ⁸ if it is to encourage, then give encouragement; if it is giving, then give generously; if it is to lead, do it diligently; if it is to show mercy, do it cheerfully.

Message "Self-Control"

Lord I Need You

God's Parting Blessing

TODAY

9:30am Worship
11am Adult Bible Study

CHURCH LIFE

SUDAY ADULT BIBLE STUDY For the summer months the Adult Bible Study is in the book of Romans. The class time will begin around 15 minutes after the end worship and will end 45 minutes later. All are welcome to attend. Questions contact **Mike Philo** (LMPHILO@aol.com) or **Dave Cook** (dcook@calvin.edu).

POP CANS Youth Group's ongoing Pop Can Drive is running through the month of June. Please drop off your cans here at church in the special boxes located in the fellowship room.

LIFE SKILLS Childcare Volunteers Needed - Life Skills childcare needs help June 21 & July 12 6:30 - 8:30pm. Please contact **Laura VanderPloeg** if you are available and willing.

THANK YOU

I just want to Thank all of you from the bottom of my heart for all the kind, beautiful and positive messages I received in your cards. Your prayers and well wishes have really helped heal my mind, body, and spirit. Thankfully, my health has been doing much better and I am feeling well and restored. Many of you sent me cards and I am forever grateful for the wonderful gesture! I am so happy to have wonderful people like you in my life. God Bless all of you and your beautiful families!

*Much Love,
Jun & Family*

OUTREACH/VOLUNTEER

FOOD PANTRY Some items that are need for the pantry are:

Cereal, soup, ketchup, tomato sauce, pears, refried beans, macaroni noodles, snack crackers, canned meats (such as chicken and tuna), laundry soap, and dryer sheets.

We are continuing to collect receipts from Family Fare to our next goal. Please put them in the marked slot at the information center. Thank You!

PRAYER FOCUS

- Continue to pray for **Len and Lois Koetje** as Len continues to live with challenges with balance.
- For **Gideons International** as they minister to people through services, personal testimony, and providing Bibles and New Testaments to those who need them.
- 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 prayer those healing from surgery and those who have ongoing health needs and concerns: **Rick Carter, Valerie Fleming, Len Koetje, Jo Hanenburg, Bonnie Houtstra, Bob Agents and Mary Wood-Agents, Tom and Donna Westra, Tom Vlietstra, Evan and Jun Ling He Zeng and family.**

OUTREACH/VOLUNTEER

BACKPACK BUDDIES We want to thank the congregation for their generous support of the Backpack Buddies program. This year, we had our highest number of children ever and we never had to worry if we would have enough food to deliver each weekend. Our bank account and food box was filled through your gifts.

As the Federal CARES program (pandemic program) has been discontinued we do anticipate higher food prices and fewer subsidized products at Feeding America Food Bank next school year but are so grateful we had the opportunity to provide well for our families and their children over the past 2 years.

Over the summer we will continue to collect a few items to prepare for August return to school:

- canned chunky style soups - Beef or Chicken
- canned pasta
- canned chicken
- fruit and applesauce cups
- granola bars
- 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