

May 7, 2023

9:30 a.m. Worship Service

* Please rise in body or in spirit

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

* God's Greeting

* Call to Worship

* Silent Prayer

* Red Hymnal # 560:1-3.5

For the Beauty of the Earth

Sunday School Update

* New Hymn # 1

Draw Near to My Soul

Prayer of the Lord's People

Offering

Local Expenses

Offertory

* Red Hymnal # 284

They'll Know We are Christians by our Love

Scripture

Proverbs 22:6

Sermon

What the Church Does: Training Children

Prayer of Application

* New Hymn # 6

By Faith

* God's Blessing

* Gray Hymnal # 638

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

* Postlude

Welcome to Wayland Christian Reformed Church

We are so glad you joined us this morning.

Join us again at 5pm tonight for our Sunday Evening Bible Study.

Today

Thanks to Jerry Zandstra and the Praise Team for leading us in worship this morning.

Join us tonight at 5pm as Russ Ooms leads us in Bible Study. **All are welcome.** The Bible Study will run through Sunday, May 21 and then break for the summer.

From the Youth Group

Mentors Needed: We have 4 seniors this year that are graduating high school. Looking for 4 mentors to connect them with for the next 2 years as they transition to post high life. **Our graduates are Isaac Dehaan, Nick Erlanger, Zoey Grassmid, and Gabi Verburg.** Please see Simon or Jess Kraima with any questions or would like to volunteer as a mentor.

Exploring Wayland CRC Class

If you are interested in becoming a member of Wayland CRC and want more information, Pastor Zandstra will be holding a “Exploring Wayland CRC” class on Sunday, May 21 at 11 am, following the morning service in the Council Room. If you’d like to attend, please let Pastor Zandstra know by text (616-550-6209) or email (jerry@jerryzandstra.com).

From your Nursery Team

As you spring clean, if you find nice toys and items that could be used for the nursery, please place behind the nursery counter. **Questions? Please speak with Gretchen DeHaan (616-437-2490) or Christina Pike.**

From the Office

May Calendars – The May Calendars have been updated. Please replace your black & white copy of the May Calendars with the New color copies in your mailboxes. Thank you.

Congregational Meeting

Our Annual Congregational Meeting is Monday, May 22, 2023 at 7pm. We will be electing 2 elders & 2 deacons. **Nominations for elders are: Mike Door, Mark Doxey, Bob Tanner Jr and Steve Haaksma. Nominations for deacons are: Ryan Kroll, Alex Klunder, Quinn Grassmid & Tim Oetman.** We will be voting on the 2023-24 proposed budget. Copies of the agenda and proposed budget can be found in your mailboxes. **Absentee ballots & envelopes are in the back of church by the bulletin board.** Please seal your ballot in a signed envelop and return to the secretary’s mail slot by the church office. You must be a professing member to vote.

Bible League International

In your mailboxes today is a magnetic bookmark as a thank you from Bible League for supporting us! It would be great to use in your Bible, your devotional book or even your child’s summer reading books. **If you don’t want yours, please place it on the shelf across from the mailboxes, for someone else to grab.** If you would like an additional bookmark (once the extras run out) – please see JoAnne Marvin.

Christian Neighbors

May is our semi-annual collection month for **Christian Neighbors Food Pantry.** Please place your donations on the pew in the foyer.

Son-Life Camp

Spring Work Week is May 16-20, 2022. Come out and help us get ready for another amazing summer of ministry! We’re looking for anyone willing to lend some time and energy to help camp get ready for summer. Serve for one day or serve for the week! **Contact us to let us know you will be joining us.** Call us at 269-792-2081 or email at office@son-lifecamp.org.

Volunteer Mowers Needed: we are looking for volunteers to help mow lawns once a month (depends on availability and number of volunteers) this summer. Should have the ability to run a zero-turn mower and be 18 yrs. or older. Please call us if you are interested in being added to the schedule. (269) 792-2081 or e-mail at office@son-lifecamp.org.

Dorr CRC

Red Cross Blood Drive Friday, May 12, 12-5:45pm. The need for blood is ongoing. Please donate if you are able. To schedule an appointment visit RedCrossBlood.org (sponsor code: Dorrchurch) or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767). If you would like to volunteer to help that day or have any questions, please contact Ron Jansen (616) 681-2360 or email ron.jansen@att.net.

Prayer Guide – May 7, 2023

Prayer Requests...

- **Pam Eylander** will be having back surgery on Tuesday, May 9, 2023.

Ongoing Prayer Requests...

- **Jobje Lammers'** as she goes through chemotherapy in the fight against pancreatic cancer.
- **Willy Nieuwenhuis'** as he goes through aggressive monitoring and treatment.
- **Harriet Davies** begins a maintenance program after finishing chemotherapy treatments.
- **Our Church Service Members: David Seinen, Tim Sterk, Dani Verburg & Matt Haaksma**
 - **Tim Sterk & Jordan DeLange** (Glyn & Char son-in-law) currently deployed to Syria.
- **Missionaries: Tom & Donna Clossen, Kyle & Marcia Post**

Prayer Opportunities for Everyone

Wayland CRC Prayer Line anytime – (269) 792-PRAY

We want to pray for you! Please notify the office with prayer requests & updates.

Schedule for Weekly Offerings

Offering envelopes are in the chair pockets or in the back of church. Please include your number.

May 7 – Local Expenses – pays for the day-to-day operations of the church.

May 14 – Alpha – non-profit, pro-life, Christian organization providing support for women who find themselves with an unexpected pregnancy.

May 21 – Right to Life - an organization of diverse and caring people united to protect the precious gift of innocent human life from fertilization to natural death.

May 28 – Christian Education Assistance Fund – helps our church families with the cost of tuition.

This Week's Activities (May 7-13, 2023)		
Today	9:30 a.m.	Worship Service
	5:00 p.m.	Evening Bible Study Youth Group

Service Assignments for Volunteers		
	Today	Next Sunday
Nursery	Tyce Tanner Natalie Tanner Harley Kamps Charlie Johnson	Christina Pike William Johnson Georgia Brinks Ben Kamps
Little Lambs Leader Little Lambs Helper	Mary Schaafsma Ben Kamps	Mary Schaafsma Brooke Oosterheert
Children's Worship	Chloe DeVries	Chloe DeVries
Ushers	Scott Schaafsma Ken Sterk	Tyler Oetman Shannon Bird
Greeters West South	Terry Ellis Heidi Erlanger	Ed Engel Bob Elzinga
Sound System	Simon Kraima	Quinn Grassmid
Security	Shannon Bird	Josh DeHaan
Roaming Greeters	Bob & Anna Mae Tanner	Bob & Anna Mae Tanner
Morning Coffee	Rhys Davies	Rhys Davies

Upcoming Worship Services & Special Notes			
May 7, 2023	AM	Jerry Zandstra	Sunday School Awards
	PM	Russ Ooms	
May 14, 2023	AM	Jerry Zandstra	Mother's Day
	PM	Russ Ooms	
May 21, 2023	AM	Jerry Zandstra	Profession of Faith: Nate, Tyler & Shannon Oetman
	PM	Russ Ooms	
May 28, 2023	AM	Bill Fernhout	