

**September 11, 2022**

**9:30 a.m. Worship Service**  
\* Please Rise in Body or in Spirit

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

- \* God's Greeting
- \* Call to Worship
- \* Silent Prayer

- \* Gray Hymnal # 253
- \* New Hymn # 3

*Praise to the Lord, the Almighty  
Who You Say I Am*

Reading of the Law  
Prayer of Confession  
Assurance of Pardon

Blue Songbook # 10

*How Deep the Father's Love*

Prayer of the Lord's People

Offering  
Offertory

**Christian Education Assistance Fund**

(children, 2-4 years old, are dismissed during the next hymn)

- \* Red Hymnal # 382

*Be Thou My Vision*

Scripture  
Sermon

Matthew 18:21-35  
**The Power of Forgiveness**

Prayer of Application

- \* New Hymn # 13

*Great Are You Lord*

- \* God's Blessing

- \* Gray Hymnal # 627

*Bless His Holy Name*

- \* Postlude

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**Sermon Notes**

If you want a DVD of today's sermon, send your request to [office@waylandcrc.org](mailto:office@waylandcrc.org).

**Wayland Christian Reformed Church**  
We are so glad you joined us this morning.  
Please stay for coffee & fellowship after the service.

**Today**

**Thank you to Jerry Zandstra** and the praise team for leading us in worship this morning.

**“From Dust to Glory!”** – led by Russ Ooms, starting tonight at 5pm and runs every Sunday evening (unless otherwise noted in the bulletin). **Tonight will be an introduction to the series and the book of Genesis.**

**Sunday School**

**Sunday School** will be starting on September 18th and will be from 10:45-11:30. **Please make note** of the time change we will be finishing Sunday school 15 mins earlier this year.

**We are in need of Sunday School teachers** for Grades 1-3, Grades 4-5 and Grades 6-8! Full or part time welcome! Please contact Andrea Buist with any interest.

**A Note from GEMS**

**GEMS** will be filling bags again at Christmas and are now collecting donations! It's a great time to **grab the school supplies on sale!**

**Son-Life Camp & Retreat Center**

**Golf Marathon** will be held at **Orchard Hills Golf Course in Shelbyville on Monday, September 12.** We are still looking for golfers for the event, as well as sponsors. Contact Laura at 269-792-2081 to find out how YOU can be a part of this awesome fund-raising event. Thanks in advance for helping us “change lives through Christ”!

**Pine Rest CAP Program**

**Transitioning to College** - we can help you navigate the next chapter of your child's journey. **Call 1.800.442.0809** and **say you are a CAP member with Wayland CRC** to receive free, compassionate and confidential support.

**40 Days for Life**

**Would you be willing to pray for one hour to end abortion?** 40 Days for Life is a pro-life effort that consists of 40 days of praying, fasting, and holding a peaceful vigil in front of an abortion facility. The fall campaign will take place from September 28 through November 6. This will be the 26th campaign in Grand Rapids, and it will take place in front of Heritage Clinic for Women at 320 East Fulton Street. This is the only free-standing surgical abortion facility still operating in our community. Dozens of area churches have adopted a day of prayer. Wayland CRC has adopted **SATURDAY, October 8, from 1pm-7pm** to pray at the peaceful vigil. At least two individuals are needed for each hour of the vigil from 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM. **Signups are on the bulletin board. For more information, contact Mary Zandstra** or visit [www.40daysforlife.com/GrandRapids](http://www.40daysforlife.com/GrandRapids).

**Bible League International**

**Thank you** for telling others about Jesus through Bible League. Together our church was able to provide \$500.00 or 100 Bibles for ministry. Continue to pray for the Bible League and with us for the provision of God's Word to a lost and needy world and here in the U. S.A.. **Thank you for serving the under-resourced church.**

**Calvin University**

**Organ Concert** - Calvin organ professor Rhonda Sider Edgington will play organ music of American composer Bernard Wayne Sanders (b. 1951) in a concert on Fri, Sept, 16 at 7:30 pm in the Calvin Chapel. Edgington will also be joined by Prof. John Varineau on clarinet in this concert of varied music, including hymn settings, sacred works, and a tribute to Joan Miro. Questions? [music@calvin.edu](mailto:music@calvin.edu)

**Free Music Course** - Join the Calvin Academy for Lifelong Learning (CALL), with 1,200 members, for a free course on "400 Years of African American Music History", four Wednesdays in September, from 3:15-4:30pm. This project is funded in part by Michigan Humanities, an affiliate of the National Endowment for the Humanities. The class is available online, in person, or recorded, and anyone new to our program will be gifted a 1-year membership. More details at [calvin.edu/call](http://calvin.edu/call). Call 616-526-8777 or email [call@calvin.edu](mailto:call@calvin.edu)

**Zion Christian School**

**Zion Christian** is looking for 2 boys middle school basketball and 2 girls middle school basketball coaches for this upcoming year. The boys play from late October to Christmas break, while the girls play from late December to mid February. If you are interested, please fill out an application and **contact Joel Bont** ([jbont@zionchristian.net](mailto:jbont@zionchristian.net)) if you have any questions.

**East Martin Christian School**

**79th Annual Harvest Sale** on Saturday, October 15th, at 4:00 pm. If you would like to donate or sponsor this event please contact Jessica Tucker at (269) 998-2960 or Jenny VandeBunte at (616) 217-7977 with items/description to be included in the Harvest Sale booklet. **Please be sure to turn in all donations** (excluding perishable items) to the school office by October 1st. Thank you so much for your support of the Harvest Sale, and of Christian education at East Martin Christian School.

**Trinity Reformed Church**

**Memory Care Worship at Trinity Church** - Trinity's next Memory Care service will be **Wednesday, September 14 at 3pm.** The service will be full of traditional hymns, familiar prayers and liturgies, as well as well-known Scripture passages. The short message will be geared towards a loved one's caregiver to offer hope and encouragement as they maneuver through this often difficult season of caregiving. **Trinity Reformed Church is at 712 Apple Avenue in Holland, MI.**

## Prayer Guide – September 11, 2022

### Prayer Requests...

- **Willy Nieuwenhuis** is waiting on biopsy results to find out if the tumor in his bladder is cancerous.
- **Jobje Lammers'** was able to complete her 40<sup>th</sup> round of chemo this past week, and will have a CT scan on Monday, September 12 to check on the cancer.
- **Judy Keizer** is struggling with back pain and is waiting to meet with the Spine-Ortho. Doctor on September 29.

### Ongoing Prayer Requests...

- **Service Members: David Seinen, Tim Sterk, Dani Verburg & Matt Haaksma**
  - **Tim Sterk** is currently deployed (stateside for awhile and then headed to Syria).
- **Missionaries: Tom & Donna Cossen, 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.

**September 11 – Christian Education Assistance Fund** – helps our church families with the cost of tuition.

**September 18 – Project Hope** – a local organization that offers financial aid & mentoring and a food pantry and Thrift Store for the community.

**September 25 – Christian Education Assistance Fund** – helps our church families with the cost of tuition.

**Download the Vanco Faith App on iPhone or Android & search for “Wayland CRC**

<b>This Week's Activities (September 11-17)</b>		
<b>Today</b>	8:45 a.m.	Prayer Time for Service
	5:00 p.m.	Evening Bible Study
<b>Monday</b>		
	6:30 p.m.	Council Meeting
	7:30 p.m.	Elders Meeting
<b>Tuesday</b>		
	6:30 p.m.	Worship Committee Meeting

<b>Future Worship Services &amp; Special Notes</b>			
September 11, 2022	AM	Jerry Zandstra	
	PM	Russ Ooms	
September 18, 2022	AM	Jerry Zandstra	Shofar Brass & Sunday School Kick-off
	PM	Russ Ooms	
September 25, 2022	AM	Jerry Zandstra	
	PM	Russ Ooms	

<b>Service Assignments for Volunteers</b>		
	<b>Today</b>	<b>Next Sunday</b>
<b>Nursery</b>	Bob Elzinga Laurie Elzinga Gabi Verburg Aiden DeHaan	Ruth Grassmid Jodi Johnson Isaac DeHaan Peyton Harshberger
<b>Ushers</b>	Tyler Oetman Shannon Bird	Bryce Oosterheert Brett Schaafsma
<b>Greeters</b>	<b>W</b> Anthony Harshberger <b>S</b> Brian Harrington	Gary Hirdes Ben Johnson
<b>Sound System</b>	Simon Kraima	Quinn Grassmid
<b>Security</b>	Steve Oetman	Scott Schaafsma
<b>Roaming Greeters</b>	Willy & Mary Lou Nieuwenhuis	Willy & Mary Lou Nieuwenhuis
<b>Morning Coffee</b>	Shannon & Jodi Bird	Shannon & Jodi Bird