### Today

We welcome all who worship with us and ask visitors and members to sign the Friendship Folders so that we may get to know one another. Please join us in the Gathering Place for refreshments and fellowship after the worship service.

The flowers at the chancel are given by Eleanor Van Dyke in memory of Del who would be celebrating his 80th birthday today, October 9.

The rose by the baptismal font is in celebration of the birth of a son, Ralph Manuel Leal, Jr., to Ralph and Jasmine Leal on October 4.

ASSISTING TODAY: Deacons/Ushers: Jon VanDuinen, Laura McMullen, Willis Weymon

IF YOU DESIRE PRAYER for yourself and/or others Marcia Callicoat and Phil Coray will be available to pray with you following today's worship service. Please make your way to the Place of Prayer located in the south hallway on the main level.

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP: Our Children and Worship Program for children aged 4 through the 2nd grade continues today during the 10:00 service. Our Worship Center program takes place in Room 2. (Downstairs: Take the Northwest staircase down to the lower level. The room is the first door to your right.)

EDUCATION HOUR, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

nursery care available

Preschool-First Grade room 2 Second – Fifth Grade room 1 Senior High Youth Room

ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES, 11:30-12:30

Mosaic: "Meet Henry and Lindsey Cherry" facilitated by Marcia Bishop. Next week: "Round Table Lunch and Hebrew Drama Presentation: Wrestling with God" led by Travis West

"The Corinthian Correspondence: The Cross Changes Everything" meets in room 22. Class led by George Hunsberger

EL ENCUENTRO (EN ESPAÑOL): Les invitamos a las 11:30 a.m. a reunirnos en la presencia del Señor, escuchar su Palabra y orar juntos. Favor de invitar a sus familiares y vecinos-- ¡Todos son bienvenidos! Nos reuniremos en Fellowship Hall. (gimnasio). ¡Nos vemos!

[Translation] **EL ENCUENTRO** (SPANISH GATHERING) We invite you to join us at 11:30 a.m. to spend time in the presence of God through his Word, and to pray together. Feel free to invite your family and friends—everyone is welcome! We meet in the **Fellowship Hall**. See you!

### The Week Ahead

Sunday

9:00 a.m. Kamerkoor

11:30 a.m. Spanish Worship Ministry/El Encuentro

11:30 a.m. Education Hour 5:00 p.m. Carillon Choir

7:00 p.m. High School Youth Group

Monday

1:30 p.m. Miriam Bible Study

Tuesday

9:30 a.m. Staff Meeting

10:00 a.m. Hannah/Elizabeth Bible Study

10:00 a.m. Ruth Bible Study12:00 p.m. Lydia Bible Study12:00 p.m. Worship Committee7:30 p.m. Deacons' Meeting

Wednesday

6:15 a.m. Men's Bible Study

8:30 a.m. Wednesday Morning Prayers (zoom) 9:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study (zoom)

1:30 p.m. Rachel Bible Study5:30 p.m. LIFT Dinner6:15 p.m. LIFT Classes

6:15 p.m. Middle School Youth Group

Thursday

8:00 a.m. Sunrise Saints

## Congregational News

Please remember in prayer those in the hospital and in care facilities.

Please remember to have someone notify the church office when you are in the hospital so you can receive spiritual care by the pastoral staff. Call 392-1459.

CONGRATULATIONS to Nathan Klay and Leigh Austin who were married this weekend.

PRAYER SPOTLIGHT: Holland Hospital-Bob Kuiper. Pray for Stan Witteveen who will be having surgery tomorrow. Hospice-Margaret Doorenbos, Sue Pettinga. Home-Bill Charlton, Don Maatman, Barb Mummert, Lucille Schroeder, Ruby Steketee. Missionaries-John & Lynne Hubers (Ethiopia), Angel Lopez (Mexico).

### Congregational News

CALLING ALL ACTORS: If you enjoy acting and being on stage, you are invited to participate in the worship service on Sunday, October 16, with a rehearsal on Saturday the 15th. Please call the church office at 616-392-1459 or email us at office@trcholland.org to let us know you're interested!.

CHURCH BUS FOR FREEDOM VILLAGE: For residents of Freedom Village planning your transportation via the church bus, please note that our bus will pick up at 9:40 a.m. to bring passengers to the 10:00 a.m. service, and return at both of the following times: 11:20 a.m., and 12:30 p.m.

OFFICE HOURS CHANGE REMINDER: The office will be closed at noon on Fridays.p This schedule will go through the end of the year.

MICRO PANTRY: The Micro Pantry supplies are running low. Please help us keep the pantry supplied by bringing in the following items: cereal, spaghetti sauce, baked beans, canned fruit, refried beans, canned diced tomatoes, canned tuna, canned chicken, canned potatoes, toilet paper, shampoo

WOMEN'S MINISTRIES: Benjamin's Hope is one of the missions that Women's Ministries supports. The women of Third Reformed are invited to tour this facility on Saturday, October 15. We will meet at the church at 9:30 a.m. the bus will hold 22 and some may be driving. Coffee and doughnuts will be provided at the farm. Please wear comfortable shoes as some walking may be required. The residents, also, have a produce and plant stand and a gift shop where they sell cards, their hand made soaps, lip balm, etc. We are hoping to have a bus load so please RSVP and sign the sheet in the Gathering Place. Questions call Mary DeWitt, 616-368-7634.



# Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost

October 9, 2022

8:00 & 10:00 a.m.

# The Approach to God

Prelude Glory Be to God on High Samuel Scheidt

Votum

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 111 (responsively)

Praise the Lord!

I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart, in the company of the upright, in the congregation.

Great are the works of the Lord,

studied by all who delight in them.

Full of honor and majesty is his work, and his righteousness endures forever.

He has gained renown by his wonderful deeds; the Lord is gracious and merciful.

He provides food for those who fear him; he is ever mindful of his covenant.

He has shown his people the power of his works, in giving them the heritage of the nations.

The works of his hands are faithful and just; all his precepts are trustworthy.

They are established forever and ever,

to be performed with faithfulness and uprightness.

He sent redemption to his people;

he has commanded his covenant forever.

Holy and awesome is his name.

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom;

all those who practice it

have a good understanding.

His praise endures forever.

Praise the Lord!

SALUTATION

\*+HYMN OF PRAISE 581

Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee Tune: HYMN TO JOY

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of Christ be with you. And also with you.

(The congregation may exchange the Peace.)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (responsively)

Gracious God. You know us and our faults. There is nothing hidden from you. In the light of your Son Jesus we see the ways in which we have failed. We turn to you to be healed.

Heal us of our selfishness and our arrogance.

Heal us of our indifference and apathy.

Heal us of our cruelty and violence.

Purge from us our words that do not seek peace.

Purge from us our actions that do not seek wholeness.

Purge from us our thoughts that are not pure.

Restore us O Lord, in the name of your Son Jesus. Amen.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

\*HYMN 358 Give Thanks Tune: GIVE THANKS

CHILDREN'S TIME

#### The Word of God

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON: Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7 p. 731

This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

This is the Gospel of our Lord. Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON "Local"

PRAYER FOR BLESSING ON THE WORD

GOSPEL LESSON: Luke 17:11-19

### The Response to God

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: Nicene Creed We believe in one God,

the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one being with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven: was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary, and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;

he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father [and the Son], who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS & SHARING THE GIFT OF FELLOWSHIP

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING

OFFERTORY Banned and Banished Banned and banished by their neighbors, full of sores, accused of sin, scorned and scarred, the ten were calling, warning all, "Unclean! Unclean!" Jesus met them with compassion, heard their cry, "Have mercy, Lord!" cleansed their flesh and turned them homeward with his saving, healing Word. Still, O Christ, we bring before you ills of body, mind, and soul. Speak again your Word of healing; cleanse, renew and make us whole!

Then, redeemed, restored, forgiven, Lord, this other gift impart: for the mercy you have shown us, grant us each a grateful heart. —Herman G. Suempfle, Jr, based on Luke 17:1-9

\*DOXOLOGY 965

Tune: OLD HUNDREDTH

IF Baldamus

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE & THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread.

And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors.

And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION 571

Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven Tune: LAUDA ANIMA

\*BENEDICTION

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Stephen P. Folkemer

POSTLUDE O That I Have a Thousand Tongues

+Latecomers will be seated. \*You may stand.

Worship Leaders: Rev. Dr. Ryan Boes, preaching; Rev. Janelle Lopez-Koolhaas, Remi Van Farowe, liturgists; Kamerkoor; Linda Strouf, Minister of Music.

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