

CORNERSTONE UNITED REFORMED CHURCH

Bulletin Announcements for June 19, 2022

Today, both of our worship services will be led by Rev. Phil Vos.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Profession of Faith class will meet today in the Council Room following the morning worship service.

DIRECTORY UPDATES ~ **TODAY is the LAST DAY** to check your directory listing on the table under Bulletin Board #2 in the narthex. Please make **any corrections and / or changes** that need to be made and **initial next to your name**. E-mail addresses can also be listed. New directories will be distributed next Sunday.

Ecuador ~ Lord willing, **Dave Vander Meer** will be traveling to Ecuador early Monday morning as part of his work with Word and Deed. This week, there have been riots in the major towns and cities over Ecuador's rising food and gas prices. **Aly Koning** is working with a Word & Deed partner in Quininde, and there have been no reported riots there. He is also planning to see **Carlos Pinto**. **If you would like to give a cash donation to the Pinto's** to help cover the rising cost of living there, **you can give it to him TODAY**. He will include it in a card from the Cornerstone Missions Committee. You can also **give Dave a note or card of encouragement for Aly** as he plans to visit projects in Quininde.

The Issues and Actions Committee will be meeting in the church basement TONIGHT immediately following the evening service. We will be joined by special guest, Mark Davis, a member of the Hudsonville School Board. He will be sharing with us his experience being a school board member and discussing ways that we can be most effective in interacting with the board. **If you were unable to join our last meeting but still wish to join the committee, we welcome you.**

Thank you to everyone for attending the Church Picnic on Wednesday! It is always a special treat to be together.

Thank you to those who supported us by purchasing treats at our dessert auction at the Church Picnic this past week. We are excited for the opportunities that God has given us to be able to use these funds for TASC and convention this summer. To God be the glory! ~ **The HSYG**

Please join the Building and Grounds Committee at a Townhall style meeting on **June 27** at 7:00pm. This meeting will be **for information only**, to discuss current facility issues and needs as well as the consideration of a new building project for our church. There **will NOT be a vote** as to how we proceed at this meeting, a vote will follow a few weeks later.

VBS/ Bible Club at the Presidential Estates trailer park needs your help! We are thankful that God has given us this opportunity – this ministry. Currently, 8 children have been coming regularly. Tom and Nancy (friends of Cornerstone and members of Messiah CRC) have been preparing and teaching the lesson every week, but they **need adult and high school helpers** to help teach these children (often unchurched) about God and His Word. **Please consider helping on Thursday evenings** from 6:30-7:30pm (game time, Bible lesson, prayers, and snack). You do not need to commit to every Thursday – whatever you can work into your schedule. You are welcome to bring your children. Let's teach our kids to serve and tell others about Jesus. "And he said to them 'Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation.'" (**Mark 16:15**); "Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you.'" (**John 20:21**); "Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few, therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest.'" (**Matthew 9:37-38**). **If you are willing to help, please call us or talk to us at church.** Thank you for prayerfully considering how you can help in this ministry. ~ **Barb Moorman and Sheryl Ulberg**

A student from last year's IRBC Biblical Counseling class said, "I'm very thankful I could take this course. I looked forward to it every week. I have learned the importance of knowing the Word of God, inside & out. I also learned some things about myself." **The IRBC Basic Training Course in Reformed Biblical Counseling will be offered at several Michigan locations this fall.** For more information and a registration form, type "reformedbiblicalcounseling" in your word search to get to IRBC's website. Then click on "Basic Training Course" at the top of our homepage.

Farewell picnic supper for the Coskun's is THIS WEEK Saturday, June 25, 5:00-6:30pm at Walker URC. Because Cagdas Coskun has preached in our church while he was a student at Puritan Reformed Theological Seminary, Walker URC invites you to a farewell picnic supper that we will be having for the Coskun's prior to their return to Turkey where Cagdas will begin his work as a missionary. We will be serving brisket, wings, meatloaf burgers and more. You will also learn about an opportunity to volunteer at a fund-raising event for the Turkish Mission in Buckley MI, Aug. 18-20, where Walker URC will have two kitchens serving food at the Buckley Old Engine Show.

Single Adults ages 30-55, are you interested in fellowshiping with other Christian singles? A group is forming in West Michigan who are single (never married, divorced, single parents, etc.) for fun and fellowship events. These events include things like picnics, BBQ, tubing, canoeing, sporting events, bowling, etc. If anyone is interested in being notified of upcoming events or would like more information, please contact Mindy Adema at mindyadema@gmail.com or phone/text (616) 450-6891.

Reformed Fellowship is grateful for your support and prayers as we continue to publish Reformed material to build up God's church around the world. This spring we have added about 30 individuals to our prison ministry through collaboration with Rev. Brummel of Divine Hope Seminary. This program includes signing up these inmates as subscribers to The Outlook at no cost to them, and traditionally Reformed Fellowship board members or others have also corresponded with these men to encourage them and answer questions about the Reformed faith. We are very grateful for these opportunities to "remember" those in prison, and we praise the Lord for providing donors to support this work. We ask that you pray for continued guidance and funding for RFI as more such opportunities open up, and we ask for your prayers that the Lord would bless this outreach to build up his kingdom.

You are invited to attend a Missions Symposium hosted by Dutton URC on **Wednesday, August 24**, at 7:00 pm, the Lord willing. The 2022 URCNA Synod will have before it two proposals for how we work together in missions: a majority report and a minority report. Each report will be presented at the Missions Symposium followed by a time of question and answer. Dutton URC is located at 6950 Hanna Lake Ave SE, Caledonia. The event will be live streamed at www.DuttonURC.org/live-stream. If you have any questions, please contact office@duttonurc.org. Ice cream fellowship will follow, hosted by the Dutton URC Young People.

RMS Announcements

Pantego, NC, TASC is taking place right now. Please pray for all those involved in this week's activities. Visit our webpage for pictures and updates on this trip: rms.org!

We give thanks to God for the two wonderful TASC events that just wrapped up yesterday in Visalia, CA & Sanborn, IA. Visit our Facebook page or website for pictures of these trips: rms.org!

Teams are coming together serve in Kentucky various for dates in August. If you are available to volunteer for any length of time, please contact us at DisasterResponse@rms.org. If there are dates earlier this summer that work better for you (individually or as a group), let us know and we will coordinate plans.

HSYG

- **Thanks to those who brought items to our dessert silent auction on Wednesday.** We are thankful for the funds we were able to raise to go towards TASC and convention. We will be in touch soon as far as what you owe personally for TASC/convention.
- **Save the Date—Wednesday, July 6,** from 5:00-8:00pm for an outing to **Craig's Cruisers!** Text Paul if this interests you!

THIS WEEK AT CORNERSTONE

Today	9:30 AM	Morning Worship Service
	11:00 AM	Profession of Faith Class (Council Room)
	5:20 PM	Song Service
	5:30 PM	Evening Worship Service
	7:00 PM	Issues and Actions Committee (Basement)
Monday	7:00 PM	Education Committee Meeting
	7:00 PM	Missions Committee Meeting
Wednesday	6:30 AM	Early Risers
Thursday	6:30 PM	VBS at Presidential Estates

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Offerings:	June 19 AM: Building Fund	PM: Christian Education
	June 26 AM: Word & Deed	PM: Mid-America Reformed Seminary
Coffee Servers:	June 19 – Rod & Deb Westveer	
	June 26 – Dorothy VandenBosch & Deanne Carbone	
Host Family:	June 19 – FATHER’S DAY – Everyone	
	June 26 – Pastor Phil & Brenda Vos	
Nursery:	June 19 AM: Karen & Leighann Sterk	
	PM: Amanda Hodges, Hannah Moelker	
	June 26 AM: Jill Spoelma, Sue Gift	
	PM: Carrie Knott, Zoe Dykstra	
Security:	June 19 AM: Scott DenHerder, Patrick Carbone	First Responder: Carissa Schuiteman
	PM: Dan Deppe, John Emelander	
	June 26 AM: Bob Hop, Matt Moorman	First Responder: Beth Kramer
	PM: Keith Schuiteman, Kevin Schuiteman	
Sound:	June 19 – Dan Bratt	June 26 – Camdon Deppe
Ushers:	June AM: Dan Deppe, Clayton Deppe, Camdon Deppe, Dan DeVries	
	PM: Joe DeWitt, Jacob DeWitt, Lee DeWitt, Steve Dykstra	
	July AM: Jim Dykstra, Ethan Dykstra, Jackson Dykstra, Dave Gift	
	PM: John Gras, Aaron Gras, Dennis Haveman, Henry Haveman	

REQUESTED MISCELLANEOUS ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Word & Deed Softball Tournament** – Lord Willing, Word & Deed will host its annual softball tournament on **Saturday, August 6, 2022**, at Whistlestop Park (2120 – 76th St., Byron Center, MI). We invite you to participate in this time of fellowship and sportsmanship by playing or sponsoring a player or team. This year's tournament will benefit a relief program for people from Myanmar who are suffering because of violence and lack of food due to political unrest. Softball information and event sponsorships are now available through the office (usoffice@wordanddeed.org) or 866.391.5728. Please join us!
- **Georgetown Harmony Homes**, providing Christian homes and services for adults with developmental disabilities, currently has an employment opportunity and a need for part-time staff to work in the homes with our residents, primarily evenings and weekends. If you are at least 18 years old and have a caring heart, you are encouraged to apply online at www.georgetownharmonyhomes.org. It's an opportunity to

show Christ's love while working with some special people and a great team!

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2022-2023

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25 Tom VanDyken, Vice-Clerk
24 Bruce Sterk, Vice-Chairman
24 Henry VanderWey
25 Rob Brinks
23 Rod Westveer
25 Larry Huttinga
23 John Bouma
25 Jeff Berens
23 Dan Bratt, Clerk

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24 Jon Knott
25 Jake Lengkeek
24 Nick Bratt, Treasurer
24 Dave DeZwaan, Vice-Chairman
25 Bob Hulst, Benevolent Treasurer
23 Zach Wassink, Secretary
25 Scott DenHerder
23 Tod Moelker, Chairman

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G. Veldink – T. Zondervan

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T. VanDyken – T. Zondervan