

June 29, 2025

Order of Worship

Morning Worship – 9:30 AM

Silent Prayer

Votum and Salutation*

Psalter* 290:1-5

Reading of the Law

Reading of Scripture

Psalter 163

Prayer

Psalter* 416:1, 2, 3, 5

Sermon

Prayer

Psalter* 124:1-5

Benediction*

Doxology – Psalter* 402:1, 4, 6

Song Service - 5:50 PM

Psalter 110: all

Psalter 289:1, 2, 3, 4

Evening Worship – 6:00 PM

Silent Prayer

Votum and Salutation*

Psalter* 134

Reading of Scripture

Psalter 203:1, 3, 4

Apostles' Creed

Prayer

Psalter* 186:1, 3, 5

Sermon

Prayer

Psalter* 73:1, 5, 6

Benediction*

Doxology – Psalter* 268:1

**Please stand if you are able.*

Sermon:

Christ Well Worth Loving!

Scripture: Song of Solomon 1

Text: Song of Solomon 1:4

Sermon:

We Faint Not

Scripture: 2 Corinthians 4:7-18

Text: 2 Corinthians 4:16-18

Church Family

Homebound:

Mrs. Rieka Bouwer (Kok)

Mrs. Joyce Kik (Cummings)

Mr. & Mrs. Paul & Betty Kooyers

Mrs. Marilyn Nederveld (Elzinga)

Mrs. Esther Richards (Faasse)

Mr. Teunis VanderGraaf

Remember in Prayer:

Jonathan Carlson

Mrs. Judy Kwekel

Mrs. Jo Maartense

Mr. William McQuade

Mr. Jerry Phillips

Mr. Bob Timmer

Mrs. Jan Van Grouw

Consistory Members

Elders:	Ron VanderBoon (Vice-Chair)	District 1
	Henk Kleyn (Clerk)	District 3
	Dr. David Kranendonk	District 3
	Corbin Prince	District 4
	Larry Roelofs	District 5
	Dick Spaans	District 2
Deacons:	Ty Joseph (Chairman)	District 3
	Dan Roelofs (Vice-Chair)	District 5
	Josh Scholten (Secretary)	District 4
	Jim VanderGraaf (Asst. Treas.)	District 2
	Kevin Walkotten (Treasurer)	District 1

Calendar

"The Lord willing" James 4:15

July 2 (Wednesday) 7 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting led by Dr. David Kranendonk.

July 3 (Thursday) 7:30 PM Young Adult Prayer Meeting at church.

July 6 (Sunday) 2 PM & 3 PM Jail Services at Kent County Jail.

July 8 (Tuesday) 7 PM Consistory Meeting. We will meet in the boardroom at PRTS.

July 9 (Wednesday) 7 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting led by Dr. Jerry Bilkes.

Other News

- **The Young Men's Summit – Register by July 7:** We invite young men (ages 16-25 to) attend the 3rd Young Men's Summit taking place at PRTS from **August 19-21**. This year's theme is "Relationships that Reflect Christ," with teaching from Dr. Bilkes, Dr. Kelderman, Dr. Macleod, and Student Loaiza. While spots are limited, registration is free and requires a short letter of recommendation from a pastor or elder. You can register online at www.plantsandpillars.net/event until July 7. If you have any questions, please email scottdkt5@gmail.com or caprince13@gmail.com.
- On **Friday, July 11 at 7:30 PM**, Andre Knevel will lead us in the singing of Psalters, hymns and patriotic music in the HRC sanctuary. The proceeds of this concert will go to the Luke Barnard family. Ticket sales will be at the door prior to the concert. Please mark your calendars and join us.
- **Word & Deed** has a special issue of its magazine that is now out, which is filled with devotionals written by Word & Deed partners from 13 different countries. Each of the meditations gives a brief cultural context of our partner. We hope that you will be inspired when you read not only about the trials that our Christian brothers and sisters are living through, but that you will also be inspired by the faithfulness and provision of our caring Father.

Welcome

We welcome you to our worship services today. May the Lord bless His Word to each one of us. If you have any prayer needs, or if you would like to know more about our church, the elders would be glad to speak with you.

The LORD hath appeared of old unto me, saying, Yea, I have loved thee with an everlasting love: therefore with lovingkindness have I drawn thee.

Jeremiah 31:3

Congregational Life

- Today, Pastor Macleod will lead our morning worship service, and Dr. Jason Zhao will lead our evening worship service.
- Next week, Pastor Macleod will lead our worship services.
- **From the Building Committee:** We would like to thank all those who helped with the recent cleaning and moving for the Macleod family. We are grateful for all of your help, and also for being flexible with the timing on the day the trailer arrived.
- **From the Family Camp Committee:** We would like to remind you that overnight registration forms are due by **July 13**, so if you plan to stay overnight, please return your form by then! Day visitor forms are due by **July 27**. If you have any questions, please reach out to any of the family camp committee members.
- We welcome Pastor Ian and Lenelle Macleod and their six children, Joshua, Dena, Julia, James, Cameron, and Luke. May the Lord bless them and make them a blessing among us as Pastor Macleod begins his ministry here.

Meditation

THE PLANT OF RENOWN

The blessed Plant is renowned for scent, and pleasant savour, O Sirs, there is such a blessed savour in this *Plant of renown*, as has cast a perfume through all the paradise above; he has cast a perfume through all the church militant, which in Isaiah 5 is called God's vineyard. O Sirs, do ye find anything of the scent of this *Plant*; I can tell you, if ever you have been made to know him, it will be so, Cant. 1:4.

“Because of the savour of thy ointment thy name is as ointment poured forth, therefore do the virgins love thee.” The believer finds a scent about him, he draws a savour from him. What is the design of us ministers but to cast abroad his scent; and it is by this we win souls: and they that cast out and drop the *Plant of renown* out of their sermons, and no wonder their sermons stink, and they shall stink to eternity that throw Christ out of their sermons. The great business of ministers is to cast forth the scent of Christ to people, I shall read ye a word to this purpose, in 2 Corinthians 2:14-15. “Now thanks be unto God, which always causeth us to triumph in Christ.” The apostle triumphs in him, and all other honest ministers will triumph in him too, and all Christians triumph in him that know him; “And maketh manifest the savour of his knowledge by us in every place. For we are unto God a sweet savour of Christ, in them that are saved, and in them that perish. To the one we are the “savour of death unto death, and to the other the savour of life unto life, and who is sufficient for these things?” Who is able to tell the sweet savour that is in him?

Ebenezer Erskine

Sermon Notes

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N u r s e r y		
Today	Baby	Toddler
Morning	Maria Van Seters Quincy Remijn	Courtney Prince Hannah-Jo Kranendonk
Evening	Trish Nagelkerke	Rose Roelofs
Next Week	Baby	Toddler
Morning	Jen Klaasen Hope Roelofs	Ellynn Prince Kennedy Remijn
Evening	Rachel Vergunst	Leah Kranendonk

U s h e r s		
	Morning	Evening
Today	Josh Nagelkerke	Josh Roelofs
Next Week	Shane DeMeester	Matt Bazen

O f f e r i n g s		
Today	General	Education
Next Week	General	Denominational

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