

March 8, 2026

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## Order of Worship

### Morning Worship – 9:30 AM

Silent Prayer  
Votum and Salutation\*  
Psalter\* 169  
Reading of the Law  
Reading of Scripture  
Psalter 34:7, 8, 9  
Prayer  
Psalter\* 16:3, 4, 7, 8, 9  
Sermon  
Prayer  
Psalter\* 248  
Benediction\*  
Doxology – Psalter\* 126:1, 5

*\*Please stand if you are able.*

Sermon:

**The World of the Ungodly**

Scripture: Genesis 6:1-8  
2 Peter 3:1-13

Text: Genesis 6:1-8  
Lord's Day 4

### Song Service - 4:50 PM

Psalter 204: all  
Psalter 369: all

### Evening Worship – 5:00 PM

Silent Prayer  
Votum and Salutation\*  
Psalter\* 81:1, 2, 3  
Reading of Scripture  
Psalter 161:1-4  
Apostles' Creed  
Prayer  
Psalter\* 157:1-5  
Sermon  
Prayer  
Psalter\* 157:6-9  
Benediction\*  
Doxology – Psalter\* 81:4

Sermon:

**The Lamb Led to the Slaughter**

Scripture: Mark 15:1-15,  
1 Peter 2:21-25

Text: Mark 15:1-15

## Church Family

### Homebound:

Mrs. Rieka Bouwer (Kok)  
Mrs. Joyce Kik (Cummings)  
Mr. & Mrs. Paul & Betty Kooyers  
Mrs. Marilyn Nederveld (Elzinga)  
Mrs. Esther Richards (Faasse)  
Mrs. Jan Van Grouw (Vander Have)

### Remember in Prayer:

Pastor Lawrence Bilkes  
Jonathan Carlson  
Mrs. Joyce Kik  
Mrs. Judy Kwekel  
Mr. Jerry Phillips

We would like to thank the congregation for your prayers, cards, and other tokens of love shown to us after the passing of our dear father, grandfather, great-grandfather, and great-great-grandfather, Teunis VanderGraaf. "The grass withereth, the flower fadeth: but the word of our God shall stand for ever." Isaiah 40:8

*Jim & Mary VanderGraaf & Family*

Dear Congregation,

You are all welcome to our home this coming **Friday, March 13 from 7:00 – 9:30 PM**, where we hope to have a time of fellowship in preparation for the Lord's Supper. If you are able to come, please just let me or Lenelle know. Warmly, Pastor Macleod

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## Consistory Members

Pastor: Pastor Ian Macleod (Chairman – Consistory)

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*

**March 10** (Tuesday) 9:45 AM Morning Ladies Bible Study.

**March 10** (Tuesday) 7 PM Evening Ladies Bible Study.

**March 10** (Tuesday) 7 PM Consistory Meeting. We will meet in the boardroom at PRTS.

**March 11** (Wednesday) 7 PM Prayer Day Service/Mid-Week Preparatory led by Pastor Macleod. This will be a combined service with Redeemer FRC.

**March 14** (Saturday) 8 AM Men's Bible Study.

**March 15** (Sunday) 2 PM & 3 PM Jail Services at Kent County Jail.

**March 18** (Wednesday) 7 PM Prayer Meeting & Singing in the church basement.

**March 19** (Thursday) 7:30 PM Young Adult Prayer Meeting.

**March 21** (Saturday) 2 PM Neighborhood Outreach.

**Save the Date: May 7** (Thursday) 6 PM Dorcas Guild Ladies Evening.

## Other News

- Grace Christian Academy is currently accepting applications for a high school teaching position in any combination of the following subject areas: Mathematics, Science, Language Arts, and Social Studies. Qualified candidates are encouraged to contact James Bazen at james.bazen@gcagr.org for additional information.
- This year's **Office Bearers Conference** is planned for **Saturday, March 21**, the Lord willing. Our speakers will be Pastor Mark Wagenaar and Tim Roos, with the theme **AI and the Church**. All (former) office bearers and interested men are welcome to attend. More information is posted on the bulletin board above the drinking fountain.
- The Reach the Forgotten Dinner will take place on **Thursday, April 16**. This event supports the jail ministry in our area. If you would like to attend, or have questions, please reach out to Bill & Cheryl Moerdyk.
- HRC New Jersey is planning the 4<sup>th</sup> Summer Retreat for ages 19-30 from **June 18-22**, with an optional day trip at the Jersey Shore on June 22 to evangelize and fellowship. The theme is "Paul - A Servant of Jesus Christ." More information can be found online at hrcnj.org/retreat.

The heart is deceitful above all things, and desperately wicked: who can know it? I the LORD search the heart, I try the reins, even to give every man according to his ways, and according to the fruit of his doings.

*Jeremiah 17:9-10*

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## Congregational Life

- Today, Pastor Macleod will lead our worship services. He will preach a preparatory sermon for the observance of the Lord's Supper, which will take place in our midst next Sunday morning. Those who are full members may sit at the Lord's table. Regular attendees and visitors who are confessing members in a recognized church, desiring to partake of the Lord's Supper with us for the first time, are asked to meet briefly with the consistory after our mid-week preparatory service this coming Wednesday evening.
- Next week, Pastor Macleod will lead our worship services.
- The Sunday School & Catechism classes Psalter of the month for February is **Psalter 169:1, 2**.
- The Adult Sunday School class will meet after the service this morning. Mr. Reece Gordon will lead the class.
- **From the Elders:** We would like to invite you to a Q & A with Pastor Macleod **after our evening service today**. This will take place in the sanctuary from 6:45 - 7:45 PM. We will have a time of singing, during which you will have an opportunity to write questions to submit, and Pastor Macleod will spend about 45 minutes answering questions.
- **From the Dorcas Guild:** Our project for the month of March will be collecting items for the Sunset Gap Food Pantry. Sunset Gap is where our youth group will be going on their mission trip next month, and we would like to collect items to send along with them. A list of items needed is in your mailbox. You may place your donations in the bins downstairs. Thank you!
- On Sunday, March 22, our morning sermon will have an evangelistic focus. You are encouraged to invite friends who may not go to church or don't have a home church to this service. Invitation cards and flyers will be available, and you are encouraged to hand them out when inviting people to church. If you have any questions, please see Ty Joseph.



<b>Nursery</b>		
Today	Baby	Toddler
Morning	Cora Beute Quincy Remijn	Hope Roelofs Audrey Bilkes
Evening	Maria Van Seters	Emma VanderBoon
Next Week	Baby	Toddler
Morning	Jill Remijn Aubrey Klaasen	Sarah Vlietstra Evie Bazen
Evening	Hannah Kaptein	Lauren Roelofs

<b>Ushers</b>		
	Morning	Evening
Today	Nate Carlson	Jon Roelofs
Next Week	Rick Van Seters, Sr.	Seth Bilkes

<b>Offerings</b>		
Today	General	Denominational
Next Week	General	Education

Please send material for the bulletin to Jamie Beeke by noon on Thursday:  
616.299.3369 or [jlbeeke@yahoo.com](mailto:jlbeeke@yahoo.com)

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