

Ministry Staff — How can we serve You?

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Shepherding Pastorates — Alphabetical by last name:

A-Br — Elder Sandy Wynja & Ruth Bandstra
Bs-Eo — Elder Eric Wierenga & Deacon Karyn Schneider
Ep-Hl — Elder Chuck McGrath & Deacon Jodie Woudenberg
Hm-Mc — Elder Sue Cooper & Deacon Tanya Anema
Md-S — Elder Dawn Lefrancois & Deacon Dexter Greene
T-Z — Elder Tony Brookhouse & Deacon Mike O'Rourke

PLEASANT ST. KIDS — We would love to help your children become devoted followers of Christ! Check in and get a name tag at the kids cart in the fellowship hall before service.

- **NURSERY** (babies-age 3) during the service for Bible stories, music, play, and more!
- **KIDSTREET** (age 4-2nd grade) dismissed before sermon for a Bible story, craft/activity, music, and more!
- **ECHO** (3rd-5th grade) dismissed after the sermon to reflect and get to know each other, lasting 10 minutes. We don't meet on the last Sunday of each month.
- All ages are welcome to stay in the service. There is space under the balcony and in the fellowship hall if you need to get the wiggles out.
- **FAMILY SUNDAY** All ages worship together when there is a 5th Sunday; there is no Nursery, KidStreet, or Echo.

WE WARMLY WELCOME — This morning John Vriesema, who will preach the Word.

CARE — COME ALONGSIDE OTHERS

SERVICE OF REMEMBRANCE AND PROMISE — Please join the Kuipers/Towle Family next Saturday, June 17, to remember and celebrate the life of Henny Kuipers. A graveside service will be held at 11:00am at Riverdale Cemetery, Whitinsville for family and close friends (limited seating will be available). In addition, our whole church community is invited to a luncheon, time of fellowship and sharing of memories at 12:00 noon in the Fellowship Hall at Pleasant St.—*Please join us.*

LET'S PRAY TOGETHER — For our college graduates who are looking for work, and for our youth to have a safe & healthy summer. Pray for those on vacation that they may be refreshed and return home safely. Keep in your prayers our missionaries, Scott & Hanne Larson who sent out a May prayer letter. Please also keep in your prayers our Resonate Global Missionaries, Larry & Ruth Spalink as they celebrate their wedding anniversary this month. We also rejoice with Bernie and Minnie Wiersma, celebrating 62 years of marriage next Friday. Happy Birthday to Ellie Van Houten who turns 92 next Saturday, June 17—*May the Lord Bless you and keep you all!*

SAVE THE DATE — For our annual church picnic, Sunday August 13—more information to follow.

GROW — CULTIVATE YOUR FAITH

COFFEE BREAK — Fairlawn has invited us to meet with them at Fairwoods to study "*Women Who Found a Way.*" The 3 sessions begin this Thursday and then Thursday, July 13 and Thursday, August 10 from 9:30-11am. Bring your lunch!

SERVE — CONTRIBUTE YOUR TALENTS & RESOURCES

OUR SECOND OFFERING — Today will be for Whitinsville Christian School—a school that nurtures the academic, spiritual, personal, social, creative and physical development of students, in cooperation with their parents, for Christ-like service in God's world. Thank you for your support!

NORTHBRIDGE FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS — May be placed in the basket at the main foyer. Thanks!

REACH OUT — CONNECT WITH OUR COMMUNITY

AHADI — Phyllis Masso and the rest of Fairlawn CRC's Outreach Team would like to thank all those who have pledged support for our 22nd Annual Ahadi Marathon. Although we are still well behind our goal of \$15,000, there is still time to pledge. Our pledge date will stay open through the month of June. You can mail your donations to SCREAM USA, Inc. 31 Benson Rd. Northbridge, MA 01534—*Many Thanks!*

WELCOME

We're glad you joined us!

508.234.5268 + Office: 8a-4p Mon-Fri

June 11, 2023 + 9:30am

"Whose Name is on Your Uniform"



If you have been worshipping with us for a long time or you are entering the doors of a church for the first time, it is our hope that you will experience a kind welcome, a sense of genuine community, and the grace and truth of Jesus Christ that the Christian Church has celebrated for centuries.

LIVING THE STORY OF GOD THIS WEEK

M 6:00p Men's Softball Game: Away vs. First Congo (Hopkinton 1)
6:30p Celebrate Recovery: Fellowship Hall
T 6:30p Changes That Heal: Fellowship Hall
W 9:30a Senior Coffee Fellowship: Fellowship Hall
6:30p Prayer Meeting: Fellowship Hall

Prayer of preparation

Dear God, we come to worship you today. We come to sing, pray, and listen. You always hear us. Help us to hear you. Amen.

GATHER

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship—Psalm 47

Clap your hands, all you nations; shout to God with cries of joy. For the Lord Most High is awesome, the great King over all the earth. He subdued nations under us, peoples under our feet. He chose our inheritance for us, the pride of Jacob, whom he loved. God has ascended amid shouts of joy, the Lord amid the sounding of trumpets.

Sing praises to God, sing praises; sing praises to our King, sing praises.

For God is the King of all the earth; sing to him a psalm of praise. God reigns over the nations; God is seated on his holy throne. The nobles of the nation's assemble as the people of the God of Abraham, for the kings of the earth belong to God; He is greatly exalted.

SONGS: *This is Amazing Grace*
How Great is Our God

RENEWAL

Call of Confession

Merciful God, you made us in your image, with a mind to know you, a heart to love you, and a will to serve you.

But our knowledge is imperfect, our love inconstant, our obedience incomplete.

Day by day, we fail to grow into your likeness. In your patient love, forgive us through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

Amen.

Silent Confession

Words of Assurance

Hear this good news, The Lord is faithful in all his words, and gracious in all his deeds. The Lord upholds all who are falling, and raises up all who are bowed down.

Prayer of the People

Glorious God, we give you thanks: in your Son, Jesus Christ.

You chose us, before the world was made, to be your holy people, without fault in your sight. You adopted us as your children in Christ. You have set us free by his blood; you have forgiven our sins. All praise and glory be yours, O God.

SONG: *This I Believe (The Creed)*

COMMIT

Morning Offerings: 1) Ministries of Pleasant Street
2) Whitinsville Christian School



SONG: *His Mercy is More*

Passing the Peace

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

KidStreet Dismissal

[Children age 4 through 2nd grade are dismissed]

WORD

Morning Prayers

Numbers 6:24 + "Whose Name is on Your Uniform"

ECHO Dismissal

[Students in grades 3-5 are dismissed]

SEND

Benediction

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn his face towards you and give you peace.

SONG: *The Blessing*

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord, Jesus Christ.

[Sermon Notes](#)