

ORDER OF WORSHIP

May 27, 2018 10 AM

Trinity Sunday

ENTER INTO HIS PRESENCE: GOD AWAITS US!

Prelude "There Is a Redeemer" arr. Douglas Wagner
"Here I Am to Worship"
arr. Lyndell Leatherman

Leader: The Lord be with you.
People: **And also with you.**

Opening Litany

Leader: We gather in the name of the Maker;
People: **Who lit up the world and breathed the breath of life into us.**
Leader: We gather in the name of the Son;
People: **Who saved the world and stretched out his hand to us.**
Leader: We gather in the name of the Spirit;
People: **Who encompasses the world and blesses our souls with yearning.**
Leader: We gather in the name of the Trinity of love;
People: **God above us, God beside us, God beneath us; the beginning, the end, the everlasting one.**

Opening Prayer

*All Sing "How Great Is Our God"
Lift Up Your Hearts 574: 1 – 2

*Welcome

*God's Greeting

*Greet One Another

*All Sing "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"
Lift Up Your Hearts 538: 1 – 4

"Father, We Love You"
Psalter Hymnal 634: 1 – 3

HUMBLE OURSELVES BEFORE HIM:
GOD ACCEPTS US!

Call to Confession
Prayer of Confession
Assurance of Pardon II Corinthians 5: 16 – 21
Nicene Creed (said by all) Psalter Hymnal (p. 814)
*All Sing "There Is a Redeemer"
Lift Up Your Hearts 833: 1 – 3

Concerns of our Church Family
Congregational Prayer

OFFER OUR THANKSGIVING: GOD BLESSES US!

Offering Ministry, Christian Education
and Special Mission Funds
Offertory "Glorify Thy Name" arr. Mark Hayes

OPENING HIS WORD: GOD SPEAKS TO US!

All Sing "We Are Waiting"
Contemporary Songs for Worship 18: 1 – 3

We are waiting, Father for your majesty to free our lives with your reign of peace. May your mighty hand rule our hearts with love; expand your kingdom on the earth through us.

Refrain

**We are waiting, waiting, waiting to hear your word.
We are waiting, waiting; speak, we are listening Lord.**

We are waiting, Jesus for the life you bring to flow like waters from mountain streams. Cleanse our hearts and minds from all impurity. Let us grow in grace and live gracefully. (refrain)

We are waiting, Spirit give us eyes that we may see your vision and dream your dreams. Show us some

new facet of your self – some truth – that breaks the idols we have made of you. (refrain)

Scripture Isaiah 6: 1 – 8 (p. 1069)

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.
People: **Thanks be to God.**

Sermon **Ruined, Redeemed & Repurposed**
Prayer

*All Sing "Holy God, We Praise Your Name"
Lift Up Your Hearts 540: 1 – 3

**GO BOLDLY AND SERVE:
GOD IS ALWAYS WITH US!**

*Invitation
*God's Parting Blessing
People: **Amen.**

*All Sing "Holy God, We Praise Your Name"
Lift Up Your Hearts 540: 4

*Postlude "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"
arr. Hal Hopson

(*rise in body or in spirit)

Minister Rev. Steve De Vries
Congregational Prayer Scott Block
Organist Annelle Dekker
Violin Betsy Van Zytveld
Drums David Exoo
Pianist Rachel Plasman
Scripture Reader Jacob VanDenHeuvel

SERMON OUTLINE

Ruined, Redeemed & Repurposed

Isaiah 6:1-8

A Vision

1. Ruined
 - a. By holiness
 - b. By sin
2. Redeemed
 - a. By fire
 - b. By cleansing and atoning
3. Repurposed
 - a. By God's question
 - b. By the obvious answer

The Vision

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORSHIP

May 27, 2018

Good morning and welcome to Plymouth Heights Christian Reformed Church. Today is Trinity Sunday in the church calendar, and Pastor De Vries will preach on Isaiah 6:1-8, ***Ruined by Holiness***, in the morning service. Our afternoon service will be a combined service with Woodlawn and Calvin and the meditation will be based on Psalm 130, ***Of Records and Redemption***.

Next week Sunday Pastor De Vries will lead worship with a sermon on II Corinthians 4:5-12, ***Jars of Clay***. Rev. Eric Kas, a CRC church planter on the corner of Plymouth and Boston, will also tell us about Good News Gatherings.

Afternoon Services: We'll be suspending our afternoon services during the months of June, July and August. We'll begin Sunday afternoon services here again on September 9.

TITHING OPPORTUNITIES

May 27, 2018 AM: Ministry/Christian Education and Special Mission Funds

May 27, 2018 PM: Resonate Global Mission

June 3, 2018 AM: Ministry/Christian Education Funds

Online Giving available at phcrc.org

FROM COUNCIL

Council officers for the coming year have been chosen. They are:

President – Deb Feys

Treasurer – Brad Brummel

Vice-President/Recording Clerk – Tom Brassier

Corresponding Clerk – Kathy Natelborg

President of Deacons – Jeff DenBraber

Vice-President – Brad Brummel

Benevolence Treasurer – Brian Bardolph

Recording Clerk – Brian Bardolph

Corresponding Clerk – Nate Van Eck

These elders and deacons will serve as the Administrative Council. Pray for them as they provide leadership to Plymouth Heights Church.

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

Thank you, Plymouth Heights people, for your cards, notes, and other expressions of sympathy in the recent deaths of my sister-in-law and of my brother. God's comfort has reached us through you. Clarence & Irene Menninga.

Thank you Plymouth Heights for the dozens of pairs of shoes you donated to the ministry in Rolling Fork, Mississippi. Don & Alyce Boender

You may begin signing up for cottages and campsites at the Plymouth Heights Family Weekend September 14 -16. An informational flier is now available at the Welcome Center and someone from the committee will be on hand to answer any questions. Notice that if you are staying in a cottage, you can just sign up for the number of bedrooms that you need rather than reserving the entire cottage. Visit the website, www.crcg.org to learn more and plan to attend another great Family Weekend/Campout!

OUTREACH

Meijer's 2018 "Simply Give Spring Campaign": now through June 17 the 28th St. and Kalamazoo Meijer store has selected our Plymouth Heights Food Pantry as the recipient for their "Simply Give Spring Campaign". Every ten dollar card that is sold, Meijer's will match the donation giving our Food Pantry twenty. Meijer's has donated over 38 million dollars to local food pantries since 2008. We thank Meijer's and all who support our food pantry helping us reach out to our neighbors. Cards are available in the store by the cashier and at church on the table by the elevator. There is a flier with more details in your communicator box.

Tie Dye party is set for Saturday June 16 at 10:00am in the church parking lot. Each person can bring two white cotton items to dye. No cost. Signup at the Welcome Center. Questions see Deb Hall.

Kayaking: Looking at two dates, July 14 or July 21. We will kayak the Grand River from Knapp Street to Phil and Deb Hall's house, have lunch there, and kayak back. Signup at the Welcome Center, and we'll go with the most popular date. Questions see Deb Hall.

ROC (Restoring Our Cities) Michigan fundraising bicycle tour is happening again June 8,9,10 GR to Holland, Holland to Benton Harbor, BH to Allegan (Kalhaven bike trail). We need riders and sponsors to join us in this effort!! The table by the elevator has information and sign-up sheet. We ride to raise money and awareness for the smaller non-profit organizations that transform city neighborhoods in the name of Christ. Our partner organization is Great Lakes Urban (GLU) which organizes this three day bicycling event so that we are able to support the Mulick Park mentoring program. Contact Joe and Alice Geelhoed or Deb Hall for questions? Check out www.rocmichigan.com for the full story.

OUTSIDE ANNOUNCEMENTS

GR Christian High School seeks Guest Instructors for *Winterim* 2019: Do you have a passion to share with Grand Rapids Christian High students? *Winterim* at GRCHS engages students in a two-week amplified learning experience that unveils their unique passions and abilities, preparing them to be effective servants of Christ in contemporary society. Partnership with the community is a vital part of *Winterim*. If you are interested in teaching a two-week course next January as a paid Guest Instructor, please contact Brian Karsten for more information at bkarsten@grcs.org or 616-574-5508.

Sunday May 27, 2018

10:00AM Morning Worship Service
Usher: Larry Tilma, Lori Tilma, Jeff Peterson, James Vazquez
Prayer Servants: Alice Geelhoed, Alyce Boender
Nursery: Karen Nienhuis, Beth VanDenHeuvel, Joe Geelhoed
Kingdom Kidz: (2 & 3 yrs. old)
Praise and Play:
(4 yrs. old through young 5's)
Off for today
Children in Worship:
(5 yrs. old through first grade)
Off for the summer and will resume in the fall
Coffee Fellowship:
Paul & Janeen VanSwol

5:30 PM Combined Evening Worship Service

Thursday

6:30PM Plymouth Heights Men's B softball team at the Christian Recreation Center (Diamond 1)

Sunday June 3, 2018

10:00AM Morning Worship Service
Usher: Bob & Jane Brouwer, Chrysanthi Sinniah
Prayer Servants: Ralph Honderd, Linda Mulder
Nursery: Susan Holwerda, Pam Menkveld
Kingdom Kidz: (2 & 3 yrs. old)
Praise and Play:
(4 yrs. old through young 5's)
Children in Worship:
(5 yrs. old through first grade)
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Coffee Fellowship:
Phil & Deb Hall