

Agenda for Sunday, August 3, 2008

Greeters:

AM: Bram & Janet VandenBroeke

PM: Jim & Wilma Mol

Coffee Servers

Howard & Colleen Heerema

Derric & Terry Tempelman

Nursery: Morning

Infants: Erin Voortman

Jessica De Bruin

Toddlers: Paul Voortman

Emily De Bruin

Andrew Vis

Nursery: Afternoon

Infants/Toddlers:

Audio **AM:** Dave Wieringa

PM: Andy Heerema

Video **AM:** Christina Mol

PM: Randy Carmichael

Offering: CJOA Radio

Agenda for Sunday, August 10, 2008

Greeters:

AM: Bruce & Debby Vander Wees

PM: Paul & Trudy Muller

Coffee Servers

Howard & Colleen Heerema

Derric & Terry Tempelman

Nursery: Morning

Infants: Kim Wieringa

Samantha Vis

Toddlers: Dave Wieringa

Benjamin Huitsing

Nursery: Afternoon

Infants/Toddlers:

Audio **AM:** James VanDyken

PM: John Miedema

Video **AM:** Shirley VanDyken

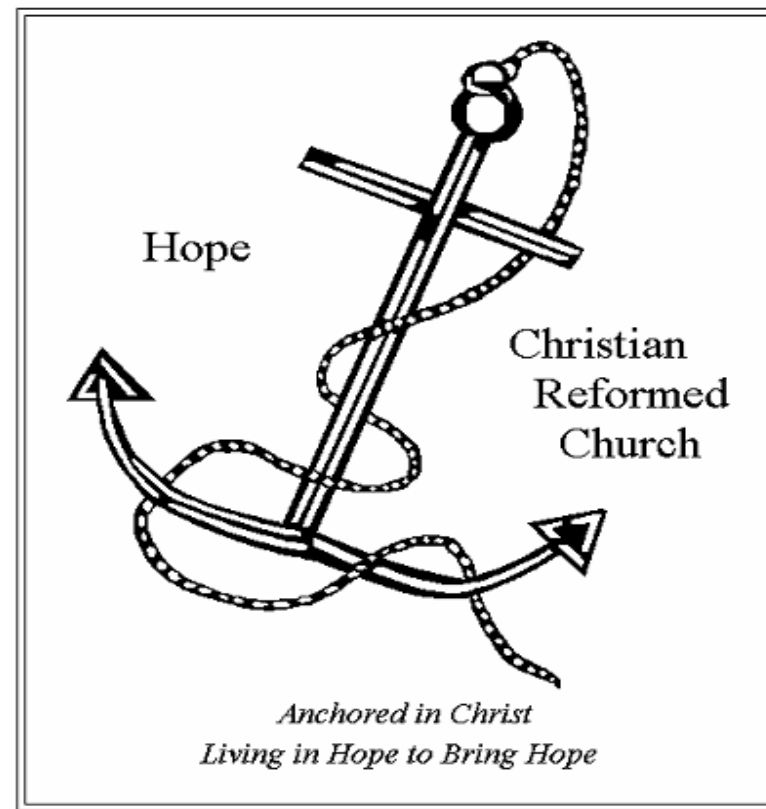
PM: Aly Miedema

Offering: John & Darlene Van Ee

Weekly Agenda

Tuesday 5 th	8 PM	Worship Committee at Pastor Bob's
Wednesday 6 th	2 PM	Singing at Rosewood Manor (everyone welcome)

In Eastern Europe the spiritual emptiness is painful to see. Christians there are pleading for Scriptures to help reach their sad, seeking neighbours. Our brothers and sisters in Christ in Eastern Europe are desperately trying to reach their communities with the light of Christ before complete darkness sets in. Please pray for these determined Christians and the communities they impact. To help equip these Christians with the gift of God's Word, please call The Bible League of Canada at 1-800-363-9673 or go to www.bibleleague.ca.



Sunday, August 3, 2008

Worship Services: 10:00 a.m. & 2:30 p.m.

Please join us for coffee following the morning service

Library open after morning service, located on 2nd floor

Sunday School during the morning service (age 3 – grade 4)

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Church Clerk: **Jim Agombar** 939-2960

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To listen to sermons visit our website and click on "sermons"

Welcome to Hope Church. We're glad you're here. We hope you will be blessed.

Information for visitors: restrooms are just to the right as you exit the sanctuary. Nurseries are to the right, through the double doors, left up the stairs, past the Sunday School rooms at the end of the hall. Coffee is served in the foyer after the service. You are invited to stay and fellowship with us. During the service the children (age 3 – grade 4) will be dismissed for Sunday School. You are encouraged to accompany them to their classrooms and pick them up after the service.

This morning Pastor Bob resumes the series “Becoming Mature Christians” which he has adapted from H. Stephen Glenn’s series ‘Developing Capable Young People.’ The series so far has dealt with three perception needed to be mature: “I am capable,” “I am a significant contributing member of something larger than myself,” and “I have influence over my life by the choices I make.” Today we will look at intrapersonal skills: skills within yourself, managing yourself through self-assessment, self-control, and self-discipline.

This afternoon, Pastor Bob will bring a message on “The Mission of God: in Deuteronomy.”

Next Sunday morning the SERVE team that went to Grand Rapids will give a report on what God did in and through them. The message will be “Becoming Mature Christians 5: Interpersonal Skills – communicating, cooperating, empathizing, resolving conflicts, sharing, and the like.” The afternoon message will be “The Mission of God: in Judges” (other messages have already covered Joshua and Ruth).

Hope Church Family: **John Van Elburg’s** blood pressure is more under control and he has returned home. **Alie Mol** was admitted to hospital on Monday feeling poorly and needing blood. **Thank You:** We would like to thank the many people who displayed their condolences to us through their kind words, visits, cards, meals, flowers and prayers. Your concern and acts of kindness are truly appreciated. **Vis Family**

GEMS & Cadets Camp: The sauna stove will be stoked so all we need is campers! That means all you GEMS and Cadets...and counselors. The dates are again the last week in August, Sunday August 24th until Tuesday August 26th at Camp Aurora. Registration forms are on the table in the annex on a first come first serve basis. If anyone is interested in becoming a camp counselor, if only for a night, contact Cynthia Vis or Lynnea Blekkenhorst. If you're handy in the kitchen, call Debby Vanderwees.

Church Community News, Events & Activities

URC News: Murray Janssens began his first session of chemotherapy on Tuesday. Please remember this brother and his family in prayer in the days and months to come. Mrs. Norah Cook left for Winnipeg on Wednesday for further consultation regarding her lung operation. Mrs. Ann Hoogsteen came home from hospital on Tuesday.

Day of Encouragement Saturday, October 25, 2008: The DOE planning committee is still working behind the scenes getting things ready for what they hope will be a very inspiring and encouraging event. Speakers and topics include.....

– Syd Hielema; Walking together from the cradle to the grave (and beyond),

- Norma de Waal Malefyt and Howard Vander Well; Worship for all ages,

-Pastor Dan Vos; The Book of Revelation in an Hour,

- Pastor Bob Vance; Developing Capable Young People I

Stay tuned for more information, or talk to your local deacons, but start making those plans to be in Emo for this event.

JEUGD VAN VROEGER ‘GET TOGETHER’ is scheduled for Tuesday, August 12. We will meet at AJ’s Restaurant from 3:00 - 5:00 for coffee/tea and fellowship. At 5:00 p.m. we will enjoy a smorgasbord supper. **Everyone is welcome.** Please contact Marie Vanlenthe-577-3920 or Maria Janssens - 474-3200 if you are planning to attend the supper **by Thursday, August 7.**

Participants:

Accompanist: Jenny Mol

Liturgy and Preaching: Pastor Bob Vance

All Worshipers

MESSAGE OUTLINE – August 3, 2008

Scripture – Romans 12:3; II Timothy 1:7; Galatians 6:22-23

Message – *“Becoming Mature Christians 4:*

Intrapersonal Skills – Self-Assessment, Self-Control, Self-Discipline”

Aim – that listeners will learn how to recognize response feelings, control reactions, and decide on a course of action that achieves desired results.

Introduction

A. Review of the Significant Seven so far: 3 perceptions

- 1) I am capable in Christ
- 2) I am important in Christ
- 3) I am powerful in Christ

B. Shift to the first of four skill-sets to acquire: Intrapersonal Skills

1. Self-Assessment

2. Self-Control

3. Self-Discipline

Conclusion

Hope Christian Reformed Church of Thunder Bay

August 3, 2008 – Morning Worship

Welcome to Sunday worship at Hope Church.

The Lord Draws Us to Himself

Prelude

Welcome & Call to Worship

*Gathering Songs: “Jesus, Name Above All Names”

“His Name Is Wonderful”

“More Precious Than Silver”

*God’s Greeting and We Greet One Another

*Response: “Meekness and Majesty”

The Lord Renews Us in His Grace

In Case We’ve Lost Our Way

A Reminder of Who We Are in Christ

Song: “How Deep the Father’s Love for Us”

A Word of Encouragement

The Lord Speaks into Our Lives from His Word

Children’s Message

*Song: “Refiner’s Fire”

(Children age 3 – grade 4 are dismissed for Sunday School)

Scripture Reading: Romans 12:3; II Timothy 1:7; Galatians 6:22-23

Prayer for Understanding

Message: *“Becoming Mature Christians 4:*

Intrapersonal Skills – Self-Assessment, Self-Control, Self-Discipline”

Prayer for Transformation

The Lord Invites Our Gifts and Prayers

Offering: CJOA Radio

Offertory Prayer

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord Sends Us to Love the World

*Song: “In Christ Alone”

*Benediction

*Doxology: “Bless His Holy Name” (PH 627)

Postlude

* You are invited to stand

Hope Christian Reformed Church
August 3, 2008 – Afternoon Worship (2:30 PM)

We Gather Unto the Lord

Prelude

Welcome and Call to Worship

*Song: “We Praise You, O God” (PH 237:1-3)

*God’s Greeting & Greeting One Another

*Song: “Father, We Love You”

We Make Our Profession

*Apostles’ Creed

Pastoral Prayer

Offering: CJOA Radio

Offertory Prayer

We Hear God’s Word

*Song: “Open Our Eyes, Lord”

Scripture: various passages in Deuteronomy

Prayer for Understanding

Message: “*The Mission of God: in Deuteronomy*”

Prayer for Transformation

We Leave in Hope to Bring Hope to the World

*Song: “Onward, Christian Soldiers” (PH 522:1-4)

*God’s Blessing

*Doxology: “He Is Lord” (PH 633)

Postlude

* You are invited to stand

Participants:

Accompanist:

Liturgy & Preaching: Pastor Bob Vance

All Worshipers

MESSAGE OUTLINE – August 3, 2008

Scripture – various passages in Deuteronomy

Message – “*The Mission of God: in Deuteronomy*”

Aim - that listeners will understand that God is about the business of establishing His kingdom of life and rest for all who will live with Him under the governance of a covenant.

Introduction

1. God desires to establish a kingdom of blessing within which to have a relationship with His people.
2. God partners with His people to establish this kingdom.
3. God is the lead partner in this covenantal relationship.
4. God desires to establish this kingdom in this world.
5. This kingdom is to be characterized by life and rest.
6. This kingdom and the relationship of God to His people is to be proclamation and witness to include the nations.

Conclusion

