



# Fellowship News

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		<b>1</b> 05:30am-Men's Bible Study 05:30am-Young Men's Discipleship 09:00am-Staff Mtg 10:00am-Redoration Coffee 07:00pm-Yak & Yarn	<b>2</b> 8:30pm-Men's Bible Study	<b>3</b> 06:30am-Men's Bible Study 08:15pm-Men's Basketball	<b>4</b> Office Closed 07:00am-Men's Bible Study	<b>5</b> 02:00pm-Daling/Wynsma Wedding Reception Open House
<b>6</b> AM-Pastor Jeremy PM-Pastor Shawn 05:30pm-Prayer Mtg	<b>7</b> Office Closed 	<b>8</b> 05:30am-Men's Bible Study 05:30am-Young Men's Discipleship 09:00am-Staff Mtg 06:30pm-Team One Vocal 06:45pm-Stephens 07:45pm-Team One Band	<b>9</b> 07:00pm-Women's Bible Study Planning Mtg 08:30pm-Men's Bible Study	<b>10</b> 06:30am-Men's Bible Study 02:30pm-UnderGround 06:00pm-Hilbink/DeBoer Rehearsal 08:15pm-Men's Basketball	<b>11</b> 07:00am-Men's Bible Study	<b>12</b> 04:00pm-Hilbink/DeBoer Wedding 08:00pm-Co-Ed Bowling
<b>13</b> AM-Pastor Shawn PM-Pastor Mike 09:40am-Teacher's Mtg 03:30pm-Turning Point Praise Band 04:00pm-Elder's Mtg 05:30pm-New Life Parent's Mtg 05:30pm-Prayer Mtg 07:30pm-Turning Point Parent's Mtg	<b>14</b> 07:00pm-Devotional Consistory Mtg 07:00pm-Team Two Band 08:00pm-Young Adult's Bible Study	<b>15</b> 05:30am-Men's Bible Study 05:30am-Young Men's Discipleship 09:00am-Staff Mtg 07:00pm-Diabetic Support Group 07:00pm-Business Admin. Team Mtg	<b>16</b> 07:00pm-Teacher's Mtg 08:00pm-Team Two Vocal 08:30pm-Men's Bible Study	<b>17</b> 06:30am-Men's Bible Study 10:30am-Redoration 02:30pm-UnderGround 08:15pm-Men's Basketball	<b>18</b> 07:00am-Men's Bible Study 06:00pm-Ho/Zandbergen Wedding Rehearsal 09:30pm-Intense In Tents Retreat	<b>19</b> 03:00pm-Ho/Zandbergen Wedding 01:00pm-Hope Football Game
<b>20</b> AM-Rev. Dr. Tim Brown PM-Pastor Shawn 09:30am-Brown Reception 09:50am-Sunday School Open House 03:30pm-T.P. Praise Band One 04:00pm-Congregational Life Mtg 05:30pm-Prayer Mtg 05:30pm-New Life 07:30pm-Turning Point	<b>21</b> 12:00pm-Newsletter Deadline 06:30pm-Team Three Vocals 07:00pm-Hour of Power 07:00pm-Ed./Disc. Team Mtg 07:30pm-Team Three Band 08:00pm-Young Adult's Bible Study	<b>22</b> 05:30am-Men's Bible Study 05:30am-Young Men's Discipleship 09:00am-Staff Mtg 06:45pm-Stephens 07:00pm-Card Making Night 07:00pm-Outreach Team Mtg	<b>23</b> 09:30am-Women's Bible Study 06:00pm-Worship Team Mtg 06:45pm-Philippians Bible Study 06:45pm-Men's Bible Study 08:30pm-Men's Bible Study	<b>24</b> 06:30am-Men's Bible Study 02:30pm-UnderGround 05:30pm-Huizenga/Schultz Wedding Rehearsal 07:00pm-Hour of Power 08:15pm-Men's Basketball	<b>25</b> 07:00am-Men's Bible Study 06:30pm-Huizenga/Schultz Wedding	<b>26</b> 02:00-07:00pm-Church Picnic (Dinner served 4:00-6:00pm)
<b>27</b> AM-Pastor Shawn PM-Pastor Jeremy JRC-Pastor Mike 09:50am-Sunday School 09:50am-Women's Bible Study 09:50am-Men's Bible Study 09:50am-Young Married's Small Group 10:00am-Open Gate 12:00pm-God's Kitchen 03:30pm-T.P.Praise Band Two 05:30pm-Prayer Mtg 05:30pm-New Life 07:30pm-Turning Point	<b>28</b> 06:30am-Team One Vocal 07:00pm-Hour of Power 07:00pm-Executive Team Mtg. 07:45pm-Team One Band 08:00pm-Young Adult's Bible Study	<b>29</b> 05:30am-Men's Bible Study 05:30am-Young Men's Discipleship 09:00am-Staff Mtg 02:45pm-Blood Drive	<b>30</b> 09:30am-Women's Bible Study 04:00pm-Timmer Basketball 06:30pm-JAM 06:30pm-JR JAM 06:30pm-GEMS 06:30pm-Cadets 06:45pm-Philippians Bible Study 06:45pm-Men's Bible Study 06:45pm-War Room Women's Bible Study 08:30pm-Men's Bible Study	<b>STAFF VACATIONS:</b>   <b>Harold Zwylhuizen</b> -Aug. 24-Sept. 7 <b>Vicki Victory</b> -Aug. 30-Sept. 5 <b>Cindy Bolhuis</b> -Sept. 3-7 <b>Jim DeHorn</b> -Sept. 9-10 <b>Harold Zwylhuizen</b> -Sept. 24-30 <b>Shelli Huizenga</b> -Sept. 25-Oct. 2	  <b>September</b>	

## LESSONS LEARNED 3,000 MILES AWAY

By Brian Boom

This summer, 57 students and 17 adults went to Belize where we learned five lessons that will challenge us all to live differently, not just those 74 who went to Belize.

- 1. God is in Control:** 46 individual's flights were cancelled the morning of our departure. God ordained 70 to Belize that day. I was one of four who stayed overnight in Atlanta because God knew I needed to receive a phone call that night from a parent of a young man on the trip. I couldn't have taken that call if I were in Belize. That conversation led to intentional conversations with this young man while in Belize where the Spirit led him to commit his life to Christ.
- 2. The Power of Prayer:** Students were praying with and for each other. That led to spiritual and relational healing. The people of San Antonio prayed in other languages out loud simultaneously and the Spirit of God was palpable. One student was physically healed after being prayed over!

- 3. Community of Believers:** When generations came together for the cause of Christ through home visits of the elderly, VBS for the children, and community events, God's Spirit impacted many. Getting generations of believers together in community is vastly important.
- 4. The Necessities of Life:** The people of San Antonio were some of the most joy-filled people we've met, even though they had next to no possessions. Joy doesn't come from stuff, but from God. Give me Jesus.
- 5. Slow Down:** People took time for each other. True community could take place because we weren't in a hurry to get to the next thing on the schedule.

This short article only scratches the surface of how God worked in Belize. Thank you for sending all 74 participants with your financial and prayer support. Now, I pray you'll join me in stoking the fire of the Spirit in these students and leaders.

Pray with them. Encourage them. Remind them through words and your example that you don't need things, but only Jesus. Model a good pace of life. To do this, you need to be with them.

I'm begging you—intentionally be with those in different generations and share Christ with each other. Let's invest in the spiritual lives of those younger than us while simultaneously honoring those who have come before us. Whether you are 18 or 80, get involved as a Mentor, Sunday School Teacher, Youth Leader, Children and Worship Volunteer, Cadet Helper, or Jam/Jr. Jam Volunteer. Take part in events and programs that bridge generations for the glory of God and the good of others. *"Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen."* Ephesians 3:20-21

## TECHNOLOGY NEWS

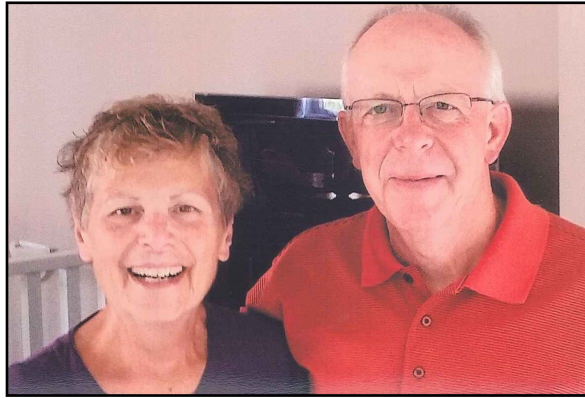
We have updated our website with a fresh look and new navigation. It is also now mobile-friendly. Check out our website on your smartphone, computer or tablet at [www.frchudsonville.org](http://www.frchudsonville.org). Use the new "Worship-Grow-Serve" icons to navigate around the website to find ministries where you can worship, grow, and serve God at Fellowship.

Additionally we added a way to contribute financially to FRC online. Visit [www.frchudsonville.org/contribute](http://www.frchudsonville.org/contribute) to learn more about the many ways donations can be made at FRC.





## NEW FAMILIES AT FRC



### TERRY AND GINGER HOLTROP

Terry and Ginger have recently moved back to Hudsonville after living in Colorado for about six years. They are retired and enjoy spending time with their kids and grandkids. They enjoy walking (five miles per day!) and also spend time volunteering at God's Kitchen. At their church in Colorado, they also played in the Handbell Choir.

**Address:**  
4136 Cottage Trail  
Hudsonville, MI 49426

**Phone:**  
616-401-9884 (Terry)  
616-401-9403 (Ginger)

### ALAN AND LINDSEY NICHOLSON

Alan is employed at Electromatic. Lindsey is employed at ATI Physical Therapy. They have a daughter, Olivia, who is almost one year old. They enjoy boating, water sports, travel, golf, and spending time with family and friends.

**Address:**  
7338 Valhalla Dr  
Hudsonville, MI 49426

**Phone:**  
517-214-9050 (Alan)  
616-886-1733 (Lindsey)



### ZACK AND STACY SIKKEMA

Zack is employed as a Legislative Aid with the Michigan House of Representatives. Stacy is a 4th grade teacher at Thornapple Kellogg Schools. They were married this past July. They enjoy camping, fishing, golfing, and cheering on the Tigers and MSU Spartans. Their FRC relatives include Stacy's parents: Dave and Vicki Victory, her sisters: Rachelle (Mark and niece, Hailey) and Allyson, and grandparents: Dick and Mary Burgess.

**Address:**  
3963 41st St SW  
Grandville, MI 49418

**Phone:**  
616-550-5202 (Zack)  
616-826-4358 (Stacy)

### JIM AND KRIS ZYLSTRA

Jim is employed at High Grade Materials. Kris is employed at CapTrust Financial Advisors. They enjoy traveling, baseball and hockey games, and spending time with their family and friends.

**Address:**  
4964 Laurelwood  
Hudsonville, MI 49426

**Phone:**  
616-669-0055



Please remember these special people  
this month with your cards and well wishes.



**Lois Schut (83)**  
September 1  
6301 36th Ave  
Hudsonville, MI 49426

**Ann Root (91)**  
September 6  
725 Baldwin St Room 283  
Jenison, MI 49428

**Al Smith (87)**  
September 7  
2671 Baldwin  
Jenison, MI 49428

**Sylvia Hayes (87)**  
September 13  
102 Highland Dr  
Leesburg, FL 34788-2731

**Betty Brower (90)**  
American House Sandelwood Manor  
935 Oak Crest Ln Room 13  
Jenison, MI 49428

**Ken Dykema (80)**  
September 15  
4150 Meadowfield Dr  
Hudsonville, MI 49426

**Helene Roskamp (89)**  
September 15  
11038 68th Ave  
Allendale, MI 49401

**Duwayne Dykehouse (85)**  
September 16  
6514 Par 5  
Grandville, MI 49418

**Ruth Borst (86)**  
September 19  
935 Oak Crest Ln Room 4  
Jenison, MI 49428

**Roger Wabeke (80)**  
September 20  
4703 Wellington  
Hudsonville, MI 49426

**Janet Hoekstra (84)**  
September 22  
6593 Cedar Grove Trail  
Jenison, MI 49428

**Jean Wilson (92)**  
September 23  
Cambridge Manor  
Room 10 North  
151 Port Sheldon Rd SW  
Grandville, MI 49418

**Herm Jongsma (84)**  
September 24  
6720 Cedar Grove West  
Jenison, MI 49428

**Rose Emelander (84)**  
September 26  
6087 40th Ave  
Hudsonville, MI 49426

**Jack Kalee (83)**  
September 26  
966 Allen Springs Ln  
Jenison, MI 49428

**Gerene Scholten (84)**  
September 28  
3442 Port Sheldon  
Hudsonville, MI 49426

**Nicholas Borst (87)**  
September 30  
935 Oak Crest Ln  
Room 4  
Jenison, MI 49428

**Alice VanStedum (86)**  
September 30  
Amsterdam Village  
929 Village Ln  
Jenison, MI 49428

*Birthdays 80 years of age and above are listed here each month.  
Contact the church office if you would like a monthly listing of all birthdays and anniversaries.*



**Herm and Rosemary Jongsma (60)**  
September 2  
6720 Cedar Grove West  
Jenison, MI 49428

*Please note: Anniversaries are listed in increments of five after 50 years.*

If you would like to receive a complete listing of FRC members' birth dates and anniversaries each month, please contact the church office at 669-1213 or email [lfolkert@frchudsonville.org](mailto:lfolkert@frchudsonville.org).



## THANK YOU

Thank you to our Fellowship Family for your concern, cards, flowers, and visits during Loren's surgery and healing. Praise God for his healing and for giving us so many friends at Fellowship.

**-Loren and Carol Brandt**

Thank you for the continued prayers and cards for Anabelle, as well as the prayers, cards, and Pastor visit during her hospitalization this Summer. We feel blessed by our church family!

**-Angela and Anabelle Graham**

We would like to thank our friends at Fellowship Church for the prayers, visits, cards, and meals brought to us during my recovery. We have been blessed. Thank you.

**-Phyllis Schutter**

Thank you to the Pastors for their visit to the hospital. Thanks also to my Fellowship Family for the prayers, get well cards, the lovely flowers, and the delicious food brought to my home after my heart attack. It was deeply appreciated.

**-Mary Lou Smith**

Thank you to the Fellowship Family for all your prayers, cards, concerns, and phone calls during the time of the stress fracture in my right foot. God is so good! I would also like to thank the cookbook committee for their awesome job on our 50th Anniversary Cookbook and the write-up in the front of the cookbook. All praise and glory be to our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

**-Sharon and Larry Tymes**

We would like to thank the Pastors for their comforting visits. Thanks also for the cards, visits, and prayers lifted on our behalf. Mom was a special, Godly woman who blended two families into one. We feel blessed to have been led by this wonderful woman.

**-Jim, Connie, and Liz Visser**

## SERVICE TIME CHANGE



## 50TH ANNIVERSARY—PASTOR BLAST FROM THE PAST!

We are very excited to welcome back to our pulpit Rev. Dr. Timothy Brown on Sunday, September 20. Pastor Brown was our Senior Pastor from 1976-1980.

Pastor Tim and his wife, Nancy, have three married children:

- Sarah is married to Matt LeFebre; she is an English Teacher at Holland High School. They have three children.
- Jonathon is married to Kristyn Fox; he is a Pastor at Pillar Church in Holland. They have three children.
- Rebekah is married to Vince Hutt. She was a teacher and is now a stay-at home mom, seamstress and repurposes antique furniture. They also have three children.

Fellowship was Pastor Tim's first church. He also served at First Reformed Church in South Holland, Illinois and Christ Memorial Church in Holland. He has been the Henry Bast Professor of Preaching at Western Theological Seminary since 1995; he became the President of Western Theological Seminary in 2008.

Pastor Tim was asked to consider his ministry highlights while at FRC. The highlights included the beginning of a multi-staff ministry in 1978 with the hiring of Rev. Bill Boersma, the 1979 addition of the annex to the south of the sanctuary at that time, and the deepened relationship with Meiji Gakuin Christian High School and visits by their Glee Club. He also fondly remembers a season marked by many distinguished preachers like Dr. Bill Brownson of Words of Hope, Rev. John Sergey of Words of Hope Russia, Rev. Joel Nederhoed from the Back to God Hour of the Christian Reformed Church, and visits from distinguished missionaries like Harvey and Lavina Hoekstra, pioneer missionaries in Ethiopia, and Ron and Ruby Korver of Japan.

His challenges included he and Nancy maturing and growing up while adjusting to ministry challenges and moving FRC from a small ministry-centered congregation to a missional/outreach congregation readying to receive the significant growth in Georgetown Township.

Everyone is invited to a reception in the Fellowship Hall between the AM services on September 20. Stop by and meet the Brown's for the very first time or share some past memories with them. Refreshments will be served. Also, please invite your family and friends who have been blessed by the Brown's ministry to worship with us.





## CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

### Leader Meetings

Sunday, September 13 at 9:40am  
OR Wednesday, September 16 at 7:00pm

If you are signed up to be a leader or helper for Sunday School, Children and Worship, JAM, Jr. JAM, GEMS or Cadets, please plan to attend one of these meetings.

Not signed up to help? More leaders are needed.

Check out the bulletin and Children's Ministries Bulletin Board to see where you can help.



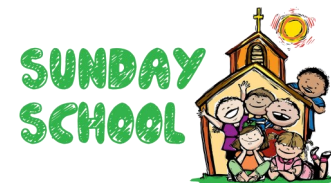
### Sunday Morning Programs



3 year olds-Kindergarten

This is a worship service for young children that takes places during the second half of both morning services.

We will resume on Sunday, September 13.



3 year olds-6th Grade

Sunday, September 20: Open House  
-come and meet your teachers!

Sunday, September 27:  
-Sunday School begins

### Wednesday Night Programs



1st-3rd Grades



4 year olds-Kindergarten



4th-6th Grade boys and girls



Wednesday programs begin on September 30 at 6:30pm.

Not Enrolled? Enroll your children today!

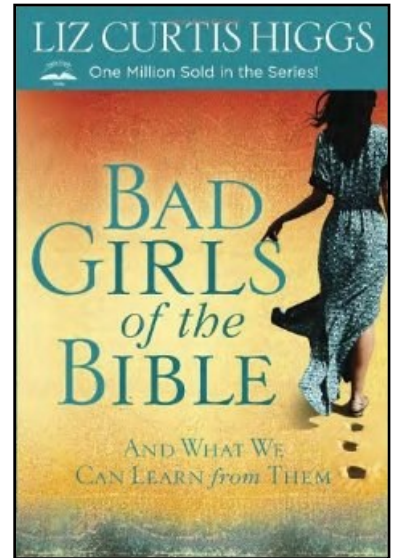
## WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES

### WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY FOR WOMEN

Our Women's Bible Study group begins September 23 with an exciting 11-week study by beloved author and teacher, Liz Curtis Higgs. The study, "Bad Girls of the Bible and What We Can Learn From Them" (updated in 2013), highlights ten of the Bible's best-known femme fatales with situations that sound oh-so-familiar.

Eve had food issues. Potiphar's wife and Delilah had man trouble. Lot's wife and Michal couldn't let go of the past. Sapphira couldn't let go of money, and Jezebel couldn't let go of anything. Yet, the Woman at the Well had her thirst quenched at last, while Rahab and the Sinful Woman left their sordid histories behind.

Sound interesting? It will be! Join us on Wednesdays from 9:30-11:00am. Bring a friends or two, and add your name to the sign-up sheet posted on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board. Join leaders Heidi Wiley, Stephanie Warners, Beth Kleinjans and Noreen Van Buren – we can't wait to see you there!



### TUESDAY EVENING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Join Beth Moore in Jesus the One and Only, a life-changing journey leading you through Galilee with the Teacher, across the lake with the Master, and finally, on the road toward the cross with the Savior. Get to know Jesus intimately ... as if you had walked with Him during His days of earthly ministry.

Classes begin on Tuesday, September 15, from 7:00-9:00pm, and meet every other week in the Fellowship Hall Annex. Sign up on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board today and join in with leader Rose Klynstra for this 11-week exciting study!



## MALAWI UPDATE

Last week was our first Children's Conference/VBS event in the refugee camp. We had over 200 kids from 12 different churches attend each day. It was an awesome three-day experience where the kids were able to learn who Jesus is, what Jesus has done for them, and what their response to Jesus should be. It was an amazing thing to hear the laughter and joy fill the halls during this conference.

Thank you so much to the whole church for the continued support of our work in Malawi, which helps make events like this possible

Jake and Jenn Tornga; Steve and April Palmbo's Family





## ADULT MINISTRIES

**WORSHIP / GROW / SERVE...** Significant growth takes place every Sunday in the Adult Sunday School Classes. Make this the year that you make Sunday School a part of your Sunday morning act of "worship."

### Sunday School Classes for Adults will begin on September 27

- The Open Gate Class: A look at Christian values and perspective on life. Too often we play the game of life to win the wrong things: money, prestige, power... but when the game is over, everything goes back into the box. Join Joel Baar as he leads the class in lively discussions each week based on the John Ortberg video.
- The Women's Bible Study Class: Five weeks of "The War Room" Bible study followed by Beth Moore's latest Bible Study, entitled "Breath." Join this warm, caring group of women who grow deeper in their faith and their relationships with each other as the year goes on. The class meets in Room 109.
- The Man in the Mirror Men's Class: Newly formatted this year, these guys truly want to be the men of God that God has called them to be. Using a video/discussion format, the group wrestles with topics facing contemporary Christian men. The class meets in Room 108.
- The Sunday School Guide Class: This class offers in-depth Scriptural studies using the RCA's highly regarded Sunday School Guide materials. This class will meet in the Conference Room.
- Couple's Bible Study: Five weeks of "The War Room Bible Study" followed by another TBD study. This class will be led by Jason and Laura King and will meet in the Prayer Room.
- Young Married Couple's Small Group: Being a newly married couple can be exciting, yet challenging. At FRC, we are interested in exploring what it means to have a Christ-centered marriage in today's society. They will be meeting in a small group setting and studying a variety of topics during the Sunday School hour *every other week* and growing closer with other young married couples. Contact Jason and Grace Folkert at Jason.folkert@gmail.com with any questions. The location of this class is TBD-watch the bulletin.



### Family Night Classes for Adults will begin on September 30

- This Fall, the "focal" adult class will be led by Pastor Jeremy. "For Me to Live is Christ" is a plain and simple in-depth study of the book of Philippians. The weekly studies will begin with a video taught by Pastor Matt Chandler, followed by our own discussion of the passage led by Pastor Jeremy. This is a study that will bring you deep joy and an appreciation of God's love for His children.
- "Equipping the Man in the Mirror" Bible Study is a Men's Bible Study that uses the materials published in the Equipping the Man devotional journal.
- "War Room" Bible Study for Women. This study will be led by Linda Cook

### "War Room" Bible Studies

Even if you didn't attend the FRC showing of "War Room," there is still a place for you in one of the "War Room" Bible Study groups. Strengthen your prayer life and grow in your faith with the help of one of these five-week studies. Groups are forming *now*. Check out our web site under Adult Ministries or find a group for you on the bulletin board in the lobby.

## YOUTH MINISTRIES



### 9th-12th grades

Join us for the beginning of the 2015-2016 Turning Point Youth Ministry Year on Sunday, September 13, from 7:30-9:00pm in the Youth Room. We'll introduce the leadership team, go over the schedule for the year, get to know one another, pray together, and play games. Parents and students are invited and encouraged to come! We'd love to see you there!

### Intense In Tents Retreat

We are going to get the year started off right by having a retreat! We're going to be camping for the weekend in tents at Muskegon State Park. We'll leave at 9:30pm on the 18th and return by 10:00am on the 20th. Cost is only \$25! Sign up today on the Youth Bulletin Board or online at [frchudsonville.org/turning-point](http://frchudsonville.org/turning-point).

### Sunday Meetings

September 20, 27 and October 4 will be Turning Point Youth Ministry Meetings from 7:30-9:00pm in the Youth Room. During these three weeks, we'll lay the foundation for authentic faith by looking at the authenticity and reliability of the Bible and what that means for our lives now.



### UNDERGROUND

All 6th-12th grade students are invited to the Youth Room every Thursday after school until 5:00pm. Join us as we enjoy a snack, play games, hang out and do homework. If you go to Baldwin Street Middle School and need a ride to church, sign up on the sheet located on the Youth Bulletin Board.



### 7th and 8th grades

All 7th and 8th grade students and their parents are invited to the Youth Room on Sunday, September 13, from 5:30-7:00pm. We'll introduce the New Life leadership team, go over the schedule for the year, get to know one another, pray together, and play games. Parents and students are invited and encouraged to come! We'd love to see you there!

### Sunday School

Sunday School begins on September 20 with an Open House from 9:50-10:40am. The first class will be September 27. Check the Youth Bulletin Board for a class lists and room assignments.

### Sunday Meetings

September 20, 27 and October 4 we will join together for our first series entitled, "Can I Trust the Bible?" If the Bible is trustworthy, it changes everything.

### "Hunt for the Red October"

Get ready for an amazing night on Sat., October 3! We're going on a "Hunt for the Red October!" From 5:00-10:00pm, we'll be exploring West Michigan to find clues that will lead us to discover the Red October. It's free, but you need to sign up by September 27. You can do so on the Youth Bulletin Board or at [frchudsonville.org/new-life](http://frchudsonville.org/new-life).

## JAMESTOWN REFORMED CHURCH UPDATE

“Information is *always* better than speculation.” It’s a phrase that has been used for years.

Well, it’s time for information. Jamestown Reformed Church recently approached the Zeeland Classis and requested assistance in revitalizing their ministry. In the process, two opportunities were presented to them.

**Option One:** To have a church outside of the Zeeland Classis come in and take over the ministry responsibilities of Jamestown. Their name would be changed. A new Pastor would immediately be installed. The Jamestown Consistory would be dismissed—replaced with a new governance board by the superseding church. This first option would have taken a 100(+) year old congregation out of the Zeeland Classis.

**Option Two:** To have a church within the Zeeland Classis “adopt and foster” Jamestown Reformed Church “for a season”—helping them to re-establish their prominent place within the Classis of Zeeland and the community of Jamestown. Their name would remain the same. Their Consistory would stay in place. The Pastor would *not* be immediately released. The present staff would be assisted, encouraged, and re-trained. And, the helping church would provide preaching, teaching and leadership help.

Jamestown approved Option Two—and the Zeeland Classis has asked Fellowship to be that “adopting and fostering” church.

This process will become more apparent as Pastor Mike (Pastor of Outreach) will be meeting several times a month with Jamestown; additionally, Pastor Shawn, Pastor Mike and Pastor Jeremy will *each* be preaching once a month at Jamestown. Also, Drew, Vicki, Brian, Jim, and possibly other staff will offer their guidance and assistance to Jamestown Reformed Church. In fact, Drew and Brian already have.

Please pray for Jamestown Reformed Church and their relationship with us. We pray that our new sibling will be welcomed into our family with open arms.

## YOUNG ADULT CONNECTIONS

FRC has many young adults heading off to college. Here are two opportunities for you to serve a segment of our young people as we keep these students in our thoughts and prayers over the course of this school year.

### CARE PACKAGES

Many of our college students are living away at school and we will be sending them care packages. We need your help filling them. We are seeking donations of the following items: folders, pens, sticky notes, note cards, highlighters, microwave popcorn, individually wrapped snacks, candy, cookies, granola bars, small bags of chips, gum/mints, hot chocolate packets, individual propel/crystal light packets, single serve mac-n-cheese/rice-a-roni/soup-in-a-cup and anything else you think a college student may enjoy. A table will be set up in the lobby from September 6-20 to accept your donations.

### CONNECTION PROGRAM

We are looking for volunteers for the Young Adult Connection Program who would be willing to maintain regular communication with our post high school/college age members. This could be done through any medium—email, Facebook, snail mail, coffee meets, texting, etc.. If you are willing to be involved with this program, sign up on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board.

If you have any questions about either of these opportunities, please feel free to contact Shelli Huizenga at either [shuizenga@frchudsonville.org](mailto:shuizenga@frchudsonville.org) or 403-3830.

## ADULT ACTIVITIES

### FELLOWSHIP CO-ED BOWLING LEAGUE

Fall, Back to School, Football, Bowling...Yes, Bowling! Come out and join the FRC Co-Ed Bowling League. Participate in some fellowship, friendship and fun with your FRC family, and do a little bowling while you’re at it. The league schedule is September 12, October 10, November 7, December 5, January 2, January 30, February 27, March 26, and April 23. Sign up on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board by September 6.

### GOD’S WILL—YOUR WILL

Do you ever wonder what good stewardship and estate planning have in common? If so, you are invited to a one hour informative seminar, "God's Will and Your Will," on Monday, October 5, at 6:30pm in the Fellowship Hall. Attorney Ron Foster from Jenison ([www.attorneyfoster.com](http://www.attorneyfoster.com)) will share with us his expertise and guide us through the steps of making a Financial Power of Attorney, Living Will and a Last Will and Testament and/or Trust. Contact Cindy Bolhuis at 669-1213 with any questions.

### HOPE COLLEGE FOOTBALL GAME

Are you ready for some football! How about some Flying Dutchmen (Hope College) football? You can attend the Saturday, September 19 game for FREE just by signing up on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board. They will take on the Concordia Raptors beginning at 1:00pm. All are welcome! Your tickets will be waiting for you at the “will call” area under the name of “Fellowship.”

### HOURLY OF POWER

If you are looking for an exercise program that gives you a complete workout, Fellowship is offering to all women a great class. The class is designed to work every muscle group each time. By using long bands, short bands, cardio moves, hand weights, kick boxing, 1-2-3, intervals and more—you will get a great workout to strengthen your core, give better stamina, and great cardio benefits. Classes begin on Monday, September 21, from 7:00-8:00pm in the Gym. Classes meet on Monday and Thursday evenings. Bring a mat, hand weights and a water bottle. The cost is still only \$3.00 per class, led by our great leader, Terri. Join us for a time of fun, fellowship, and fitness.

### THE MOVING FORWARD SUPPORT GROUP

Are you a single women because of divorce or death of a spouse? Often times these circumstances are brought on by situations out of our control. Moving Forward is a group of women who have come together to be women of valor and strength. Moving Forward in the hope and perseverance that can only be done through a relationship with our Savior and Lord. Join us Wednesday evenings this Fall. Contact Heidi Dyk at 204-7279 or [heididyk@gmail.com](mailto:heididyk@gmail.com) with any questions.

### SHELDON MEADOWS CARD NIGHT

This night is not only a night to make cards for the residents at Sheldon Meadows to brighten their day, but it's a fun night to get to know someone from your church that maybe you have seen, but never really talked to. This "On a Missions" card-making event will be held in the Fellowship Hall on Tuesday, September 22, from 7:00-9:00pm.

Our goal is to make 100 cards, so each resident will receive one. All of the supplies are provided. We will also have some light refreshments available. All are welcome—bring a neighbor or a friend! No craft experience necessary! Contact Cindy Bolhuis at 669-1213 with any questions. Make sure to sign up on the sheet located on the Adult Activities Bulletin Board.

### YAK AND YARN

Donations of beautifully knitted or crocheted baby items, hats, mittens and scarves are welcomed year around. Just because the weather is warmer, don't put down those knitting needles. Join this group on Tuesday, September 1, at 7:00pm in the Conference Room.