

FIRST REFORMED CHURCH OF SOUTH HOLLAND

Juneteenth Sunday, June 19, 2022

Father's Day



Welcome...

Here may the faithful find salvation and the careless be awakened;
Here may the doubting find faith and the anxious be encouraged;
Here may the struggling find help and the sorrowful find comfort;
Here may the weary find rest and the strong be renewed;
Here may the hurting find consolation and the searching be inspired;
Here may strangers find fellowship and friends be united;
Here may the voiceless find their song and the marginalized find a home;
Here may hate be challenged and community be formed.
We open our doors and welcome you in the name of Jesus.

JUNETEENTH SUNDAY June 19, 2022 – Father's Day

WE APPROACH GOD

Organ Prelude

"All Nature Sings"
"Faith of Our Fathers"
"The Old Hundredth Psalm Tune"

Welcome & Greeting One Another

Pastor Jim Oord

*Congregational Worship

"O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"
"Lord Most High"

Prayer of Confession

Pastor Corey Buchanan

Song of Assurance

"Oh, Give Thanks!"

THE WORD OF GOD

Scripture

Psalm 107; John 8:31-47

Sermon

"Free Indeed!"

WE RESPOND TO GOD

Congregational Prayer

Pastor Corey Buchanan

Offertory

"Amazing Grace"

*Doxology

*Benediction

Pastor Jim Oord

*Sending in Grace

"Lift Every Voice & Sing"

*Organ Postlude

"Victory in Jesus"

*Those who are able please stand.

Please join us downstairs in the Fellowship Hall after worship for a cup of conversation and a cookie.

REMINDERS...

VISIT THE WELCOME CENTER in the narthex to sign cards for our shut-ins and hospitalized.

PLEASE KEEP THE PARKING AREA that is lined in the front and on the north side of the church - which is closest to the elevator - available for those who have difficulty walking. Thank you!

PLEASE CONTACT the church office if you know of a friend or family member who has been admitted to the hospital.

ON DUTY TODAY...

First Emergency: Allison VanderWoude

First Security: Colin Cutler

2022 SPECIAL OLYMPICS IN ORLANDO, FLORIDA

Pictured below in the red shirt is our very own Kim Riddering. She leads the State of Illinois participants who are competing as national Special Olympics competitors. Special Olympics provides year-round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic-type sports for children and adults with disabilities. These activities give them continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy and participate in a sharing of gifts, skills, and friendships.



Kim Riddering and friends



Illinois participants marching in at Opening Ceremony

CARE...

Mike Lafferty was scheduled for knee surgery on Tuesday but fell and shattered his ankle and broke his leg.

Mike Costello has been able to return home from the hospital but continues to need our prayers.

Rachel Wooley continues with chemotherapy. She has been diagnosed with stage 4 colon cancer which has metastasized to her liver.

Arleta Hommes is home recuperating from a hospitalization due to kidney stones.

Jan Nelson tore ligaments on her left knee and her kneecap is detached. She is scheduled for surgery June 24 at the University of Chicago.

Ralph Paarlberg has returned to Riverside Hospital early Tuesday morning due to another collapsed lung.

Phyllis DeYoung had an epidermal injection in her spine Tuesday to help alleviate her spinal pain. Please pray this procedure will have healing results.

Chinedu Akoma continues to recover at home from lingering effects of her stroke.

Wayne and Joyce Deinema both continue to struggle with health concerns as Wayne cares for Joyce.

Loretta Bovenkerk continues her rehab at Sunrise Villa in Olympia Fields.

Christopher Nelson's lymphoma has gotten much worse. He has finished Infusion Therapy and will have a PET Scan July 11.

Lula Brown, Felicia Flowers' mother, continues her treatment for breast cancer.

OUR EXTENDED FAMILY: Wayne & Joyce Deinema, 2440 186th Street, Apt. 1-3, Lansing, IL 60438

SERMON NOTES...

Psalm 107; John 8:31-47

“Free Indeed!”

Pastor Jim Oord

UP & COMING AT FIRST...

SUNDAY, JUNE 19

GREETERS: Mike and Cindy Nylen

WELCOME CENTER: Deb Oord

PROJECTION: Tiffany Buchanan

VIDEO: Eric Pradelski; **SOUND:** Kevin Hesselink

ORGAN: Joanne Hoeksema

PIANO: Pastor Jim Oord

MUSIC TEAM: Peter Keep, Bill & Nikki Nyhanna, Nick Paarlberg, Bella VanderWoude, and Rachel Wooley

NURSERY: Darcy Daly and Julia Keep

COFFEE SERVERS: Clair & Lynn Hoeksema, and Faye Gowens

COOKIE LADIES: Nancy DeVries, Mary Paulton, and Alison VanderWoude

MONDAY, JUNE 20

CHURCH OFFICE AND FAMILY LIFE CHRISTIAN DAY CARE CLOSED

TUESDAY, JUNE 21

7:00PM: Management Team meets in the Genesis Room

SUNDAY, JUNE 26

GREETERS: Jim DeGroot and Keith Durkin; **WELCOME CENTER:** Don DeGraff

PROJECTION: Felicia Flowers

VIDEO: Mike Decker

SOUND: Rhonda Hesselink

ORGAN: Joanne Hoeksema

PIANO: Amy Veldboom

MUSIC TEAM: Nolan Bolkema, Joe Fransen, Dacia Hill, Addie Larson, Austin Parks, and Matthew Rietveld

NURSERY: Darcy Daly and Sara Jabaay

COFFEE SERVERS: Pastor Wybren & Kathy Oord and Don & Noreen VanDeursen

COOKIE LADIES: Felicia Flowers, Amber Fransen, and Sara Jabaay

CHURCH LIFE...

THANK YOU for thinking of me and keeping me in prayer as I recover from knee surgery. Thank you too for all the cards I have received. Take a moment to read Romans 11:33-36, my favorite Bible passage!
- Anna Mae Groeneveld

WORDS ALONE CANNOT EXPRESS how grateful we are for the support we have received from our church family in the past 14 months. The prayers, expressions of concern, visits, calls, cards, and food have ALL been greatly appreciated. Please continue to pray for strength and motivation as I begin physical therapy to learn to walk on this partially amputated, but completely healed, foot.
- Celeste & Andy DeBoer

DEAR CHURCH FRIENDS, thank you so much for all the prayers, cards, and calls I received as I recovered from surgery. I appreciate all of you!
- Norma Smit

THE FAMILY OF HENRY KOVAL is so grateful for a safe and meaningful trip to New York for Henry’s memorial. Thank you for all the cards and prayers we received on his behalf.
- Anne Koval & Family

ELECTRONIC WASTE COLLECTION EVENT on **Saturday, June 25** from 9am-4pm at the South Holland Public Library Parking Lot, 16250 Wausau Avenue. The Village is hosting an electronic recycling event for South Holland residents. Electronic waste refers to old electronic devices that are broken, outdated, discarded, or at the end of their life. This includes cell phones, laptops, desktop computers, monitors, tablets, PDAs, televisions, printers, fax machines, scanners, and other electronic devices.

OUR GIFTS...

Sunday, June 12, 2022
Basket Total: \$22,675.80
Online Total: \$3,901.00
Giving Total: \$26,576.80
(Needed Weekly: \$11,250.00)



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SECRETARIES' OFFICE HOURS
9:00AM – NOON / Monday – Friday