



NEW

Life

“JUST AS CHRIST WAS
RAISED FROM THE DEAD
THROUGH THE GLORY
OF THE FATHER, WE TOO
MAY LIVE A NEW LIFE.”

Romans 6:4

Christian Reformed Church of Pease

October 20, 2024 - 9:30 A.M

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Dr. Jack Van Marion

We Enter God's Presence

Moment of Silence

Call to Worship

Opening Song: *"God of Wonders"*

God's Greeting & Our Mutual Greeting

Song of Praise: *"Holy God, We Praise Your Name"*

We Celebrate and Remember Our Baptism

Sacrament of Baptism: Weston James Veurink

The Introduction

The Institution

The Promises

The Instruction

Song of Preparation: *"Tell Your Children"*

The Prayer of Preparation

The Vows

The Sacrament

Song of Praise: *"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"*

We Present our Gifts and Offerings

Gideon's Presentation

Intercessory Prayer: Tom Patten

Our Gifts: 1) General Fund

2) Milaca Camp of Gideons

We Hear God's Word

Children's Message: Stacy Patten

Scripture: Romans 6:1-14

Message: **"Remember Your Baptism!"**

Song of Application: *"Baptized in Water"*

We Depart with God's Blessing

God's Parting Blessing

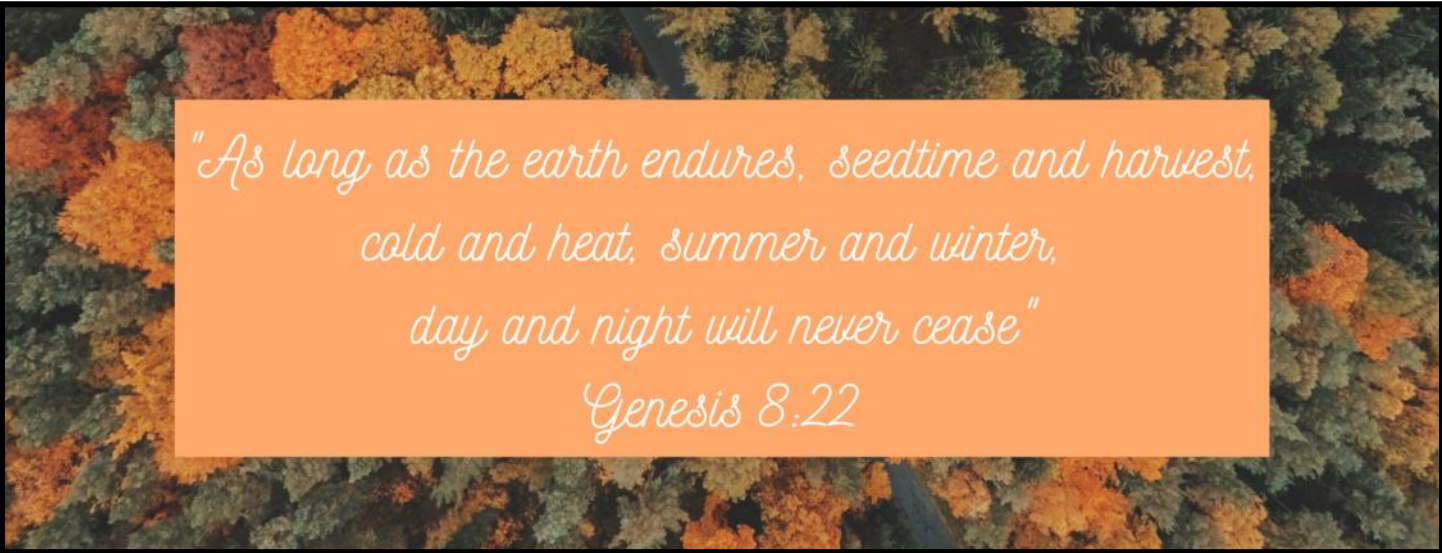
Closing Song: *"Benediction (May the Peace of God)"*

Sermon Notes



Thank you for worshiping with us today!

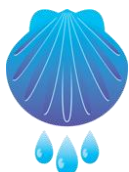
- ◆ If you're a visitor with us, we welcome you in the name of Christ and invite you to fill out the card in the back of the pew in front of you and place it in the offering plate. We would love to reach out to you and get to know you better!
- ◆ Nursery care for infants through age two, as well as Children in Worship for children ages 3-5th grade are all available during our worship service.
- ◆ Activity bags for small children are available near the office
- ◆ Hearing enhancers are available in the Sound Booth.
- ◆ As a courtesy, please switch your cell phones off or to silent mode.



*"As long as the earth endures, seedtime and harvest,
cold and heat, summer and winter,
day and night will never cease"*
Genesis 8:22

As summer gives way to fall, we gather in worship of our Triune God, who holds all things, including you and me, in his gracious and loving care. May you know that loving care as we gather this morning in His presence. Welcome to worship!

We welcome **Dr. Jack Van Marion** to worship with us today, as we hear from him his message, "Remember Your Baptism!" from Romans 6:1-14. Next Sunday, **Pastor Jerry Kragt** returns to lead us in worship.



This morning we also have the privilege of witnessing the baptism of **Weston James Veurink**, son of Adam and Emily Veurink.

Tonight at 5:00 p.m., it's **Popcorn and Movie Night!** The Outreach Team will be showing the movie "*I Can Only Imagine*". It is the true story behind Mercy Me's hit song. It is an uplifting, music-filled movie that beautifully illustrates the power of forgiveness and God's love. Bring a friend or neighbor and join us in the Fellowship Hall for a great movie, popcorn, and refreshments.



Our next **American Red Cross Blood Drive** is scheduled for Tuesday, November 12, from noon-6:00 p.m. Help save lives, and make your appointment today at: redcrossblood.org.

Our Church Family

We wish a very happy birthday to:

>**Al Bekius**, celebrating 86 years today, October 20.

>**Duane Bekius**, celebrating 87 years on Friday, October 25.

>**Lois Hanenburg**, celebrating 87 years on Saturday, October 26.

Please be in prayer for **Carol Timmer**, as she recovers from surgery this past Tuesday to repair a brain bleed at Fairview Southdale. We are thankful that the surgery was successful, and pray that she is able to be discharged soon.

Prayers are requested for **Brenda Ellefson**, who had a liver biopsy this Thursday. Please pray that the results are favorable, and no further action would be necessary.

We extend our sympathy to **Bill & Pam Ruis** on the passing of Pam's mother, **Gert Kiel**. Her funeral will take place here at Pease CRC tomorrow at 11:00 a.m., with a time of visitation one hour prior.



Men's Timeout will be this Saturday, October 26, at 8:00 am! All men and boys are invited to share a delicious breakfast and hear from a featured speaker.

Mark your calendars for our next **Family Fellowship Meal** on Sunday, November 3! The Red and Yellow groups will be providing our meal.



Our annual **Congregational Meeting** will be held on Monday, November 25, at 6:30 p.m. Please plan to attend, as it is a great way to keep updated on the life and ministries of our church, as well as to select new officebearers to lead our church. More info will be available in the upcoming weeks.

Second offerings for the remainder of October will be received as follows:

10/20– Milaca Camp of Gideons

10/27– 125 Campaign



Today is Disability Awareness Sunday. First Corinthians 12 describes the church as the body of Christ—a body with many parts that play different roles. As you think about your role within your church or community, which body part(s) do you think you might be? Perhaps you are the eyes and heart, sharing empathy and kindness where you see hardships and struggle. Maybe you are the big toe, providing stability and balance. Are you like blood vessels gifted at connecting and linking others? Thank God for how God made you and how each person in God's kingdom is essential. Brought to you by Thrive: crcna.org/Thrive.

Calendar for the Week

Sunday, October 20

9:30 a.m.

Sunday Morning Worship

5:00 p.m.

Movie Night in the Fellowship Hall

Monday, October 21

10:00 a.m.

Visitation for Gert Kiel

11:00 a.m.

Funeral of Gert Kiel

Wednesday, October 23

10:30 a.m.

Senior Bible Study

6:00 p.m.

Coffee Break

6:30 p.m.

REC Jr.

7:45 p.m.

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Thursday, October 24

7:30 p.m.

Men's Bible Study

Saturday, October 26

8:00 a.m.

Men's Timeout

Advance Notices

- >Mission Society: Monday, October 28; 1:30 p.m.
- >Outreach Team Meeting: Monday, October 28; 6:00 p.m.
- >Search Team Meeting: Wednesday, October 30; 4:00 p.m.
- >American Red Cross Blood Drive: Tuesday, November 12; 12:00-6:00 p.m.
- >Congregational Meeting: Monday, November 25

Opportunities To Serve

Sound Board Today, October 20: Ryan Swanson

Next Sunday, October 27: Tom Patten

Media Today, October 20: Anita Hubers

Next Sunday, October 27: Stacy Patten

Livestream Today, October 20: Dylan Moorlag

Next Sunday, October 27: Damian Patnode

Greeters Today, October 20:

East Door: Alan & Ruth Ann Kragt

Next Sunday, October 27:

East Door: Jay & Greta Rensenbrink

West Door: Phil & Tammie Peterson

West Door: Carol Timmer

Ushers Today, October 20:

East: Jim Santema

West: Den Kiel

Next Sunday, October 27:

East: Mike Larsen

West: George Droogsma

Center: Diana Krueger

Center: John & Carol Teeler

Nursery Today, October 20:

Leaders: Katie Moorlag, Ali Droogsma

Helpers: Max Patnode, Maddie Pipkin

Next Sunday, October 27:

Leaders: Beth Sumner, Jenny Santema

Helpers: Aeli Luckhurst, Ty Patnode



Children's Church Today, October 20:

Little Lambs: *"Count the Stars"*

Leader: Haley Hemmerich

Worship Center: *"Abram and Sarai"*

Leader: Carol Veurink

Sunday School: *Unit 2/Week 1*

2nd & 3rd Leader: Amy Boldt

4th & 5th Leader: Jody Patnode

Greeter: Lauryn Droogsma

Greeter: Aleeri Veurink

Children's Church Next Sunday, October 27:

Little Lambs: *"A Girl Named Rebekah"*

Leader: Deb Vedders

Worship Center: *"Exodus"*

Leader: Sara Swanson

Sunday School: *Unit 2/Week 2*

2nd & 3rd Leader: Shirley Geurkink

4th & 5th Leader: Jackee Bekius

Greeter: Mallery Vander Plaats

Greeter: Amelia Schluender



The King is Coming!



Advent Blocks is a tangible, meaningful practice to help kids—and parents—anticipate Jesus, not just presents.



Step 1. Line up the blocks.

Step 2. Each day, turn a block and move the star. Read the corresponding devotional story for that day.

Step 3. THE BIG REVEAL! (A special message on Christmas Eve!)



Let's join together as a congregation this advent season as we practice our faith at home, together! While a set of blocks costs approximately \$40 each, we are only asking you to pay \$20 per set to help cover the cost! Order your Advent Blocks set today by filling out the order form that has been inserted in your bulletin. Simply place them in the offering plate over the next two Sundays, or in the basket located in the Fellowship Hall. If you have any questions, or cost is a limiting factor, please talk to Dylan Moorlag, Carrie Luckhurst, or Trudy Ash!

Orders are due with payment by Sunday, October 27.