



**Baptism**  
**Next Sunday Evening**  
 We are privileged to witness the baptism of  
**Evert Schut, son of Jeff & Beth.**

**Prayer Requests**

**Announcements**

**Year End Contribution**

Reminder all collections received Sunday, December 31, 2017 will be applied to your 2017 giving statements. We can not back date any amounts after December 31. Thank you in advance.

**Outdoor Club Event**

The Outdoor Club Pig Roast & Wild Game Dinner is Wednesday, January 10 from 5:30-7:00 pm. Enjoy our famous roasted pig. Everyone is encouraged to bring a large appetizer or salad to share. There will be a Big Buck Contest and prizes for kids 12 and under. Kids, you can win Callie the Caterpillar.

**Children's & Youth Ministries**

**High School**

Registration for the ROOTs Winter Retreat on March 16-18. Cost is \$75 a person. Please place the registration sheet and deposit in the *Ministry Wall* drop box. Questions, please see JoAnne.

**Roots group** is meeting on Sunday, January 7 in the MPR from 6:15-8:00pm.

**WIRED**

Registration for the Middle School Winter Retreat on January 12-14 is open. Cost is \$75 a person. There are 18 spots left. Please place the registration sheet and deposit in the *Ministry Wall* drop box. Questions, please see Shelley.

**GEMS**

GEMS will be meeting on Wednesday from 6:30-8:00pm.



**Cadets**

Cadets will be meeting on Wednesday from 6:30-8:00pm.



**Congratulations to...**

**Nick & Rebecca Osterhaven** were blessed with a baby girl, **Anneke Rae** on December 22, 2017.

**Prayers for...**

**Betty VanNoord** had successful surgery on her ankle after a serious fall.

**Bob & Barb Miedema** will be heading back to the Esther School in Zambia on January 4.

**Thank you to...**

the congregation for all the prayers after our son Tyler's car/deer accident. Pray the concussion symptoms may disappear. **Roger & Karen Ohlrich**

all the knitters for being generous with time, yarn, and skill. We collected 400 knitted hats, mittens, and scarves. The people at Mel Trotter were so happy! **Taylor Neuhaus**

**For a complete list of our congregation's  
 prayer concerns visit our website: [www.caledoniacrc.org](http://www.caledoniacrc.org)**

**Adult Ministries**

**Adult Education**

**January 7:** Dr. John & Rosa VanderKolk, our Faith Promise Missionaries will be doing a Q&A regarding their work with the refugees in Lebanon. Join them in the *Choir Room* after the morning service.

**January 14:** "Propaganda: Where's the Truth?" Dr. Randy Bytwerk, a Calvin College Communications Professor emeritus, will discuss what is going on with the news media these days.

**Book Club**

Our next Book Club is meeting on Wednesday, January 10 at 1:00pm. We will be discussing *Gap Creek* by Robert Morgan.

## This Week At Caledonia CRC

<b>Sunday, December 31</b>	<b>9:30a Worship Service 4:00p Caledonia Gathering 5:00p Evening Service</b>
<b>Monday, January 1</b>	<b>9:00a Office Closed</b>
<b>Tuesday, January 2</b>	<b>7:00p Adult Basketball</b>
<b>Wednesday, January 3</b>	<b>6:00a Men's Small Group 6:30p GEMS 6:30p Cadets 6:30p Running Club 7:00p Praise Team</b>
<b>Saturday, January 6</b>	<b>7:00a Saturday Men's Group</b>

## Upcoming Dates

January 7  
**Education Hour  
 Roots  
 Baptism**

January 8  
**Council Meeting**

January 9  
**Coffee Break  
 Adult Basketball**

January 10  
**Men's Small Group  
 Outdoor Club  
 Running Club  
 Praise Team**

January 12  
**WiRED Winter Retreat**

January 14  
**Education Hour  
 Baptism  
 Communion**



December 31, 2017

### We're so glad you came today!

If you are visiting with us today, we welcome you to Caledonia CRC. We invite you to learn more about us by visiting the *Information Center*. Please also enjoy a cup of coffee at the *Common Grounds*. Let us know that you were here and how we can serve you best by filling out the information page located in the pews, and placing it in the offering plate.

### Nursery and Preschool

Nursery for infants through age 3 is located in the *Entrance Area*. The Preschool program for 3 and 4 year old's, meets during the morning service down the south stairwell by the *Common Grounds*.

No Education Hour TODAY.

**Morning Service  
 9:30 am**

**"Belonging"**

**Series: Lords Day 1**  
 The Hope & Help We Need

**Text:**  
 1 Peter 2:9-10

**Pastor**  
 R. Scott Greenway

**Offering:**  
 General Fund

**Next Week:**  
 General Fund  
 Faith Promise

*All offerings not designated through the use of an envelope to a specific cause will be placed in the General Fund.*

**Evening Service  
 5:00 pm**

**"His Comforting Presence"**

**Series: Lords Day 1**  
 The Hope & Help We Need

**Text:**  
 2 Corinthians 1:1-11

**Pastor**  
 R. Scott Greenway

**Offering:**  
 CEM

**Next Week:**  
 Faith Promise

*All offerings not designated through the use of an envelope to a specific cause will be given to the listed cause for that evening's collection.*