

## Adult Ministries

### Adult Education

**Today:** Harry & Phyllis Kuipers who are volunteers with World Renew Disaster Response Services. They will talk about their work meeting with families and individuals who have lost some or all of their possessions due to disasters. Join them in the Choir Room after the morning service.

**Next Week:** Patti Haist, Director of Crisis Intervention Services of the YWCA will share her experience with victims of sexual abuse.

### Prime Timers

The Prime Timers will meet for lunch on Thursday, April 19 at 11:45am at the Pizza Ranch in Kentwood (3858 28th St). Please sign up at the *Ministry Wall* or call Carol Buwalda at (). We welcome anyone to join us.

### Kids Hope Mentor Needed

Looking for a positive male role model to mentor a 2nd grade boy once a week for 30-45 minutes during the day at Caledonia Elementary. The training will teach you all you need to know. Please email Ellen Roodvoets at roodvoetsellen@gmail.com.

### Women's Softball

If you are interested in playing women's softball for Caledonia CRC please contact Cheri Tubergen (cheri@tubergen.com). Games are Thursday nights at the Christian Athletic Complex from May 10 to August 2, 2018.

### Detroit Tiger Bus Trip

A bus trip to see the Detroit Tigers play the Cincinnati Reds is scheduled for Wednesday, August 1, 2018 at 1:10pm. The cost is \$60.00 per person and includes the ticket, bus seat plus a hot dog and soft drink. Forms for ordering tickets are available at the *Ministry Wall* or by calling Jeff Pettinga at ().

### Fundraiser for Post—Photography Sessions

Caledonia CRC missionaries, Kyle and Marcia Post, are adopting a son from South Korea. His name is Jabin. They will be doing a day of mini-photo sessions on May 11 from 4-7pm in Wayland to raise funds for the adoption. Click here to sign up for a photography session: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080c44adaf2fabfa7-michigan>

## Children's & Youth Ministries

### WiRED

Save the Date: June 10-13, 2018 for the Lake City SERVE trip. Sign up at the *Ministry Wall*.

### High School

Save the date: June 24-29, 2018 for the Muncie, Indiana SERVE trip. You can sign up today at the *Ministry Wall*.

### Cadets

The Cadet Pine Wood Derby race is Wednesday in the Multi Purpose Room starting at 6:00pm. Pizza (\$1 a slice) and pop will be served with races to follow.

The Thornapple Valley Derby race will be at Cascade Fellowship on April 25. Dinner will begin at 6:00pm.

**Save the date:** May 18/19 - Father Son spring camp out in Reed City. Call Matt Apol to RSVP at ().

## Community

### Scrap Metal Drive

Friday, April 20, 12:00pm – 8:00pm

Saturday, April 21, 8:00am – 1:00pm.

Proceeds will benefit the SCHS Tuition Assistance Fund. Please save your scrap metal (steel, aluminum, copper, brass, etc.), old cars, worn-out farm equipment, tired appliances, used car and equipment batteries, electrical wire and stripped or unstripped copper wire for the drive. Extra manpower and equipment will be available to assist during drop-off at South Christian's east parking lot.

### Legacy Christian School Auction

Legacy Christian School Auction will be held on Saturday, April 21 beginning at 5:15pm at the West Campus (67 68<sup>th</sup> St SW). Lots of awesome silent auction items and some fantastic live auction items will be up for bid.

### Annual Fishing Trip

The Calvinist Cadet Corps is hosting its sixteenth annual fishing tournament to raise funds to support its ministry. The fishing tournament will be held on Saturday, June 2, 2018 at Gun Lake State Park in Michigan. For more information, call the Corps office at 616-241-5616 ext 4, or check out the Cadet website under the "Events" tab. Registration forms are available at [www.CalvinistCadets.org](http://www.CalvinistCadets.org).

## Congregational Meeting

May 6 is our annual congregational meeting after the morning service. On the agenda is:

1. Proposed 2018-19 Budget. Copies of the budget will be in your mailboxes by April 22. Absentee ballots for the budget & slate of nominees will be on the *Ministry Wall* next week.
2. Drawing of names for new Council members. This year's nominees are:

### Vice President (1 to be selected)

Jim Ringnald  
Tim Raredon

### Worship Elder (1 to be selected)

Mark Houskamp

### Care Elder (3 to be selected)

Brent Miedema  
Kevin Bos  
Rod Marsman  
Doug Sinnema  
Mark Bouwman

### Benevolence Deacon (1 to be selected)

Scott Oeverman  
Ryan Sinnema  
Brad DeVries

### Assistant Treasurer (1 to be selected)

Jameson DeBlaay  
Dan Koetje  
Dave Wiltjer

Please contact Larry Plaisier or Jim Naber with questions regarding nominees.

## Fellowship Dinner

Following the Congregational meeting you are invited to a Fellowship Dinner on May 6. If your last name ends in A - P, please bring a large appetizer or salad to share and if your last name ends in R - Z, please bring a dessert to share. Please sign up one of two ways, at the *Ministries Wall* or by e-mailing the office at [jbultsma@caledoniacrc.org](mailto:jbultsma@caledoniacrc.org). Come join us for lots of good food and great fellowship.

## Prayer Requests

### Prayers for...

**Doug & Lynne Bakker** as Doug is receiving hospice care at home.

**Jim VanDyke** continues care at Spectrum Health after surgery.

**John Drukker** has returned home after being admitted to the hospital due to a blood infection.

### Our Sympathy to...

**Doug & Melinda** Wieringa & family on the passing of Doug's mother, Joan Wieringa on April 4.

**Gary & Ria Roosien** on the passing of Gary's sister in-law Karen Roosien on April 5.

**Lester Vandenberg & family** on the passing of his wife, Helen Vandenberg on April 8.

For a complete list of our congregation's prayer concerns visit our website:

[www.caledoniacrc.org](http://www.caledoniacrc.org)

## Deacon's Report

### General Offerings through March 31, 2018:

Budget: \$858,213  
Collections Received: \$786,336

### Faith Promise Offerings through March 31, 2018:

Budget: \$ 23,110  
Collections Received: \$ 17,652

### Christian Education through March 31, 2018 (Annual):

2017/18 Goal: \$80,000  
Collections received: \$93,402

### Upcoming Offerings

	Morning	Evening
April 22	General Fund	Resonate Global Missions
April 29	General Fund	General Fund

## This Week At Caledonia CRC

<b>Sunday, April 15</b>	<b>9:30a Worship Service</b> <b>10:45a Education Hour</b> <b>10:00a Caledonia Gathering (EB Coffee)</b> <b>5:00p Worship Service</b>
<b>Tuesday, April 17</b>	<b>7:00p Men's Basketball</b>
<b>Wednesday, April 18</b>	<b>6:00a Men's Small Group</b> <b>6:00p Cadet Pine Wood Derby</b> <b>6:30p M.S. Profession of Faith Class</b> <b>7:00p Praise Team</b>
<b>Saturday, April 21</b>	<b>7:00a Men's Group</b>

## Upcoming Dates

April 22  
**Communion**  
**Education Hour**  
**Roots**

April 25  
**WiRED**  
**Cadet Derby—Cascade Fellowship**

April 29  
**Education Hour**

May 1  
**Roots High School Mission Trip**

May 2  
**Cadets**

April 15, 2018



### 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 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 by the Welcome Center, in front of the Nursery Area. Thank you!

### 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*.

### Communion

Next Sunday, at the morning service we will be celebrating the sacrament of communion. Note: Bread is gluten free.

**Morning Service**  
**9:30 am**

**"Love Suffers Long"**

**Series:**  
The Greatest of These

**Text:**  
1 Corinthians 12:31-13

**Pastor**  
R. Scott Greenway

**Offering:**  
General Fund

**Next Week:**  
General Fund

*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**

**"The People of God"**

**Series:**  
Tested by Fire

**Text:**  
1 Peter 2:4-11

**Intern Pastor**  
Ben Verkerk

**Offering:**  
Faith Promise

**Next Week:**  
Resonate Global Missions

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