

THE LORD'S DAY, MAY 31, 2020
PENTECOST SUNDAY



***WELCOME TO
OUTDOOR WORSHIP!!!!
WE ARE EXCITED TO BE ABLE
TO WORSHIP TOGETHER AGAIN!***

THIS MORNING'S MESSAGE
"THE TEACHER"

THIS MORNING'S TEXT
John 14:25-27

Today is Pentecost Sunday. On this day we celebrate the gift of the Holy Spirit to the church.

We express our sympathy:

- ◆ To Leona Schipper and her family on the recent death of her brother, Jay Veldman.
- ◆ To the Dieffenbach family on the death of Luke on Thursday, May 28.

Pray for comfort and peace during this time of sorrow.

We would like to **express our deepest thanks** to our MRC church family for the outpouring of love, concern, prayers, cards and phone calls at our time of great loss with the death of Tim. Your expressions of love will always be remembered.

~Frank and Margaret Schram and Mike and Jill Wolthuis and family

SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday, May 31 AND Sunday, June 7 – 10:00 AM – We will have an **Outdoor Worship Service** on the lower level. You may either bring lawn chairs or sit in your car whichever you prefer. You will receive a bulletin as you drive in and if you have an offering it will be collected at that time.

We will keep you updated as to future services. The Consistory will meet together again on June 11 to evaluate and determine the best way to move forward.

The doors by the Gym will be open on Sunday morning if anyone needs to use the restroom. Material in the church mailboxes has been mailed out and therefore please do not walk through the rest of the building for your mail.

Next Sunday morning, **we will be celebrating** The Lord's Supper together. May we prepare our hearts for this blessed sacrament of communion with our Lord.

Due to the Coronavirus, we are sad to announce that **VBS has been cancelled this year.**

The Faith Mission Offering for the second quarter will benefit **New Creations Prison Ministries** who is dedicated to the spiritual needs of inmates in Michigan prisons. Throughout their One-On-One, Bridge Builders 12 Step Ministry, and Bible correspondence courses, their volunteers are reaching out to share the Gospel of Christ and offer hope and encouragement to the lost and hurting.

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WORSHIP WITH US: 9:30 A.M. and 6:00 P.M.

MRC ELDERS:

Dale Doezema, Harvey Leep, Bob Modreske,
Jerry Pols, John Schipper, Bob Veld.

MRC DEACONS:

Kelvin DeVries, Kyle Katje, Ben Lyon,
Sam Mensch, J.D. Mohr, Steve Pott.

PRAYER CONCERNS

- *** **Sharon DeMann** is in Borgess Hospital in Plainwell to learn how to live with and care for her tracheostomy.
- *** **Kinsler DeMann** is having surgery to remove her tonsils on Wednesday morning, June 3. Please pray for the doctors and nurses, and for Kinsler's recovery and healing afterwards.
- *** Continue to pray for **Brian DeVries**. Pray that God will hasten the healing process.
- *** Pray for **Dennis Helmholtz, Jerry and Sally Pols's brother-in-law**, as he battles lymphoma. Please pray for healing and strength.
- *** Pray for **Judy Nieuwenhuis** in her battle with cancer. Pray for strength and healing as she discontinues treatments until her platelet count rises.
- *** **Nora Mingerink** continues treatments for her retinoblastoma. Pray that God heals her completely with no lingering complications.
- *** Pray for **Tyler Pols, Jerry and Sally's grandson**, as he adjusts to civilian life after serving for three years in the U.S. Army.
- *** **Jan Triezenberg** is home and recovering from her surgery. Please pray for God to heal completely.
- *** Pray for **MRC moms** expecting babies.
- *** Pray for the **Schipper and Dieffenbach** families as they grieve.
- *** Pray for wisdom for us as a church and for the consistory as decisions are made on how to move forward during the pandemic crisis.
- *** Pray that God gives the victory soon over the coronavirus.
- *** Pray for the men and women who give of themselves everyday as they serve in our armed forces, as law enforcement officers, EMT personnel, firefighters, and healthcare workers.

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