



**WELCOME TO SOUTH GRANDVILLE  
CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH!**

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**THE BULLETIN FOR**

*February 12, 2017*

**Worship Services:**  
9:30 a.m. & 5:30 p.m.

**Our Staff:**

Pastor: Dr. Daniel B. Mouw  
Pastor of Visitation: Rev. John Witvliet  
Director of Outreach & Adult Ministries: Molli Brunsting  
Director of Children's Ministries: Kristina Netz  
Director of Music & Worship: Mary Kortman  
Youth Leader: Kristina Netz & Nicole Dornbos  
Kids Hope/Backpack Club Director: Diane Reed  
Administrative Assistant: Mandy Ensing

*The Gathering of Christ's People  
on the Cord's Day – February 12, 2017*

**WORDS OF WELCOME**

At Jesus' baptism, God declared his love for him. In the desert, God's angels gave Jesus strength. May our time together remind us of God's love and provision during our celebrations and trials. God bless you as we worship. Please join in conversation and refreshments in the Friendship Hall following the morning service.

**TODAY'S WORSHIP AT SOUTH GRANDVILLE**

**Pastor Dan Mouw** will lead us in worship this morning with his message based on I Thessalonians 3: 6-11. The sermon title is "More and More and More" ["Naming our Values #1]

Our first morning offering is for the General Fund, which supports the ministries of our church, classis and denomination based on pledges made by its members. A second offering will be taken for Christian Education. This evening's worship service text is from Psalm 82. The sermon title is "Why Nobody 'Gets Away With It'". The evening offering will be for CRC Race Relations.

**NEXT WEEK'S WORSHIP AT SOUTH GRANDVILLE**

Next Sunday, February 19, we will celebrate the GEMS with "GEMS Sunday" during the morning worship service.

Pastor Dan will be leading us in both morning and evening worship services. Morning offerings will be for General Fund & Baby Pantry.

In the evening our text will be Lamentations 1. ["Faith During Winter, #4] and the offering will be for Home Repair Services.

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY: PRAYER NEEDS AND PRAISES

*Please call the Prayer/Newsline 246-8860. To add or update the prayer line, please call Pastor Dan, Marc Faasse, or your household elder. To subscribe to the email version, visit our website. Encouragement Cards are in the pews for your use to encourage, express appreciation, or convey the fact that you are praying for a member of our church family.*

- We extend our Christian sympathy to the family of Seymour Sikkema who was translated from grace to glory early Thursday morning at the age of 89. Funeral services were conducted here at South Grandville this past Friday afternoon.
- Molli Brunsting (2) was admitted to Zeeland Hospital last Sunday and has been treated for pneumonia. She was able to return home on Wednesday and is feeling significantly better.
- Winnie Grinwis (3) sustained a compression back fracture in a recent fall at the Rose Garden. She is coping with severe pain and is consulting with medical specialists in the hope of finding relief.
- Gary Minkler (1) continues to experience increased weakness as he copes with his multiple chronic health issues.
- Elaine Marsman (7) remains homebound and continues to experience severe pain as she recuperates from a fractured vertebrae.
- Sandy Sloterbeek (1) scheduled to receive the second of three chemotherapy treatments in the current series on Tuesday. The last week has been somewhat difficult and discouraging.
- Ruth VanZanten (1) received her latest chemotherapy treatment a week ago. Overall she continues to tolerate them quite well.

## SHOW SUPPORT FOR ONE ANOTHER

**Please support and keep in prayer Marc and Nancy Faasse** by sending them an encouraging note as they are helping with Disaster Response Services (DRS) until February 24. Their address is: 104 Lockhart St. Martindale, TX. 78655

## EVENTS

**Baby Supply Pantry is this week Tuesday, February 14 from 2:00 – 4:30 p.m.**  
Continue to pray for the families that rely on this ministry for their children's needs.

## OPPORTUNITIES TO CONTRIBUTE OR SERVE

**URGENT NEED!!** Please consider helping out the Baby Supply Pantry! We are need of a person to help this Monday, February 13 from 8:45 – 10:30 a.m. Please contact Judy Wolters if you are able to help, or have any questions. (616-532-5962)

### **The BACKPACK CLUB is in need of the following items:**

\*Macaroni & Cheese, \*Canned Chicken, \*Chicken Helper, \*Spaghetti/boxed noodles, \*Canned Spaghetti sauce, \*100% juice boxes/pouches. We were just asked to supply a backpack for a homeless family with two children at South Elementary School, so the need is real! Thank you for your support of this ministry!

**KIDS HOPE MENTOR NEEDED:** There is a 1<sup>st</sup> grade boy at South Elementary who could really use a mentor. Are you ready to “enlarge your territory” to include this little boy? If you have just one hour a week that you could give, please contact Diane Reed at 667-2423 or [reeddi870@gmail.com](mailto:reeddi870@gmail.com)

**Consider contributing to your church newsletter “The Spotlight” by submitting articles that enhance spiritual lives.** Some ideas could be devotional snippets, favorite verses, and/or a family faith story. You may email your articles or information by Friday, February 24 to [office@southgrandvillechurch.org](mailto:office@southgrandvillechurch.org), or drop them off at the church office.

## CLASSES, CLUBS & COMMITTEES

**Women's Bible Study will be meeting this week Wednesday, February 15 at 1:00 p.m.**

We will be studying Lesson #7 in “Discover the Sermon on the Mount.”

**Cadets and GEMS will be meeting this Wednesday, February 15 from 6:45 – 8:45 p.m.**

## OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE ONE ANOTHER

**NURSERY:** *Nursery attendants should arrive by 9:10 AM.*

Today, a.m. Sue Pipping, Sue VanderMarkt, Nicole Ebels  
Next Sunday, a.m. Christine Padilla, Tracy Mann, Ryan Ashbay

**GREETERS:** Today: John & Ellen Dekker

Next Sunday: Judy Wolters and Marie VandenHoek

**USHERS:** *Please be sure to wear your name tag lanyard when ushering.*

Today, a.m. Brian Breuker, Brian Reed, Jim Vos

**MORNING COFFEE SERVERS:** Today: Gary & Sue Pipping, Brian & Diane Reed,  
Nate & Rachael Remijn

Next Sunday: Jesse & Emilee Ruler, Ken & Barb Schemper,  
Steve & Linda Schroeder

**EVENING COFFEE SERVERS:** Today: Al & Pat VandenBosch

Next Sunday: Arch & Kathy VandenBosch

**CHILDREN'S WORSHIP:** *Children's Worship is for children in Pre-K through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade. The children leave the service at the time indicated in the order of worship and meet in room #13, which is directly beneath the sanctuary. Children's Worship is dismissed at the end of the service.*

Today's schedule: Break for special lessons; Leader: Kelly Vogel;  
Helper: Ashleigh Dornbos

Next Sunday: Break for special lessons; Leader: Robin Dertien;  
Helper: Drew Stob

**LITTLE LAMBS:** *Little Lambs is for children ages 2-4. The children leave the service at the time indicated in the order of worship and meet in room #14, which is at the end of the south hallway downstairs. Children may be picked up at the end of the service.*

Today's schedule: "David & Goliath" Leader: Sara Ashbay;  
Helper: Karen Hampton

Next Sunday: "David & Goliath" Leader: Sara Ashbay; Helper: Jax Vogel

## GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Visitors** – We would love to get to know you better! Please fill out a “Welcome” card, located in the pew rack. Completed cards may be placed in the offering plate.

**Our online Bulletin** is posted each Thursday by 3:00 pm on the church’s website: [www.southgrandvillechurch.org](http://www.southgrandvillechurch.org), under “Publications” on the menu.

**Items for inclusion in the bulletin** should be submitted in writing to the church office by the end of the business day on Wednesday of each week.

**CD recordings** of our services are available. Please contact the office if you would like to be added to the list to receive a CD.

**Our morning worship services are live-streamed** on our website, so if you are unable to attend a morning worship service but you have internet access, you can view the entire service on your computer! Simply go to our website and hover over the word “media” on the menu at the top, then click “Live Stream”. You can also watch a service at a later time by clicking on the “archived services” link. Please contact a member of the Technology Committee or the church office if you have any questions.

The **church office is open** Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (with a half-hour break mid-day – call before stopping in).

The **Requested & Community Announcements** sheet is on the bulletin counter for those who wish to read it.