

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Visitors - Want more information about our church's programs? - Please fill out a "Connection Card" located in the pew rack - indicate your interests and place in the offering plate. Also, please fill out so we can get to know each other!

Our online Bulletin is posted each Thursday by 3:00 pm on the church's website: www.southgrandvillechurch.org, under "Publications" on the menu.

Items for inclusion in the bulletin should be submitted in writing or emailed 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, Friday 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Our Church Facebook page is filled with information, and is always current. Encouraging words, verses, church activities and events, sermon information and more is posted. Share, like and comment on the postings to make sure the postings go to your newsfeed. www.facebook.com/southgrandvillecrc

Have a cup of coffee! Serving regular coffee before the morning service for those that are at church early for rehearsals or anyone else who would like to join in a few minutes of fellowship before the service begins. So feel free to come a few minutes early and enjoy a cup of coffee before being seated.

Sign up today if you haven't already for the weekly E-Newsletter "Spotlight" that is distributed every Thursday in your email inbox. Check the e-newsletter box on the "Connection Card", and fill in your email. Please place the card in the offering plate.



Welcome to South Grandville Church!

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THE BULLETIN FOR

January 14, 2018

Worship Services

10:00 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 Specialist: Mandy Ensing

Calvin Seminarian Intern: David Scholman

The Gathering of Christ's People
on the Cord's Day - January 14, 2018

WORDS OF WELCOME

With humble, joyful, grateful hearts let's draw near to God in worship today. Our Lord is rich in love and full of compassion and He welcomes us into His presence.

To those of you who are visiting with us today, we are glad that you came to join us in praise and in prayer. Please stay and enjoy refreshments in Friendship Hall following morning worship.

TODAY'S WORSHIP AT SOUTH GRANDVILLE

This morning, Pastor Dan will continue his sermon series titled "Learning from Jesus" - A New Year study on the Beatitudes from Matthew 5:1-12. The second message from this series is titled "Good Grief" from the text Matthew 5:4. The first offering will be for the General Fund, and the second offering will be taken for Christian Education Fund.

This evening we will have a guest pastor, Rev. Duane Nieuwsma. His message will be a first person sermon entitled "Peter's Testimony" and incorporates Scripture passages from Acts 2 and 1st and 2nd Peter.

It would be helpful to take a Bible along to this service.

The offering collected will be for our GEMS and Cadets.

NEXT WEEK'S WORSHIP AT SOUTH GRANDVILLE

Next week Sunday morning, Pastor Dan will continue the sermon series "Learning from Jesus" with the third message from Matthew 5:5. The first morning offering will be for the General Fund and the second offering will be taken for Baby Supply Pantry.

Next week Sunday evening, Pastor Dan will continue the sermon series on the study of Romans 8, titled "You Raise Me Up". The third message from his series from Romans 8:5-11. The evening offerings for the month of January will be for our GEMS and Cadets programs.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE ONE ANOTHER

NURSERY: *Nursery attendants should arrive by 9:40 AM.*

Today, a.m.: Pat Bosscher, Christy Toebes, Natalie Breuker

Next week, a.m.: Kathy Bradfield, Erin Breuker, Avery Ruler

GREETERS: **Today:** Tobie & Kathie Heberly

Next Sunday: Randy & Linda Veldhouse

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

Today: Kyle Wilson, Roger Grit, S.C. Deacon, S. Deacon

Next Sunday: Jerry King, Burt Westveld, S.C. Deacon, S. Deacon

MORNING COFFEE SERVERS: **Today:** Steve & Brenda Zuiderveen, Jim & Gail Vos,

Tom & MaryJo Vryhof

Next Sunday: Penny Whitaker, Judy Wolters, Carl & Mary Wierenga,
Rod & Bonnie Williams

EVENING COFFEE SERVERS: **Today:** John & Mary Kortman

Next Sunday: Jim & Luanne Mellema

Church Bus Driver Next Sunday: **Ed Peters**

CHILDREN'S WORSHIP: *Children's Worship is for children in Pre-K through 2nd grade. The children leave the service at the time indicated in the order of worship and meet in room #8. Children's Worship is dismissed at the end of the service.*

Today's schedule: Lesson: "Baby Jesus Presented to God"; Leader: Bonnie Williams;
Helper: Ashleigh Dornbos

Next week's schedule: Lesson: "The Boy Jesus in the Temple"; Leader: Nicole Dornbos;
Helper: Cali 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: Lesson: "God Cares for Joseph"; Leader: Tina Blodgett;
Helper: Hunter Vogel

Next week's schedule: Lesson: "God Cares for Baby Moses"; Leader: Christine Padilla;
Helper: Emmie Stob

CLASSES, CLUBS, COMMITTEES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The elders and deacons will meet tomorrow evening at 7:00pm. Agenda materials are available in the Council Room mailboxes.

At the congregational meeting last week Wednesday, January 10, the proposed 2018 budget was approved as presented.

Classis Grandville will meet in regular session this week Thursday, January 18, at 4:00pm at the Lee Street CRC. Elder Steve Schroeder, Deacon Brenda Zuiderveen and Pastor Dan plan to attend as delegates. Alternates are Elder Tim Bosscher and Deacon Brian Breuker.

The Women's Bible Study will meet this week Wednesday, January 17, at 1:00pm. We'll be studying Lesson #4 in "Discover Ephesians". (Ephesians 3)

Book Club will meet this Tuesday, January 16 at 7:00pm at Phyllis Kortman's home. We'll be discussing the book "Man of his Own" by Susan Wilson.

In case of Inclement Weather (snow, ice, etc.) on Sunday, the church service will be cancelled if a **Winter Storm Warning** is in effect at the time the church service is scheduled to be held. For a **Winter Storm Watch or Advisory**, the vice president of the Council, after receiving input from others on Council, shall cancel the church service at least two hours before the beginning of the service, if inclement weather or the forecast of inclement weather warrants cancellation. The vice president will make sure the person in charge of parking lot snow removal, the janitor, and the church van driver are all aware of the cancellation. Church service cancellations will be posted on WOOD-TV (Channel 8) and WZZM-TV (Channel 13).

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.

- **Mrs. Nell Molegraaf** went home to be with the Lord last week Sunday, January 7. We pray that her family will find deep and lasting comfort in the promise of life forever in Christ.
- **Mrs. Ruth Van Zanten** was scheduled for an outpatient procedure last week Thursday which, it is hoped, will relieve the severe back pain she has been coping with over the past weeks and months.
- **Mr. Larry Groothuis** has a consultation with his orthopedic doctor last week Wednesday. He needs to keep his cast on for another four weeks to allow for more bone healing. He will continue with therapy, but for now no weight bearing.

NOTES OF THANKS

"Dear Friends at South Grandville, Thank you so much for remembering me in this Holy season of the family of God. The beautiful cards and heartfelt expressions of goodwill were very welcome. I wish all of you God's richest blessing throughout this coming New Year." - Grace Toering Dykstra

*"Thank you for the Christmas box full of goodies (enjoyed them all). My thanks to all at South Grandville Church for Christmas cards many with short messages."
-Wilma Vredevoogd*