



*Welcome to South Grandville Church!*

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**THE LARGE PRINT BULLETIN FOR**  
***September 16, 2018***

**Worship Service**  
**10:00 a.m.**

**Our Staff:**

Pastor: Dr. Daniel B. Mouw  
Pastor of Visitation: Rev. John Witvliet  
Director of Children's Ministries: Kristina Netz  
Worship Coordinator: Ben Netz  
Youth Leader: Kristina Netz & Nicole Dornbos  
Administrative Specialist: Mandy Ensing  
Calvin Seminary Intern: David Scholman

## Words of Welcome

As we gather for worship on this Sunday in mid-September, let's celebrate the way that the Lord makes room for us in His heart and His love. Let's us in turn make room for each other, for our neighbors, and for those in need as we share the love of Christ together in worship today and let that love spill over this week. We warmly welcome all of you who are visiting with us today. Please stay for refreshments in Friendship Hall following morning worship.

### Today's Worship at South Grandville

**This morning, we welcome our guest musician from Grace Christian University, Elijah Schweikert,** he will be playing the piano and guitar during the worship service. We thank the Lord for Elijah's musical gifts.

**This morning, Pastor Dan will continue his fall sermon series titled "Driving Out Fear."** The second message will be from the text Isaiah 41: 8-16 titled "Safe, Safer, and Safest". 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 and a special offering will be for Home Repair Services.

### Next Week's Worship at South Grandville

**Next week, Pastor Dan will continue his fall sermon series titled "Driving Out Fear" with the third message from the text Jeremiah 1.** The first offering will be for the General Fund, the second offering will be for the Baby Supply Pantry. The special offering is for Home Repair Services.

### Our Church Family - Prayers & 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.*

- **Mrs. Phyllis Kortman** (4) continues to make progress as she recuperates at home.
- **Mrs. Winnie Grinwis** went home to be with the Lord last week Sunday, September 9; we pray that her family will be surrounded and comforted by God's grace.

- **Mrs. Sue Pipping** (4) has been recently diagnosed with breast cancer and is scheduled to undergo surgery on Monday, September 24.
- **Mr. Mark Hopkins** (5) met with his doctor last week and received an excellent report following the radiation treatments he underwent over the summer.
- **Mrs. Bea Gregory** (3) was admitted to the Spectrum Health Blodgett Campus last week where she is being treated for pneumonia.
- **Kyle Wilson had passed away unexpectedly this past week Wednesday, September 12. We express our heartfelt Christian sympathy to his wife Becky, to his children, Kylie, Conner, Collin and Carson, to the Williams family, to Burt Westveld and the rest of his family in their grief. May they find hope through God's promises and find comfort in the presence of Christ.**

### **Notes of Thanks**

*"Great is Thy faithfulness!" "Great is Thy faithfulness!" Morning by morning new mercies I see; All I have needed Thy hand hath provided - "Great is Thy faithfulness," Lord, unto me! It is with gratitude in our hearts that we express our sincere thanks to Pastor Dan and Pastor John for your visits. Thanks also for the many beautiful cards and caring during the past few months. South Grandville Church has been so faithful to us through many meals and act of help and kindness. We appreciate them and love you all. Thank you for your thoughts and prayers.*

*"Thank you for your many prayers, cards, and words of encouragement as Ken continues his battle with cancer. We are very thankful that the recent radiation has greatly reduced his pain and his latest tests indicated that there was no sign of any new cancer. We are very blessed to be part of this church family!" - Ken & Barb Schemper*

# South Grandville Announcements

**Today is Bless Our Schools Sunday (BOSS), a ministry from Moms In Prayer.** A flyer has been placed in your mailbox with scripture prayers to pray for students, teachers, school administrators and school support staff.

**The newly formed Ministry Team is in place with the following officers:** Ed Peters (chairperson), Ken Schemper (secretary).

**Valet Parking is available! Take advantage of this service every Sunday morning.**

**Next week Sunday evening, September 23, at 5:30pm, we will begin a series of fall teaching services centered on the life of the Apostle Paul.** These teaching services are also scheduled for the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of October and November. Cards outlining this series, called "Last and Least", have been placed in your mailbox and extra are in the narthex.

**Church School classes will resume this morning,** after the worship service. They are scheduled to meet from 11:20am - 12:00pm. 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grade will meet in Room 13 with Mr. Tom Vryhof; 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade will meet in Room 11 with Mr. Ben Netz; and 9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade will meet in the youth room with Pastor Dan. **Mr. Dave Scholman's 7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade class will NOT be meeting today, their class will begin next week.**

**Please make the following change in your church directory:**

Ken and Barb Schemper have eliminated their home phone. Their cell numbers are:

Barb: 616-295-3460; Ken: 616-734-7849

**ONLINE MEAL SCHEDULE FOR THE SLOTERBEEKS:** An easy to use online meal schedule has been set up for Sandy and Roy Sloterbeek at "Take Them A Meal" (takethemameal.com). Recipient last name: Sloterbeek, Password: 2018. If you have any questions or if you'd prefer to schedule by phone, please call Tina Blodgett at (616) 204-5932.

**Planning Worship:** Do you have a great idea for a Thanksgiving or Christmas service? Would you like to help plan worship services for Advent? We're looking

for a small team of congregation members to help plan the Thanksgiving, Advent, and Christmas services. If you are interested or would like more information, contact Julie Ebels, [jme1374@gmail.com](mailto:jme1374@gmail.com) or 616-531-6496.

**The next book club meeting will be at 7:00pm this Tuesday, September 18 at Nancy Faasse's home** (2689 Cedar Grove North, Jenison). The book to be discussed will be *The Second Mrs. Hockaday* by Susan Rivers.

**Due to restructuring, Pete Retsema will be the deacon on Household #3 in place of Dave Struck.** Please make a note of this in your directory.

**Our special offering for the month of September is for Home Repair Services.** Home Repair Services has been a civic response for vulnerable homeowners facing critical health and safety repairs.

**Family Faith Formation Tip:** Need help explaining God's salvation plan to kids? You'll find a brief gospel summary that kids of all ages can understand at [tinyurl.com/FFMGospelSummary](http://tinyurl.com/FFMGospelSummary). Children's ministry leaders, this summary will be really helpful for you too! (Faith Formation Ministries; [crcna.org/FaithFormation](http://crcna.org/FaithFormation))

**Anyone who is interested in participating in the Women's Bible Study** on alternate Wednesday afternoons beginning in October (starting at 1:00pm) is invited to sign up on the sheet in the library. Additional study guides on I & II Thessalonians will be ordered as needed.

**A Men's Bible Study on the same book is also being considered.** There are two sign-up sheets in the library for men - one is for alternate Wednesday afternoons and the other is for mornings or evenings. Please sign up on the sheet that fits your interest and availability. A class will be scheduled based on which time frame has the most interest.

**The full Council will meet tomorrow evening, September 17, at 7:00pm,** followed by separate elder and deacon meetings. Agenda materials are available in the Council Room mailboxes.

**Classis Grandville will meet in regular session this week Thursday, September 20, at 4:00pm at the Fellowship CRC** in Grandville. Delegates from our congregation are elder Brian Reed, Deacon Dave Struck, and Pastor Dan. Alternate delegates are elder Jack Kramer and Deacon Brenda Zuiderveen.

**You are invited to attend our annual hymn sing benefiting Mississippi Christian Family Services.** It will be on September 23, at 7:30PM at the Baldwin St CRC, 2101 Baldwin St in Jenison. Cliff Doornbos along with many instrumentalists will lead. Our special guests will be the Calvin College Gospel choir. Come for an inspiring night of praise to God.

### **Opportunities to Serve One Another**

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

**Today:** Stacy Chaffin, Robin Dertien, Carter Netz

**Next week:** Nicole Dornbos, Julie Ebels, Angelisse Vogel

**GREETERS: Today:** Randy and Linda Veldhouse

**Next week:** Jim and Luanne Mellema

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

**Today:** Jerry King, Burt Westveld, Marc Faasse, Arnie Morren

**Next Sunday:** Jane Schut, Ike Brinks, SC Deacon, S Deacon

**MORNING COFFEE SERVERS: Today:** Dan & Pat Mouw, Ben & Kristina Netz, Gabe & Angie Neve

**Next Sunday:** Terry & Tress Nyenhuis, Barb Oosterink, Ed & Susan Peters

**CHURCH BUS DRIVER NEXT WEEK:** Steve Zuiderveen

**KIDS OWN WORSHIP-** is a special time of worship for kids ages 4 through 2<sup>nd</sup> grade. The children will leave the service at the time indicated in the order of worship and meet in Room 14. Children may be picked up at the end of the service.

**Today: Lesson: "God Created the World"      Leader: Nicole Dornbos**