

MORNING WORSHIP ~ 9:30 AM

November 24, 2024

God Gathers Us into Worship

Prelude

*Call to Worship

Psalm 24:3-5

*Opening Songs: CH 213 (2X)

We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise

*Prayer

*Mutual Greeting

We Lift Our Voices to God in Worship

*Songs of Praise: CH 650

O for a Heart to Praise My God

657 vs 1-3

Cleanse Me

Reading of the Law/Christian Living

We Respond through Prayer

Praises and Prayer Concerns

Congregational Prayer

Offering

East Martin Christian School

God Speaks to Us through His Word

Scripture:

Hebrews 11:1-8; Genesis 4:2-8 (p1874)

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

Message:

The Blood that Speaks a Better Word

*Song of Response: CH 648 vs 1-3

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

God Blesses Us as We Go Forth in Mission

*Parting Blessing

*Closing Song: CH 648 vs 4

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

**Please stand if able.*

EVENING SERVICE
The Grace Course
6:00 PM

Prelude

Welcome

*Songs: CH 682
620 vs 1,3

Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah
Under His Wings

Offering

Martin Resource Center

Calm!

*Closing Song CH 624

His Eye Is on the Sparrow

*Parting Blessing

Postlude

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East Martin Christian



Reformed Church

Loving God by Loving Others

OUR VISION

Our purpose, having been called by Christ to a life of service, is to glorify God through Biblical worship, strengthening and enriching one another in the Christian life, and sharing Christ's love through word and deed in faithful witness, both within our congregation and outside our fellowship.

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COUNCIL MEMBER PRAYER REQUEST

Please pray for God's guidance and direction for Dave Misner this week.

OFFERINGS

Today AM: East Martin Christian School
PM: Martin Resource Center

Thanksgiving: Envelopes

Next Week AM: General Fund/Ministry Shares
PM: Freedom in Christ

GREETERS

Today AM: Pat Fenton, Joan Kammeraad, Dave Misner
PM: Glenn & Nancy Leep

Thanksgiving: Jonathan & Amy Kalkman

Next Week AM: Vern & Joanne Klaasen, Tom Rook
PM: Wayne & Denise Leep

LIBRARY

Today Ida Westendorp

Next Week Rena Lynema

NURSERY

Today Riley and Addison Tuinstra

Thanksgiving: Mary Bouman

Next Week Rebekah Westendorp

USHERS

Today Chase DeMaagd, Doug DeMann, Dave DeYoung

Thanksgiving: DeYoung: Dennis, Jake, Joel

Next Week Sam DeYoung, Jonathan Kalkman, Bob Katje

LORD'S SUPPER December 8

OUR WEEK

November 24, 2024

Sunday

8-9:00 AM Prayer Group

10:30 AM Fellowship Coffee

Sunday School

7:30 PM High School Youth Group

Monday

6:30 PM Ladies Bible Study

7:00 PM Education Committee

Tuesday

7:00 PM Elders

Thursday

8:00 AM Breakfast/Service (9:30 AM)

Thank you to Joel Trinidad who leads us in worship this morning, and to Pastor Josh Shaarda who leads us in the Grace Course this evening. Next week will be the same.

Please keep the Schoonveld family in your prayers in the passing of Pastor Art Schoonveld. If anyone would like to send a card to Anita Schoonveld her address is 14462 Twin Oaks, Holland, MI 49424.

The Lord's Supper will be celebrated in two weeks, December 8.

High School Youth Group meets tonight *at the parsonage* at 7:30.

GEMS Sunday was a huge success! Thank you for your prayers, your love, and your financial support.

Coffee Break will not meet this week because of the Thanksgiving holiday. We'll resume again on December 4.

Join us for a special evening as we host a Live Nativity/Candle Lighting on Sunday, December 22nd 5:00-7:00 pm! This is a wonderful opportunity to share the Christmas story with our community in a meaningful way, and we need your help to make it happen.

We are looking for volunteers to assist in a variety of roles: Greeters/Guides, Cookie Bakers, Set Designers and Assemblers, Live Actors to dress up and read lines, and more! ALL AGES are encouraged to participate!

If you're interested in being part of this event, please use the signup sheets in the narthex and you will be contacted soon. For any questions, feel free to contact a member of the Worship Committee. Let's come together to make this a memorable celebration of Christmas for the community!

A Faith Promise form is in your church mailbox. Be in prayer for our missionaries, their families, East Martin ministries and how God leads you in a financial commitment.

The High School Youth Group will be serving a Thanksgiving Day pancake breakfast this Thursday from 8:00 to 9:15 AM. Stay for the service which starts at 9:30. **Youth group:** *Please come to church*

this Wednesday night at 6:00 to help set up for the breakfast, and then be at church on Thursday morning at 7:00 to cook. Thanks!

The High School Youth Group will provide a Christmas card delivery service starting next week, December 1. Place your cards in the basket by the church mailboxes, and they will be delivered. Thank you.

We are starting a lasagna ministry here at East Martin CRC. We are going to be collecting ingredients, making and freezing lasagna to be stored here at church. If you'd like to donate ingredients for this new ministry, there is a sign-up sheet in the narthex. If you know of someone in need and would like to bring them a lasagna, you can grab one or more at any time and deliver them to whoever needs it. You may also speak to Jen Tuinstra to have it delivered.

If anyone would like to sign up to make food for the High School Youth Group, there is a sheet in the narthex. Thank you!

You are invited to East Martin Christian School's Christmas program on Thursday, December 5 at 6:30 PM. "The Christmas County Spelling Bee" focuses on the many names of Jesus found in Isaiah 9:6, and will be held at the church.