

ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED

KIDS HOPE COOKIE BAKING

With Valentine's Day just around the corner, we'd like to celebrate our Kids Hope students and the faculty/staff at Lakewood, Pine Creek, and Mac Bay with some Valentine-themed cookies. If you enjoy baking and would like to volunteer to make this day extra special for them, please contact Diana Fonseca-Peña: dfonseca_pena@fellowshipreformed.org.

HANDBELL CHOIR

Can you read music? Yes? Then the Handbell Choir needs YOU! They rehearse every Tuesday @ 6pm and typically play in the worship services once a month. You are welcome to drop in to a rehearsal anytime to check it out. Contact Christy Garcia if you are interested in learning more: christal.d.garcia@gmail.com

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you would like to submit a prayer request, we have a new system using a QR code. You may choose whether you want the request to go to the Care Team (pastors and care coordinator), to the prayer chain (a group of lay leaders/staff), or be published in the bulletin. If you are not comfortable using the QR code, please contact Pat Vorpapel at 616.399.9280, ext. 130 or pvpapel@fellowshipreformed.org to request prayers.



GIVING

To support the work God is doing in and through Fellowship's ministries, you can give cash or checks using the offering bowls in the Sanctuary, text any dollar amount to **84321**, or use the QR code or the Church Center app to give online.



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KURIOS



SUNDAY | FEBRUARY 4 | 9 & 10:30AM

Prelude**Call to Worship:** Psalm 89:1-4*Way Maker****Prayer***O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing (Hymn #466)****Welcome New Members***(dismissed during song: 3 yrs - 3rd grade [9am]; 3 yrs - 5th grade [10:30am])**Holy Spirit****Passing the Peace****Scripture:** Mark 5:1-20**Sermon:** “The Other Side of the Sea”**Holy Communion***Behold Him***Build My Life****Benediction****Postlude****indicates congregational song***Leading in the Service:****Preaching:** Rev. Bryce Vander Stelt**Liturgists:** Rev. Ross Dieleman, Rev. Tierra Marshall, Jess Mix, Rev. Nate Schipper**Worship Band:** Steve Braunius, Jim McFarland, Lori Maatman, Marcia Meoli-Smith, Jennie Schmidt, Lydia VanderWege**Audio & Video Tech Team:** Joel, Kary, & Luke Bosma, Aaron Clark, Jabin Dieleman, Daniel Gonzalez-Gomez, Sophia Mix, Duane & Ginger VandenBrink

As a **WITH MINISTRIES** church, Fellowship welcomes all individuals and families living with disabilities. Please inquire at the Welcome Center for assistance and/or additional information. We have a team, led by Sara Gortsema, that addresses these needs in our community all year round.

TABLE2TABLE TODAY

This morning, we have our monthly Table2Table meal. **We will enjoy bagels, coffee, and fellowship between the two worship services.** We hope you will join us as we move together from the communion table to the brunch table - or vice versa for the second service folks!

PYE | MENTAL HEALTH, TECH, & KIDS

All caring adults are invited to this presentation by Protect Young Eyes on Wednesday, February 7 @ 6:30pm (following the 5:45pm Community Night meal). Studies are starting to point toward a greater percentage of young people who struggle with anxiety, depression, and suicide ideation. This talk elevates our understanding of their brains so that we elevate our empathy and know how to care for them. Use the QR code or call the church office to signup.

**ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE**

Join us in person or online on Wednesday, February 14 @ 6:30pm as we begin our 40-day (not counting Sundays) journey of Lent. This service of prayer, music, Scripture, meditation, and the imposition of ashes is designed to help us begin our Lenten journey with humility, confession, and wholehearted trust in Jesus, our Lord and Savior, Teacher and Friend. A Community Night meal of soups with bread will be served at 5:45pm, prior to the service. All other Community Night classes/programming will be suspended this night. The nursery will be staffed.

ALL-CHURCH RETREAT | MARCH 8-10

We invite you to spend an awesome weekend away with your church family March 8-10 @ Timber Wolf Lake Young Life Camp in Lake City, MI. Use the QR code or call the church office to sign up. **For more information, stop by the table near the welcome center!**

**KURIOS****Mark 5:1-20 | February 4**

Journal it. Ask a friend. Discuss it in a group.

Reflect | Can you think of a time when a vacation, mission trip, or work trip turned into something unexpected? What happened? How did you and/or your peers or family handle the situation?

Excavate | “Unclean,” within ancient Judaism, signals ritual or moral impurity. What is “unclean” in this narrative according to the Old Testament scriptures?

Interpret | What do you think it says about Jesus and his lordship that he willingly enters into a situation marked by such “uncleaness” (e.g. pagan land, graveyard, evil spirits, pigs, etc.) and brings about restoration? How does this change the way you see Jesus in your own life but also in the lives of those typically marked “unclean?”

Examine | When have you felt like the townspeople begging Jesus to leave because he changes too much?

Apply | If Jesus said to you, “Go home to your friends and tell them how much the Lord has done for you, and how he has had mercy on you,” which story (or stories) would you tell? Share that story with someone this week.

Invite | What is one way you can cross religious or social barriers to help someone else experience restoration and healing this week?