

# ***New Era CRC ~ Sunday ~ June 13, 2021***

## **Welcome to all who are worshiping with us today!**

As we gather together in response to our Lord's call to worship, may we hear His Word with gladness, respond with hearts of love and gratitude, and go forth from this place with renewed commitment to serve Him every day.

## **SCHEDULE**

### **TODAY 9:30AM - MORNING WORSHIP**

**Peter the Rock - (A Formation).** When building something with rocks, much like with Legos, big rocks are very helpful. We like big foundational pieces, we can get a lot of work done with them, and they carry much weight. The smaller rocks are just as important, but there are more of them and they require more work. **TODAY** we will look at some of the small rocks in spiritual formation that are vital to our spiritual health, although they require more effort they are just as important.

**If you are at home** and would like to join us in worship via live stream click on this link <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCsJnzl7vpo5Hr9u3dxOULcA> after 9:20AM and you should be able to watch the service live. You should also be able to watch the service at a later time by clicking on the same link.

**"Let the Little Children Come to Me..."** Due to COVID our nursery is currently closed; but our upper room has been set aside to accommodate for families with infants and active children. As always the main sanctuary (worship center) is open to all who prefer.

### **6:00PM - EVENING WORSHIP GATHERING**

**TEXT: Nehemiah 7:4 - 8:18**

**Join us for a time of Prayer, Praise, and Listening to God's Word!**

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**From the Council** - At our meeting last Wednesday we celebrated the prospect of engaging completely in all church activities again following COVID. **We will be holding Sunday worship outdoors when possible beginning June 20**, and on **Sunday, June 27** we will have a **potluck dinner/lunch** following the service. The council is reinstating all church programs that begin in the Fall and volunteers will be needed. We look forward to pleasing God through the various groups and activities with eager anticipation!

**We express our sympathy** to Jeff and Linda Wiersema. Linda's father Charles "Bud" Christmas died on June 5. Services were held in Ludington on Thursday, June 10.

**We're excited to announce a date** for a Celebration of Life in memory of Joan Mulder. Please join us on Saturday July 3 for an open house lunch between 11AM and 2PM at New Era Christian School. Come to celebrate and praise God for a life well lived!

The Mulder Family

**The Farmer's Market** will be here before we know it and we are looking for volunteers. A signup sheet for the 1st market is posted on the bulletin board outside Pastor Greg's study.

**You are invited to attend the New Era Christian School Annual Society meeting on June 15 at 7pm in the school gym.** The School Board has proposed changes to our By-Laws that require a majority vote of the society in order to be approved. **Henry Hoekstra and Phil Morse will be in the sanctuary TODAY, June 13 to answer any questions you may have regarding the proposed changes.** Proposed budgets will be placed in your church mailbox after June 9 as we are still putting on the finishing touches. **Please read the announcement attached to last week's bulletin (May 30) for all the information.** A person is considered a voting member of our society if they are a parent of a NECS student (s) or if they have contributed more than ten dollars to our school in the past year. If you would like to participate in the election for school board members and/or for the proposed changes to the By-Laws but cannot attend the meeting please call the office at 231-861-5450 to receive a ballot.

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**Offering Report - June 6, 2021**

Total Offering - \$6,622.00

General Fund - \$6,502.00

Farmer's Market - \$120.00

**OFFERING SCHEDULE for JUNE - 2021**

**TODAY** - Missions

June 20 - Love INC

June 27 - General Fund

# *Order of Worship ~ Pastor Greg Dyk*

Prelude

## **God Calls Us Into Worship**

Welcome

Call to Worship

Opening Song: PsH#569:1, 2    ***"Praise the Lord with the Sound of Trumpet"***

\*God's Greeting

\*Songs of Praise: PsH#244:1, 2, 3    ***"God Himself Is with Us"***  
PsH#96:1, 2, 4    ***"Sing to the Lord, Sing His Praise"***

Preparatory for Celebration of Communion next week

Song:            ***"Redeemed"***

## **To Give Thanks**

Congregational Prayer

## **To Listen to His Word**

Scripture - 1 Peter 3:8-22

Message: ***"How Many Little Rocks Does it Take?"***

Prayer

\*Song: PsH#547:1, 2, 3,    ***"Fill Thou My Life, O Lord My God"***

## **To Go out and Serve**

\*God's Blessing

\*Sending Song: PsH#569:1, 2    ***"Praise the Lord with the Sound of Trumpet"***





