

New Era CRC ~ Sunday ~ June 20, 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). One of the most visible ways that our relationship with Christ is on display is in our marriages. Paul compares marriage to Christ's relationship with his church and he calls husbands to love their wives as Christ loved the church. TODAY on Father's Day we listen to Peter's instruction on being a good husband which also includes being an exemplary father.

Today we celebrate Communion with Christ with the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. If you are truly sorry for your sins, sincerely believe in Jesus as your Lord and Savior, earnestly desire to lead a Godly life, and are a participating (professing) member in a Christian Church, you are invited to join us at the Lord's Table.

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/UCsJnzi7vpo5Hr9u3dxOULcA> 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. **We will be using our outdoor worship area as weather allows during the summer months, at this time live streaming is not available with outdoor worship.**

"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 9

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

TUESDAY: 4:00-7:00PM - 1st Farmer's Market for 2021 - "The Roof Doctor" from Lansing will be here to entertain as well as 3 food vendors and up to 40 vendors.

Volunteers are needed - Please consider signing up today!

Next Sunday June 27 - 11:30AM: An all church **POTLUCK** following our morning worship. Pulled Pork sandwiches, Table setting, Coffee and Water provided!

PRAYER CONCERNS

Please keep our aging and shut in members in your prayers.

Dave Brace, Lois Bush, Bob DeJonge, Alice Miller, Paul Mulder, Dorothy Nienhuis, Fred Newman, Roger Westrate, Betty Ten Brink.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

On this Father's Day we thank God for our fathers and pray for all fathers. May God bless them with wisdom, patience, love, and strength to be the fathers God desires.

Covenant Plan: We are still in need of some more faith promises to activate the covenant plan for the 21/22 School year. If you haven't got yours in please do so as soon as possible. Thank you! Covenant Plan Committee

A July/Aug 2021 TODAY devotional is available in the narthex.

From the Council - At our last meeting we celebrated the prospect of engaging completely in all church activities again following COVID. **We will be holding Sunday worship outdoors when possible beginning today, June 20**, and on **Sunday, June 27** we will have a **potluck dinner/lunch** following the service. Pulled pork sandwiches, table service, water, and coffee provided. **While utilizing our outdoor worship area, live streaming is not yet available.** 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!

From Love INC: Volunteers are needed for the Thrift Store backroom; receiving, sorting, and pricing donations. Do you love to clean? We're also in need of some custodial workers. Use your gifts and talents, enjoy some good fun and fellowship...all for a good cause! Shop~Serve~Donate Volunteer at your convenience. Call 231-861-4880 and ask for Pastor Foley.

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

Offering Report - June 13, 2021

Total Offering - \$3,168.00

Missions - \$3,143.00 Food Pantry - \$25.00

OFFERING SCHEDULE for JUNE - 2021

TODAY - Love INC

June 27 - General Fund

Order of Worship ~ Pastor Greg Dyk

Prelude

God Calls Us Into Worship

Welcome

Call to Worship

Opening Song: LUYH#526 **"Come, Now Is the Time to Worship"**

Come, now is the time to worship. Come, now is the time to give your heart.
Come, just as you are, to worship. Come, just as you are, before your God. Come.

One day every tongue will confess You are God. One day every knee will bow.
Still the greatest treasure remains for those Who gladly choose you now.

Come, now is the time to worship. Come, now is the time to give your heart.
Come just as you are to worship; come just as you are before your God. Come.

One day every tongue will confess You are God. One day every knee will bow,
still the greatest treasure remains for those who gladly choose you now. Come. Come.

*God's Greeting

*Song of Praise: PsH#428:1, 2, 3 **"O Worship the King"**

O worship the King, all glorious above, O gratefully sing his power and his love:
our shield and defender, the Ancient of Days, pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise.

O tell of his might and sing of his grace, whose robe is the light, whose canopy space. His
chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form, and dark is his path on the wings of the storm.

Your bountiful care, what tongue can recite? It breathes in the air, it shines in the light; it
streams from the hills, it descends to the plain, and sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.

To Give Thanks

Congregational Prayer

To Listen to His Word

Scripture - 1 Peter 3:7

Message: **"Standing on the Rock"**

Song: **"Standing on the Promises"**

Standing on the promises of Christ my King, Thro' eternal ages let His praises ring;
Glory in the highest, I will shout and sing, Standing on the promises of God.

Refrain: Standing, standing, Standing on the promises of God my Savior; Standing,
standing, I'm standing on the promises of God.

Standing on the promises that cannot fail, When the howling storms of doubt and fear
assail, By the living Word of God O shall prevail, Standing on the promises of God. (refrain)

Standing on the promises of Christ the Lord, Bound to him eternally by love's strong cord,
Overcoming daily with the Spirit's sword, Standing on the promises of God. (refrain)

Standing on the promises I cannot fail, List'ning every moment to the Spirit's call,
Resting in my Savior as my all in all, Standing on the promises of God. (refrain)

To Celebrate Grace at The Lord's Supper

We Gather at the Table of Our Lord

***The Apostles Creed**

*Song: PsH#307:1, 3, 5 **"O Jesus, Joy of loving Hearts"**

O Jesus joy of loving hearts, the fount of life, the light of men,
from fullest bliss that earth imparts we turn unfilled to you again.

We taste you, ever-living Bread, and long to feast upon you still;
we drink of you, the fountain-head, our thirst to quench, our souls to fill.

O Jesus, ever with us stay; make all our moments calm and bright!
Chase the dark night of sin away; shed o'er the world your holy light!

We Partake of the Supper of Our Lord

*Song: LUYH#833:1, 2, 3 **"There Is a Redeemer"**

There is a Redeemer, Jesus, God's own Son;
precious Lamb of God, Messiah, Holy One.

Refrain: Thank you, O my Father, forgiving us your Son,
and leaving your Spirit till the work on earth is done.

Jesus, my Redeemer, name above all names,
precious Lamb of God, Messiah, hope for sinners slain. (refrain)

When I stand in glory I will see his face;
there I'll serve my king forever, in that holy place. (refrain)

To Go out and Serve

*God's Blessing

*Sending Song: **"We Receive your Blessing"**

We receive your blessing; we receive your grace, as we walk in the light shining from your
face. May the peace that you give change the way that we live. We receive your blessing as we
leave this place. Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise him, all creatures here
below. Praise him above, you heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son, and praise the Holy Ghost.
(repeat)

We receive your blessing as we leave this place.

