

Abbe Reformed Church

All Saints Day
November 6, 2016 – 10:15 AM

GATHERING IN WORSHIP

*Gathering Hymn *O God, Our Help In Ages Past* #52

Prayer of Confession

**Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
we seek your forgiveness:**

**for falling silent when we should have spoken out;
for being too quick to condemn and criticize;
for being too slow to show compassion;
for not living as examples of your love;
for choosing safety over faithfulness;
for not living as the saints you have called us to be.**

**Have mercy on us and forgive us.
Tune the strings of our heart,
and teach us to live as your new creation.
Amen.**

Assurance of Forgiveness

*Sharing in the Peace of Christ

Children's Chat

Remembering The Saints

Choir *Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

THE WORD OF GOD

Scripture Reading Exodus 24:3-18 see insert

Message *Exodus: It Is Finished* Pastor Noah

Celebrating the Lord's Supper see insert

OUR GRATEFUL RESPONSE

Offering
Offertory *At The Cross*
*Doxology #625

Greeting and Announcements
Prayers of the People

Sending Hymn *For All The Saints (1, 2, 5, 6)* #546

*Benediction

Pastors Kristen & Noah Livingston
Jennifer Schruers, Music Director

**Congregation please stand as able*

2016 Consistory

Elders

Lucinda Legters - Vice President (2016)
Eleanor Aikens - Clerk (2017)
Mark Summers - Assistant Clerk (2017)
Laurie Holthouse (2018)
Harvey Oonk (2016)
Trudy Williams (2018)

Deacons

(2016) Head Deacon - Jason Stapels
(2016) Benevolent Treasurer - Philip Beckerink
(2017) Scott Neckers
(2018) Esther Nickerson
(2017) Laurie TeWinkle
(2018) Amanda Willink

In the name of Christ, we welcome you to the fellowship of Abbe Church, its work and worship, its instruction and service, and to its comfort and blessing.

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Prayer Concerns and Celebrations: Continue to keep all those who are confined to nursing homes and all those who have ongoing physical problems in your thoughts and prayers, including: *Paul Covey, Dave and Kathy Crowell, Bernard Holmes, Mary Lou Keith, Maxine Legters, Dorothy Meyerink, Esther Nickerson, Mike Rater's family, Billy Rick, Justin Svetz, Wilbur and Jo VanEarden and Ann Veal.*

Also continue to keep each of the older members of our congregation in your prayers.

Pray again this week for our congregation and our community as a whole. Remember *our Pastors, the Consistory, our Sunday School, the Teens On Fire Youth Group, Awana, REACH Ministry, MOPS, and Wee Care Preschool.*

Continue to pray for America. Remember to vote **this Tuesday**.

Continue to pray faithfully for the safety of our armed forces in and returning home from various combat zones and for the cause of peace in our world.

Remember again this week to pray for each of our missionaries and mission projects, especially remembering Dick and Carolyn Otterness in Hungary, as we ask that God will continue to bless their efforts as they reach out to others in Jesus' name.

Our thoughts and prayers are with Tim and Brenda Rater and the entire Rater family following the death of Tim's brother, Mike Rater, last week.

Thank you

A huge thank you to Cherrie Lictus & Countertop Solutions for donating and installing the beautiful granite countertop in the Women's Fellowship Hall restroom!!

The Kids Hope program would like to thank you for the opportunity to present our program and recruit from your members. I see this being a WIN-WIN for our community. We are excited to partner with you.

It's shoe box time again!!!!

Teens On Fire will be collecting shoe boxes for the Samaritan's Purse Operation Christmas Child program again this year. If you would like to participate, please pick up a box and instructions in the entry way of the church today. Boxes will be collected Sunday November 6th - Sunday November 13th. Please contact Greg or Stephanie White with any questions.

The **Sunday School** year is up and rolling! We are seeking volunteers to help the teachers as substitutes or helpers throughout the year. Each classroom has its own set of curriculum, and so stepping into the lesson plans will be much easier for those who fill in. This is a great way to engage with our children (ages 2 - high school!). Whether you are interested in a certain age group or comfortable with any, please sign up!!

American Heart Association Heartsaver CPR/AED course

What: Infant/Child/Adult CPR and AED Certification
When: Saturday, November 12th
Where: Abbe Reformed Church - Fellowship Hall
Time: 9:00am-12:00pm
Cost: Workbook \$14 (suggested for first-time students)
Pocket Mask \$10 (if you don't already own one)
CPR Certification Card \$5 (everyone must pay this fee)

Class size is limited, so please don't delay in signing up. Deadline for signing up is November 6th.

To sign up: add your name to the sign-up sheet at the back of the sanctuary or you may call: Dennis & Janet Heslink @ 355-4465 or Leanna Willink @ 499-4163

Do you have a passion for Christian education and children? Do you feel God calling you to serve in a new way this year?

If so, the Wee Care Christian Preschool Board would like you to consider joining us! We are looking for an Abbe member to fill the position vacant on the Preschool Board. Please see Laurie Holthouse for additional information or any questions. Thank you for praying about this opportunity and allowing the preschool to continue on the road to success!

Sherman Community Church's Annual Swiss Steak Dinner is being held Saturday, November 12th 4:30 PM until 6:30 PM in their Fellowship Hall at 107 Church Street, Sherman - Adults - \$9.00 Students - \$5.00 - Take outs are available

Information for *The Living Christmas Tree* performances to be held Friday, December 2 through Sunday, December 4 at the First Covenant Church in Jamestown is available on the poster at the entrance to the Fellowship Hall.

Today:

- 9:30 AM - Prayer Time
- 10:15 AM - Morning Worship
- 11:30 AM - Sunday School
- 7:00 PM - Bible Study

This Week:

- Tuesday - 7:30 PM - Consistory Meeting
- Wednesday - 6:15 PM - AWANA
 - 7:30 PM - Bell Choir Practice
 - 8:30 PM - Choir Practice
- Thursday - 1:30 PM - Ecumenical Women's Bible Study at Abbe
- Saturday - 9:00AM - Noon - American Heart Association *Heartsaver CPR/AED* course

SERVING THE LORD AND US THIS WEEK

- Acolytes Trent Shampoe and Jonathan Massing
- Ushers Eric Heil and Esther Nickerson
- Greeters Harvey Oonk
- Greeting Elder Lucinda Legters
- Nursery Lucinda Legters and Stephanie Jones
- Cameraperson Larry McCray
- Sound Volunteer Duane Williams

SERVING THE LORD AND US NEXT WEEK

- Acolytes Natalie White and Callie Willink
- Ushers Larry Gustafson and Doug Whitmore
- Greeters Larry and Charlotte Holmstrom
- Greeting Elder Harvey Oonk
- Nursery Cheryl Honey and Libby Heil
- Cameraperson Corey Massing
- Sound Volunteer Willowe Neckers

Shut in of the Week: Carol Neckers at Corry Manor

Missionaries of the Week: Dick and Carolyn Otterness in Hungary

Deacons report for October 30, 2016

General Fund	\$ 2,679.52
Benevolent	900.00
Major Projects	60.00
 Total Offering	 \$ 3,639.52

Attendance	105
Sunday School	76

Needed per Sunday to meet our Budget in 2016 is \$3,306.00 in the General Fund and \$922.00 in the Benevolent Fund. Needed to date in General is \$145,464.00 and \$40,568.00 in Benevolent.

Received for 44 Sundays is \$127,325.41 in the General Fund and \$37,555.00 in the Benevolent Fund.

Pastors Drop-in Office Hours

Pastors Kristen & Noah have office hours each week in their church study Tuesday 1-3:00 and Friday 10-11:30. Of course, you're always welcome to schedule a time to meet with us as well!

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