

**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: *Phil Bemis, Charlene Bensink, Cindy Gabriel, Thelma Heil, Steve Keith, Corey Massing, Dorothy Meyerink, Joann Munger, Billy Rick, Mary Rogers, Carletta Russell, Mary Schruers, Josie TenHuisen, Brandon VanCuren, Ann Veal and Brenda Wassink.*

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.

Continue to remember all those who are recovering from the effects of the recent hurricanes, the earthquake in Mexico and now the Las Vegas Massacre.

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.

Please remember as we get back into our fall routines here at Church that we are still meeting for prayer time before the service at 9:30 in the overflow area. All are welcome to join us as we lift up our prayers, praises and petitions to the Lord for our families, friends, Church, communities, country and World.

**Teens On Fire Youth Night:** This Saturday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, 6pm-8pm at Abbe Church

Next week we will welcome Rev. Dr. Timothy Brown, the President and Henry Bast Professor of Preaching at Western Theological Seminary. Abbe has supported the seminary for many years, and we're thrilled to experience Tim's wonderful preaching right here at home! Tim will also be baptizing Pastor Noah and Kristen's son, Micah. Please join in this wonderful Sunday!

Richard and Carolyn Otterness are retiring from their mission work in Hungary. As a thank-you to us for supporting them for many years, the Otterness's will join us in worship on October 22nd. Please bring a dish to pass and stick around for a potluck dinner with the Otterness's!

Mark your calendars! **Slugs & Bugs is coming to Abbe on Wednesday, November 8 at 6pm!** Randall Goodgame (former "Silly Song" writer for VEGGIETALES) is a former worship pastor and the driving force behind Slugs and Bugs. The concert is geared toward elementary school age children and their parents. Expect a joy-filled musical experience featuring animated videos, energetic vocals, and exuberant piano, guitar and mandolin instrumentals!

### **TRUNK or TREAT**

On Halloween night Tuesday, October 31st from 5:00-7:30pm, the third annual Trunk or Treat event will be held in the Abbe Reformed Church parking lot. Sponsored by the REACH Ministry and Teens on Fire Youth Group, this is a free community event that provides a fun and safe way for kids to collect treats in one friendly location. We hope to see you there!!

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** If you are willing to have some fun and host a trunk (or instead, donate candy), please contact: Amanda Stapels (716.969.2595), Amanda Willink (716.450.6483) or Leanna Willink (716.499.4163).

Hosting a trunk consists of bringing your vehicle (decorated if you are up for the challenge!) and providing treats to our community kids from your trunk. To offer a safe environment, please do not use scary decorations or hand out homemade treats. Plan for approximately 250-300 kids. In an effort to utilize the parking lot space accordingly, please RSVP and plan to arrive at the Abbe parking lot by 4pm. Thank you!!

**The REACH medical supply Loan Closet** has an ample supply of medical equipment available to our community.

If there should be a need for this kind of equipment in your family please contact: Nelson and Linda TeCrony at 716-355-6635 and we will be glad to assist you in any way that we can.

**Today:**

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

**This Week:**

Tuesday - 7:00 PM - Consistory Meeting  
Wednesday - 6:15 - AWANA  
8:00 PM - Choir Practice  
Saturday - 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM - Teens On Fire Youth Night

**SERVING THE LORD AND US THIS WEEK**

Acolytes Trent Shampoe  
Ushers Eric Heil and Esther Nickerson  
Greeters Lois King and Tina Rick  
Greeting Elder Laurie Holthouse  
Nursery Linnel TeCrony and Stephanie Jones  
Cameraperson Larry McCray  
Sound Volunteer Sonya Shampoe

**SERVING THE LORD AND US NEXT WEEK**

Acolytes Dayne Jantzi and Hunter Babcock  
Ushers Tina Rick  
Greeters Larry and Charlotte Holmstrom  
Greeting Elder Trudy Williams  
Nursery Willowe Neckers and Karen Bensink  
Cameraperson Michael Shampoe  
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 1, 2017**

General Fund \$ 2,205.00  
Benevolent 600.00  
Major Projects 250.00

Total Offering \$ 3,055.00

Attendance 104  
Sunday School 47

Needed per Sunday to meet our Budget in 2017 is \$3,230.00 in the General Fund and \$817.00 in the Benevolent Fund. Needed to date in General is \$129,200.00 and \$32,680.00 in Benevolent.

Received for 40 Sundays is \$144,792.29 in the General Fund and \$32,615.00 in the Benevolent Fund.

**Pastors Drop-in Office Hours**

Pastors Kristen & Noah have office hours each week in their church study Tuesday 9-11:00 and Friday 10-11:30. Of course, as always, welcome to schedule a time to meet with us as well!

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