# ""Seeking God for Passion to Know Him" Habakkuk 3:17-19 Faith is S\_\_\_\_\_ Taking God at His 1. With Faith We Can Choose to T\_\_\_\_\_ God in S\_\_\_\_\_ of our C\_\_\_\_\_. 2. Habakkuk Made a D to Rejoice in the LORD. Rejoice = *alaz* (means J\_\_\_\_\_ for J\_\_\_ !) Joy = giyl (means to S\_\_\_\_\_\_ A\_\_\_\_!) 3. Habakkuk Goes from being a W\_\_\_\_\_ to a 4. What are some of the R We as Christians have for R\_\_\_\_\_ with Grace = God Giving us what we N\_\_\_\_\_\_, Not what we D\_\_\_\_\_! H\_\_\_\_\_People H\_\_\_\_\_People? What do B\_\_\_\_\_People Do?



## THIS WEEK

#### TODAY 9-10

8:30 a.m.—Common Ground
8:30 a.m.—Elder Prayer
9:00 a.m.—Sunday School
Q & A time with Pastor Jesse
(Jr. High & older in Sanctuary)
9:30 a.m.—Prayer-Ushers &
Greeters in Church Office
9:45-10:00 a.m. Fellowship Time
10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship—
Pastor Jesse introduced &
will share his testimony
Communion

Noon—Fall Kick-Off Picnic 1:30 p.m.—Congregational Meeting to consider Issuing a Call to Jesse Bewley

MONDAY 9-11

9:00 a.m.—Staff Meeting *TUESDAY 9-12* 

7:00 a.m.—Elder Prayer

#### TUESDAY 9-12

Noon—Community Prayer

#### WEDNESDAY 9-13

3:00 p.m.—AWANA Prayer Time 3:45-5:00—FIRST DAY OF AWANA 6:00 p.m.—Midweek Prayer Service 6:30-8:00 p.m.—FROG (7th-8th) 7:00-8:30 p.m.—EDGE (9th-12th)

### FRIDAY 9-15

Office Closed

Women's Retreat at Hidden Acres

#### **SUNDAY 9-17**

8:40 a.m.—Common Ground 8:30 a.m.—Elder Prayer 9:00 a.m.—Sunday School 9:30 a.m.—Prayer-*Ushers & Greeters in Church Office* 9:45-10:00 a.m. Fellowship Time 10:00 a.m.—Morning Worship

# **REMINDERS**

## This Week

Nursery (9:00) Courtney & Amanda K. Nursery (10:00) Gale & Bev McNeese, Deb Kruger

Greeters: Jeff & Becky Nielsen

AWANA Cookies: Joan Johanson,

Brenda Smith, Kim Redenius

## Next Week

Nursery (9:00) Dennis, Lori, Shayna O.
Nursery (10:00) Rob & Kristin McNeese
Greeters: Ken & Beth Rasmussen
AWANA Cookies: Pat Ostermann,
Lizanne Engh, Ashleigh McNeese

# **GIVING UPDATE**

Weekly Budget: \$6,300 General Fund Offering—September 3: \$3,422.50

# **PRAYER REQUESTS**

Pray for these people with health issues or other concerns

David Peterson Evelyn Dallman Annie Horak Joey Units

Loella Perkins Josh Johnson Nancy Anderson June Tweed

- •For America to return to righteousness
- •God's wisdom and direction for our church family
- •Area Churches—including Christian Reformed Church and Pastor Joel DeBoer
- •Servicemen & women—including Kelly Anderson
- •Missionaries— Including Ritch Trca in Czech Republic
- •AWANA—The AWANA Team and the kids who attend.
- •Sunday School—Pre-School Class and Teachers—Amber Nielsen & Hannah Harmon
- •Life Group Leaders—including Dwight Anderson
- Pastor Stan and his family

# **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

# SEEK GOD FOR THE CITY 2017 — PICK UP YOUR GUIDE TODAY

We have 40-day prayer guides available on table in the foyer for everyone who wants to join us in targeted praying for our church and city and world. During these 40 days, Pastor Stan will be centering his teaching time each Sunday morning on that week's emphasis of prayer.

#### FALL MINISTRY KICKOFF AND PICNIC—TODAY

A special day to Kick-off our Ministries after the Summer. You won't want to miss it! We're having a picnic which will include fun and games for the kids. Pork loin sandwiches, ice cream and toppings, drinks, and table service will be provided. We are highlighting the ministries of our church and there will be opportunity to register the kids for AWANA, learn about our Sunday School classes, Life Groups and other opportunities. Please join us today in the Fellowship Hall following the Morning Service.

#### PLEASE SCHEDULE YOUR PHOTOGRAPHY SESSION—Septem-

ber 18th (Mon.), 19th (Tues.), 29th (Fri.), 30th (Sat.) and October 1st (Sun). We are hoping to have everyone in our church family included. Thank you to those of you who have already scheduled your Photo Session! Each family or individual that is photographed will get a free 8" x 10" portrait, a free church directory, and the opportunity to purchase additional photos from Life Touch. No one is obligated to make any purchase. Please sign up for a photography session at the table in the foyer today or online <a href="https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/y3v7vsx2/">https://booknow-lifetouch.appointment-plus.com/y3v7vsx2/</a>.

**OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**—It's time to start thinking about the Operation Christmas Child gift boxes once again! Check out the table in the foyer that has boxes that you can take to fill with goodies...It is also an opportunity to share the gospel with those same children! The flyers explain what would be some good choices for gifts and also instructions about items not to include in the boxes. Please return the filled boxes to the church.

**HERE WE GO!—AWANA BEGINS WEDNESDAY!** The AWANA Clubber list is growing, the AWANA Team is in place and we are ready to watch and see how the Lord will work in the lives of the kids He sends our way this year.

**PRAYER TIME** will be held at 3:00 p.m. for <u>anyone</u> who would like to come and pray with us for the AWANA Club each week.

**THE CHURCH BUS** will be at the elementary school at 3:40 to pick up the kids who need a ride. On those Wednesdays when school dismisses early, the church bus will be at the school at 3:40 to pick up kids who live on the west end of town and the church van will be at the Swimming Pool at 3:40 to pick up the kids who live on the east end of town that need a ride to the church.

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