

Worship Volunteers for Today

Worship Leader: Joe Adams **Children's Worship:** Karen Topping
Sound: Mike Randall **Library:** Marilyn Bush
Camera: Donna Randall **Welcome Center:** Jeanne Hendricks
Computer: Becky Shultz
Prayer Room: Malik Amandou **Nursery:** Jeanne H. & Nicole D.
Greeter: The Toppings

Worship Volunteers for Next Week

Worship Leader: Maureen Sweet **Children's Worship:** Dave Dykstra
Sound: Mike Randall **Library:** Linda Alverson
Camera: Donna Randall **Welcome Center:** Jeanne Hendricks
Computer: Becky Shultz
Prayer Room: Tom Beckwith **Nursery:** Melissa B. & Tami M.
Greeter: Carol VanderLaan

Our Leadership

Staff:

Rev. Wayne Otten
Drew Zuverink
Katia Timm
Melissa Behrenbrinker
Tom Nieboer

Elders:

Dave Alverson
John Lobbes
Malik Amandou
Tom Beckwith
Eric Behrenbrinker
Todd Hendricks

Deacons:

Dan Beers
Ed Verbrugge
Dave Dykstra
John Laninga
Mike Randall
Don Riemersma



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GIVING

Welcome to Worship!

Prelude

Welcome
Opening Scripture & Prayer

Worship Set

Congregational Prayer
Tithes & Offerings

Scripture: John 21:15-22
Sermon: The Thief of Joy—Rev. Wayne Otten

Song of Response

Jeong & Misook Gho Presentation

Announcements
Benediction

Closing Song

Dismissal

Upcoming Events...

Senior Bible Study
July 15, July 29, August 12, August 26

Prayer Group
Wednesdays @ 6:30p.

Men’s Bible Study
Thursdays @ 8:00a.

Prayer Service
July 6 @ 5:00p.

Elders & Consistory Meetings
July 14 @ 5:45p. & 6:45p.

Summer Outdoor Worship
July 27, August 31, and September 28

Summer Sunday School
June 22 – July 20

Building Fund Offering
July 27

Unity Family Meeting
July 27

Block Party
Wednesday, July 30 | 4pm—7pm

Sunday School Info Session
August 3

Ministry Team Meeting Sunday
August 10

Sunday School Kickoff
Septemeber 7

Welcome to Unity Reformed Church!

We are glad you’re here worshiping with us! If you are visiting and would like to learn more about Unity, please fill out an information card at our Welcome Center. Kid’s Worship Too is a special service for children ages 3 years through 2nd grade downstairs (in room #102) during the morning service. Kids are dismissed during the service.

Remember in Prayer...

Our Mission Partners	
Jeong & Misook Gho - Japan Pregnancy Resource Center The Servant Center - Grand Rapids	Talking Bibles International Boss & Missy Petit - LiftKids Haiti W. Michigan Teen/Adult Challenge
Our Family	
Ongoing Health Concerns Art Visser Ron Rysdyk Wilma Pursiful	Our Home-bound Members Ruth Topp - Storybook East Joyce Hoffman - Mission Point Carolyn Geers - Rivertown Ridge Char DeMaagd - Edison Manor Marilyn Nance - Metron Carolyn Jager - Home Art Visser - Greentree Connie Vanlier - Beacon Hill Judy Verstrate - Greentree Ruth Laninga - Commonwealth
Joe Adams Jerry Lam Deanna VanderWerf The Donker’s family members. Tom & Dorene Beckwith’s great grandson. Linda VanderLaan’s brother, Bob. John & Carolyn Lobbjes’ daughter, Tammy. Linda Alverson’s brother, Steve.	

Announcements...

Welcome to Worship!

This morning, Pastor Wayne will bring us God's word from the book of John. We also welcome Jeong and Misook Gho who will be doing a presentation during the service about their mission work. We invite you to stick around for fellowship and charcuterie after the service!

Block Party!

Our annual block party will take place on Wednesday, July 30 from 4pm to 7pm. Join us, and invite your friends and neighbours to enjoy food, drinks, activities, a photo booth, a bounce house and more.

Senior Bible Study

The dates for senior bible study this summer are as follows:
July 15, July 29, August 12, August 26

Building Fund Offering

Please note, the next building fund offering will be July 27.

Summer Outdoor Worship

Mark your calendars for our upcoming outdoor worship services! Bring a blanket or a chair, a jacket (if you need it), and your coffee and plan on join us on the lawn for outdoor worship on the following Sundays: May 25, June 29, July 27, August 31, and September 28.

Summer Sunday School

Pastor Drew's summer Sunday school class on 'Evangelism' continues. Please read chapter 5 for next week.

Summer Learning with Love INC

Are you interested in learning more about what God is doing in and through the church? Do you desire to be better equipped to serve? Do you want to learn more about poverty in our local community? Please join Love INC for a free summer class, Poverty Redeemed, where we discuss these questions and look at the Word together. Questions? Contact Love INC at loveincskc@gmail.com or 616-816-5683. Poverty Redeemed is five Tuesdays, starting July 8 and going through August 5. 6:30pm at Grace Reformed Church, 3330 Burlingame SW. All welcome.



Get Involved...

We have many opportunities to get involved in the life of our church. Below are some areas we would love extra hands.

Adult Sunday School Teacher Needed:

We're looking for someone to take over teaching Tom Nieboer's adult Sunday School class. If anyone is interested, please speak to either Pastor Wayne or Pastor Drew.

CommUNITY Pantry

This ministry serves our neighbors and community by offering grocery basics as well as household cleaning supplies and personal hygiene supplies. There are two ways you can help out: food donations and volunteering for a shift to work in our pantry. If you'd like more information, please see Jackie Russell.

Current Pantry needs: sugar, flour, vegetable oil, crackers, and cereal

Summer Kid's Worship – Volunteers Needed!

Our Children's Church is in full swing, and we'd love your help! We've updated the curriculum to make things easier and more engaging for both leaders and kids. Even helping out for just one week makes a big difference! And with summer just around the corner, we're also gearing up for an exciting season focused on spiritual growth for our youngest members. If you're interested in teaching a class or two (curriculum provided), sign up at the Youth & Family Ministries table. Questions? Reach out to Drew or Elaine—we'd love to connect with you!

From The Pantry Team

Thanks to everyone who signed up to provide food for the pantry every week. If you signed up, please remember to bring your items. We would appreciate your prayers for Unity's food pantry and for all who come in to use it. Thank you!