

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

Youth Group meets tonight at 5:30 pm in the Ed Building. Bring your devotional book.

Saturday we will have a **memorial service** for Debbie Banta's husband, Norm, at 10:30 am. We welcomed Debbie as a member of FCF last month. We invite and encourage everyone to come support the Banta family in this service of remembering and mourning, and also celebrating the hope we have that in Christ, death does not have the final word.

Summer Family Fun and Inspiration - Cascade Family Bible Camp – July 4-8 – Warm Beach Camp, near Stanwood, WA. online: <https://cascadefamilybiblecamp.org/registration-info> or contact rona718@hotmail.com, dean@lithocraft.com if you have questions. 'First Timer' discounts are available for those who haven't attended in the past!

Thriving Essentials Overview Webinar - April 30 - Thriving Essentials is a training course for elders, deacons, church staff, and any volunteer ministry leader. This one-hour webinar will give you an overview of what the full 4-hour course involves, including discussions on key concepts of Mission, Discipleship, Discernment, and Leadership. Attend this preview on April 30 (11am EDT) to see if the full course is right for your church. Get more info at crcna.org/essentials

PRAYER PETITIONS AND PRAISES

PETITIONS—Pray for:

- Those who don't know Jesus to know his love for them
- Many in our congregation who are mourning the loss of siblings, parents, spouses
- Those who deal with constant or chronic pain and need healing
- Petra's father, Benny, who has a spot on his chest and for Beverly who is dealing with health issues.
- A new job and income to pay bills and also need to see a specialist for medical issues
- Healing for Barbara and Bryan (Palmer)
- Comfort and peace for kids/friends of a teacher killed last week
- Nephew Paul (and his family) who serves in Amman Jordan in the U.S. Embassy

PRAISES—Give praise and thanks for:

- The redeeming blood of Jesus

Welcome to Faith Community Fellowship

April 21, 2024

Sunday School 9:15 am

Worship 10:30 am

Nothing
but the
Blood
of Jesus



Propitiation by the Blood Romans 3:21-26

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We Gather for Worship

Welcome and God's Greeting

Call to Worship

*Blessed Assurance
His Mercy is More*

Heidelberg Catechism

Jesus Paid it All

Congregational Life Updates

Offering

Congregational Prayer

I Will Sing of My Redeemer

Propitiation by the Blood Romans 3:21-26

My Worth is Not In What I Own

Sending & God's Blessing

It Was Finished Upon that Cross

Welcome! We're glad you're here! May you experience God's goodness and grace here today. After the service, please join us for coffee and potluck lunch.

A nursery is provided for infants and toddlers through age 3, located in the hallway.

Children's Bulletins are available for young children.

Greeters: Elaine & Julie

Coffee Servers: Marlene

Nursery:

Propitiation by the Blood—Romans 3:21-26

“God presented Christ as a *sacrifice of atonement (propitiation)*, through the shedding of his blood—to be received by faith.” (*Romans 3:25, NIV*)

Intro—God: Wrath or Love?

Propitiation:

3 truths to grasp today:

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Understanding God's Wrath

Sin and Holiness

“God's wrath is his holy hostility toward sin and his just anger toward anything that violates his holiness. It is his righteous reaction against unrighteousness.” Justin Holcomb, *On the Grace of God*

The object of God's wrath:

Ephesians 2:25—wrath meets love

Atonement/Propitiation by the Blood

Atonement:

Leviticus 17:11

Hebrews 9:11-28

The cross: God's _____ focused on the malignancy of _____;
where God's _____ and God's _____ meet uncompromised

Good News: Where sin is _____, there is no longer _____

Spotlight Ministry of the Month:

The Ministry we'll be specifically praying for this month is:

CRCNA

The Christian Reformed Church of North America is a diverse family of congregations, assemblies, and ministries. We are called to express the good news of God's kingdom that transforms lives and communities. Our denominational ministries and initiatives reflect our five-fold calling. We seek to carry out this calling individually and as congregations in the firm belief that together we can do more.

Faith Formation

As a community of believers, we seek to introduce people to Jesus Christ and to nurture their faith through all ages and stages of life.

Servant Leadership

Understanding that the lifelong equipping of leaders is essential for churches and ministries to flourish, we identify, recruit and train leaders to be servants in the Kingdom of God.

Global Mission

Called to be witnesses of Christ's Kingdom to the ends of the earth, we start and strengthen local churches in North America and around the world.

Mercy and Justice

Hearing the cries of the oppressed, forsaken and disadvantaged, we seek to act justly and love mercy as we walk humbly with our God.

Gospel Proclamation and Worship

Believing that faith comes through the hearing of God's Word, we proclaim the saving message of Jesus Christ and seek to worship him in all that we do.

The MISSION of CRCNA:

We gather to praise God, listen to him, and respond.

We nurture each other in faith and obedience to Christ.

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