WORSHIP SERVICE

APRIL 2, 2017 AT 10 AM

Welcome to Unity Church! If you are a guest with us today, we are happy to have you and we hope you will join us again. Child care is available in our nursery. Please join us after worship downstairs for refreshments and a time of fellowship with one another.

Prelude-Unified: Great Are You Lord

Men's Chorus: His Love

Welcome /Call to Worship: Lenten Reading - David Dykman Family

*Greeting

*Opening Songs:

All Glory, Laud and Honor - PH#375 vs 1,3

God of This City

Children's Message by Steve Noordeloos

(Children are dismissed for Kingdom Kids)

Congregational/Offertory Prayer

Offertory: Ministry of Music

Offerings: 1st: General Fund

2nd: Tuition Assistance Fund

(Guests are invited to fill out the visitor cards and

place them in the offering plate.)

Scripture: Psalm 130:1-2 (pg.969)

Sermon: From the Depths

*Song of Response: It Is Well -CH#705 vs 1,3

Communion

*The Lord's Blessing

Postlude-Unified: How He Loves

PH = Gray Psalter Hymnal

CH = Red Celebration Hymnal

* = Please stand if you are able

Sue Martin, organ
Unified Praise Team
Pastor AJ Santino, worship leader

Growing in Christ in Unity-Loving and Serving the Community!

PRAYER, PRAISE & THANKSGIVING/ANNOUNCEMENTS

We extend our Christian sympathy to **Nick and Norma Hagedoorn** on the passing of Norma's sister, Alena Sietsma Kuiphoff.

Please continue to pray for **Priscilla Nyman** who is recovering from a kidney transplant. She is in need of meals and also rides twice a week to St. Barnabas in Livingston. This coming week she needs rides on Monday and Thursday and next week on Tuesday, April 11 and Friday, April 14th. If you are able to help please see Leslie De Jong.

Continue to remember Jeni's Boonstra's step-mother, Holly in your prayers. She has been diagnosed with aggressive breast cancer and will begin chemotherapy soon. Please pray for patience, strength and healing and for wisdom for the doctors. Pray also and for her father, Clay.

Congratulations to **Dot Woudenberg** who will be celebrating her 92nd birthday on April 24th.

Soledad Afonso would like to thank the congregation for the cards she received for her 85th birthday. She appreciated your kindness!

The **Good Shepherd Mission** program has concluded for the spring. We give thanks to the many volunteers for their willingness to help with this ministry. Continue to pray for the program and the men who attend.

The next **Booster Club Meeting** is scheduled for Tuesday, <u>April 4</u> at Leslie's house at 7:15PM. Please let Leslie know if you cannot attend.

Unity is in charge of ESL on Saturday, <u>April 8th</u>. We need volunteers for childcare (1 hour slots) and conversation from 11-11:30. Please sign up on the sheet downstairs or see Ray & Jule Martin.

Women' Coffee Break will not meet this week. We will resume on April 12th.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! For Unity Booster Clubs BAKED POTATO DINNER and Trivia Night! Friday, April 28th at 6 PM. Enjoy a delicious baked potato with hearty toppings, salad and dessert. Have fun socializing over trivia questions that test the knowledge of those at your table (prizes for the winners!). Please SIGN UP ASAP on the sheet downstairs so we know how many to plan for!

SUNDAY VOLUNTEER SCHEDULE/ANNOUNCEMENTS

HOST SCHEDULE

Today: Betty Dykman **Next Week:** Ruth Everett

COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

Today: Glenn & Jill Boonstra Next Week: Bob & Leslie De Jong

Refreshments next week: Julia M., Laura S., Leslie DJ

OFFERING SCHEDULE:

Next week: GEMS

Special Offering for April: Bethany Christian Services

AUDIO/VISUAL SCHEDULE

Today: Brian, Chad, Jon

Next Week: Brian, Matt, Jarrett

PRAYER TEAM SCHEDULE

Today: Steve N., Mark & Linda E. Next Week: Fred & Ruth Everett

COMBINED EVENING WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Today: Faith Community CRC @ 6PM Next week: Midland Park CRC @ 6PM

DAILY READING BIBLE PLAN

Monday: 1 Samuel 5-6 Tuesday: Luke 9

Wednesday: 1 Samuel 7-8 Thursday: 1 Samuel 9-10 Friday: 1 Samuel 11-12 Saturday: 1 Samuel 13 Sunday: 1 Samuel 14

Next week is **Faith Promise Sunday**. Please remember our missionaries through your prayer and financial support.

Summer Playground dates have been set. We will meet on the following Wednesday evenings: June 28, July 5, July 12 and July 19. Same format as last year. Watch for more information and sign-ups.

CHURCH/CALENDAR

TODAY	9:30AM	Prayer Meeting
	10:00AM	Worship Service
	11:30AM	Adult Bible Class
	11:30AM	Sunday School & Catechism
	6:00PM	Youth Group
	6:00PM	Amplified
MONDAY	3:00PM	Intercessory Prayer Group
	7:00PM	Cadets
TUESDAY	7:15PM	Booster Club
WEDNESDAY	7:00PM	GEMS
THURSDAY	7:00PM	Men's Chorus
	8:00PM	Discipleship Class
SATURDAY	9:30AM	ESL
SUNDAY	9:30AM	Prayer Meeting
	10:00AM	Worship Service
	11:30AM	Adult Bible Class
	11:30AM	Sunday School & Catechism

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

The combined evening worship service at Faith Community CRC <u>tonight</u> will be a service of remembrance. We will explore themes of grief, comfort, and hope as we reflect on those we love who have gone on to be with the Lord. This service is being planned by, and will be co-led by, Pastor KC Vande Streek of Faith Community CRC and Rev. Mary Stegink of Ridgewood CRC.

Don't miss New Hope Community Ministries' event of the year! You are cordially invited to our **10th Annual Hearts of Hope Fundraising Dinner**. Every year, we gather to celebrate the amazing work God is doing through New Hope. We hear firsthand from the participants whose lives are transformed through this ministry. We envision the future and rally our resources to make dreams become reality. We hope you will join us this year on April 5 from 6:00PM - 9:00PM at The Tides Estate (1245 Belmont Ave, North Haledon, NJ). Individual tickets are \$60. Table sponsorships are available. Please visit www.newhopecmnj.org or contact Jen Williams, jen@newhopecmnj.org for more information. Thank you for your prayers and support.