

MORNING WORSHIP

Prelude	Offering 1st Ministries Fund
*Call to Worship	2nd Missions Fund
*Songs of Praise	Scripture 1 John 5:1-13 p. 1281
<i>All Who Are Thirsty</i> Screens	Message <i>Really Knowing You Are Really Saved</i>
<i>Before the Throne of God Above</i>	Congregational Response to God's Word
<i>Blessed Assurance</i> Gray 490	*Parting Blessing
<i>Jesus Paid It All</i> Blue 305	*Closing Praise
God's Greeting & Mutual Greeting	<i>I Will Rise</i> Screens
Congregational Update	*Postlude
Prayer Time	

MORNING WORSHIP FOCUS

Can we be sure we are going to Heaven when we die? There are many Christians who wish they were more sure of their salvation, but don't know how to be sure of it. There are those who mistakenly believe we can't be sure of this. Verse 13 of our passage is very clear that we can be. On the other hand there are many who mistakenly believe they are saved when they aren't, and they will learn the horrible truth on Judgement Day. The epistle of 1 John describes reliable tests of the genuineness of our salvation, and our passage summarizes those tests with the three-fold testimony of the Spirit, the water, and the blood.

"I write these things to you who believe in the name of the Son of God so that you may know that you have eternal life." 1 John 5:13

Hearing assistance is available.

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CHILDREN/ NURSERY INFO

Nursery: children birth-3 years at end of the east hall
Sunday School: available for kindergarten-adults from 11:00 - 12:00 from September - May.

Ministries Fund Deacon Report

	<u>May 6, 2018</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Budget	\$ 3,773.26	\$ 67,918.68
Collections received	\$ 3,160.00	\$ 47,641.00
Difference	(\$ 613.26)	(\$ 20,277.68)



We are called to love God wholeheartedly and to love others by leading them to commitment and maturity in Jesus Christ.

May 13, 2018



**Welcome to Comstock
Christian Reformed Church**

Our desire is that you find this fellowship a place of true worship and community.
Let us know if we can assist you in any way. It is our joy to serve you!

PRAYER CONCERNS & PRAISES

-Pray for **Linda Hinds** as she waits to have another procedure to correct her AFib.
-Pray for those close to our church who are struggling with cancer—our missionary **Lauren Markel** with a tumor and **Alex Silva**.

Birthdays This Week

Sammy Gano, Jeremy Smit,
Marianne Gardner

I would like to thank all of you for the many prayers and well wishes for Amy, Pearl (mom), for my family and myself
Sincerely Linda Hinds

The DenHartigh family would like to thank Comstock Christian Reformed Church, Pastor Ben, and all the members who visited our dad over the years. John and Ann DenHartigh, Will DenHartigh

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Today 9:30 AM Worship
11:00 AM Sunday School
Monday 6:00 PM Hobby Night
Tuesday 7:00 PM Council
8:00 PM Deacons
Thursday 9:00 AM Power in Prayer
Friday 6-11 PM Hobby Weekend
Saturday 9AM-3PM Hobby Weekend
Sunday 9:30 AM Worship
11:00 AM Sunday School

OUR GIVING

Morning Offering

The first offering is for our **Ministries Fund**, which allows us to effectively carry out the ministries of our church. Our second collection this morning is for **Benevolence Fund**, which helps us assist those in need in our church and our broader community.

Next week our second offering will be for **Ministry Shares**.

Comstock Food Pantry

For May we will collect **canned meats and tuna, pasta and spaghetti sauce**. Your donations are greatly appreciated and can be placed on the table in the entranceway.

Thank you from the Deacons

ANNOUNCEMENTS

In your mailboxes you will find a copy of the process Pastor Church Resources provides for making the time of an STM's ministry as productive as possible for a congregation. The first part of the process begins with identifying and setting goals together. Eventually Pastor Dan and the Council will find ways to discuss possible goals for the transition period with the members of the congregation. Perhaps you would like to get a head start by studying them yourself in the next months, and perhaps even discussing them with others in the congregation.

True Hoops Basketball Camp Kids! We will be making Basketball Camp Posters today during Sunday School 11:45 to 12:00 All supplies will be provided just come with your Great Ideas 11:45 - 12:00 in the Fellowship Hall. We had really good response through the community for our artwork last year.. lets get the word out!

Tom and Ann Triemstra have graciously offered to host a number of informal "get acquainted" social gatherings with Dan and Mary Brouwer. The first three have been scheduled on May 16, 24, and 31 at 7:00 PM at their residence at 6914 Hunter's Stream. There are sign up sheets available in the church narthex.

HOSPITALITY SERVICES

This Week		Next Week	
Nursery	Jan Larkin & Cherie Van	Nursery	Becky Smith & Lexi Hinds
Library	Mardell Terpstra	Library	Mardell Terpstra
Welcome Center	Mike & Karen Tiesman	Welcome Center	Sue Raskin
Fellowship Cookies	Morrie & Benton French	Fellowship Cookies	Bob & Meredith Gano
Praise Team	Chris Huff, Jared Jones	Praise Team	Sammy Gano, Grace Triemstra, Randy Weststrate
Audio/Visual	Mark Terpstra	Audio/Visual	Jim & Tina Slager