



**April 8, 2018**

**9:30 am • Pastor Ryan Boes • 1 John 1:1-2:2**

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## ***Loving God, Serving People***

**We welcome you into our community and our lives.** Following this morning's worship, we invite you to join us for a cup of coffee in the Fellowship Hall.

### **Babies & Young Children**

A nursery for children 2 years and younger is next to the kitchen off of the Fellowship Hall. Children, 3, 4, and 5 years old who have not started Kindergarten will be dismissed before the sermon to room 27 for Preschool Church Hour.

### **Aids to Worship**

Hearing assistance devices are available in the narthex. Please ask our greeters for assistance.



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# 9:30 worship

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**Prelude:** *Come, People of the Risen King*

## **Welcome**

**\*Song:** *Come, People of the Risen King*

words & music: Keith Getty, Kristyn Getty  
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Come, people of the Risen King,  
who delight to bring Him praise;  
come all and tune your hearts to sing  
to the Morning Star of grace.  
From the shifting shadows of the earth  
we will lift our eyes to Him,  
where steady arms of mercy reach  
to gather children in.

*Rejoice, Rejoice! Let every tongue rejoice!  
One heart, one voice; O Church of Christ, rejoice!*

Come, those whose joy is morning sun,  
and those weeping through the night;  
come, those who tell of battles won,  
and those struggling in the fight.  
For His perfect love will never change,  
and His mercies never cease,  
but follow us through all our days  
with the certain hope of peace.

### *Refrain*

Come, young and old from every land—  
men and women of the faith;  
come, those with full or empty hands—  
find the riches of His grace.  
Over all the world, His people sing—  
shore to shore we hear them call  
the truth that cries through every age:  
“Our God is all in all.”

### *Refrain*

**\*We Receive God’s Greeting**

**\*Song:** *Celtic Alleluia*

Green Songbook 148

**\*We Greet One Another**

\*Please stand if you are able.

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## Children's Time

(Children in the Preschool Church Hour Class dismissed to Room 27.)

### **\*We Confess Our Faith: The Apostles' Creed**

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
creator of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit  
and born of the virgin Mary.  
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried;  
he descended to hell.  
The third day he rose again from the dead.  
He ascended to heaven  
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty.  
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy catholic church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.

**\*Song:** *In Christ Alone*

Red Hymnal 770

### **Prayers of the People, concluded with the Lord's Prayer**

Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name,  
your kingdom come,  
your will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.  
And forgive us our debts,  
as we also have forgiven our debtors.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from the evil one.  
For yours is the kingdom,  
and the power,  
and the glory, forever.  
Amen.

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**We Present our Gifts & Offerings for:** The Lord's work through AACRC

**Choral Offertory:** *We Will Extol You God and King*

Red Hymnal 562  
Savior Servant Singers

**Scripture Reading:** 1 John 1:1-2:2

**Message:** "New Creation, Sin, and Sacrifice"

**Silent Reflection for Confession and Community**

**\*The Great Prayer of Thanksgiving**

Red Hymnal 811

**We Celebrate the Lord's Supper**

**Institution and Invitation**

**Communion**

This morning we celebrate communion. All who love Jesus Christ, trust in him alone for their salvation, and agree to be his disciple are invited to join with us in this celebration.

With thanks and joy, take the bread and dip it into the cup. If you are unable to proceed to the front of the sanctuary to partake of communion, remain seated and the elements will be brought to you.

**Communion Song:** *What the Lord Has Done in Me*

Red Hymnal 800

**\*Prayer of Thanksgiving**

**Choir:** *I'm Gonna to Live So God Can Use Me*

Savior Servant Singers  
Red Hymnal 854

**\*We Receive God's Parting Blessing**

**\*Doxology:** *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Red Hymnal 965

**\*Postlude:** *The Day of Resurrection*

David Cherwien

Pastors: Ryan Boes, John Groen

Worship Team: Victor Chen, Veena Kulkarni, Jan Musch, Nolan Rector-Brooks,  
Don Streng, Teresa Streng, Mike Wilson, Carolyn Wurster, Joe Yunkman

Savior Servant Singers: Margaret Baker, Barbara Trevethan

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### Sunday Morning • 9:30 am

- Preacher: Ryan Boes
- Lectionary Texts:  
I John 1:1-2:2; Acts 4:32-35;  
Psalm 133: John 20:19-31

### Youth Ministry

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- 10:50–Sunday School (pre-K through 1st grade) in Youth Room
- 10:50–Savior Servant Singers in Room 19
- 11:10 AM–Middle School Sunday School in Rooms 12-13
- 11:10–REACH in Room 11
- 11:50–Sunday School Dismissal

### Adult Sunday School • 11:10 am

- In Room 24, see inside.
- In Room 18, continuing study of Galatians, led by Tom Trevethan and George Lindquist
- Downstairs in Room 17, BESEL Sunday School, studying the Bible in English, sing Gospel songs in different languages. Teachers: Mark and Naomi Nah Schult, Yang Liu, Jukie Wilson.

### Sunday Morning • 9:30 am

- Guest Preacher: Professor Matthew Tuininga, see inside
- Luke 4:14-30
- Special offering will be received for Habitat for Humanity

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# announcements & reminders

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## **You Are Invited**

The congregation is invited to the wedding ceremony of Melissa Kloostra and Eric Hartenstein on Saturday, April 14, 2018, at 2:00 pm.

## **Adult Ed • Today Health and Spirituality**

The UM Medical School recently launched a program on “health, spirituality, and religion,” with the premise that “patient-centered care depends on the ability of a provider to effectively communicate with patients regarding the values and the beliefs that are important in their lives.” The Joint Commission (that accredits hospitals) requires all patients being admitted to an acute care hospital to have a spiritual assessment. Come to hear from and interact with a panel of our congregation’s care providers on how this is being addressed in practice, and bring along your perspectives as potential future patients.

## **Guest Preacher & Adult Ed April 15**

Professor Matthew Tuininga, a John Calvin scholar who teaches Moral Theology at Calvin Theological Seminary, will bring Calvin’s teachings on social justice into the here-and-now, explaining why they matter to the church today within the contemporary American context, especially with respect to the current challenges of poverty. Time for questions will be included.

## **Special Offering**

Next Sunday, April 15, there will be a special offering for the House of Faith that our church is sponsoring through Habitat for Humanity. Our church has pledged \$2,500.00 for this project. Please prayerfully consider how you can give toward this project.

## **Vital Worship Team Weekly Email**

The Vital Worship Team has started a weekly news and reflection email. We’d like to include you in the wonderings we are having. We are using Mail Chimp to send these out so that you can read them easily on your personal devices. If you haven’t seen one yet, you might want to check your spam folder and add [vitalworship@aacrc.org](mailto:vitalworship@aacrc.org) to your address book. Thanks for joining us on this journey.

## **Gray Matters**

Our next Gray Matters meeting will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 PM, April 11, 2018 in the Church Adult Education Room #24. We will celebrate “Hymns and Hobbies.” The meeting will begin with a hymn sing followed by a time of sharing our hobbies, interests, and things we enjoy doing as seniors.

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## **Kitchen Spring Cleanup**

Wednesday, April 25, 9 AM to 2 PM.  
Come anytime for an hour or two or all day. Bring a bag lunch if you plan to work during that time. RSVP Marilyn Cummins: cumminsmv@gmail.com  
Once a year we empty cupboards, freezer and refrigerator and scrub every shelf and drawer. Everything is inventoried before it is returned to its place.

## **Kitchen Linens**

Volunteers are needed to wash the kitchen linens. There is a signup sheet on the bulletin board in the kitchen.  
Thanks!

## **Muslim Community Association Open House**

The Muslim Community Association of Ann Arbor is hosting their annual Open House on Sunday, April 15, 3-7pm. You and your members are welcome to attend. Join us for a tour of the mosque, meet our new Imam, and sample diverse, home-cooked food. We hope you can join us! contact Kristen Schotts at [kschottsie@gmail.com](mailto:kschottsie@gmail.com).

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## AACRC Weekly Calendar

### Today, April 8

9:30 AM Morning Worship  
10:50 AM Sunday School  
11:10 AM Adult Ed  
Noon Soup Group

### Monday, April 9

6:30 AM AA New Awakening

### Tuesday, April 10

6:30 AM AA New Awakening  
9:30 AM & 1:30 PM Coffee Break  
7:00 PM Band/Vocal Team Rehearsal

### Wednesday, April 11

6:30 & 8:00 AM Men's Prayer & Study  
6:30 AM AA New Awakening  
1:30 PM Gray Matters  
7:00 PM Adult Choir

### Thursday, April 12

6:30 AM AA New Awakening  
10:00 AM Morning Prayer Group  
10:00 AM Crafters

### Friday, April 13

6:30 AM AA New Awakening

### Saturday, April 14

10:00 AM Roots Service Project  
2:00 PM Kloostra/Hartenstein Wedding

### Sunday, April 15

9:30 AM Morning Worship  
10:50 AM Sunday School  
11:10 AM Adult Ed

## Assisting Next Week 4/8

### Coffee Servers

9:30 Don & Marie Heys  
Al & Mary Staal

### Nursery

9:30 Ross & Deb Weener  
Nicole Michmerhuizen  
Titia VanderMolen

### Preschool Church Hour

9:30 Lyndsey Chisholm  
Andrea Bennink  
Zannah Baker, Kira Brehob

## Assisting Next Week 4/15

### Coffee Servers

9:30 Myung & Jihee Kim  
Grant & Sarita Schoenebeck

### Nursery

9:30 Sue De Zeeuw  
John & Rachel Bush

### Preschool Church Hour

9:30 De Anna Stephenson  
Yang Liu, Jack Stephenson  
Eva Doorlag

### Communion Servers

9:30 TBA  
Tom & Claudia Larson



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