

**“Holy,
holy, holy
is the Lord God
Almighty,
who was,
and is, and is
to come.”**

Revelation 4:8

January 20, 2019

9:30 am • Pastor Ryan Boes • Exodus 20

We are a purposeful community transformed by the love of God and engaging the world with the grace and truth of Jesus through the practice of Christian hospitality.

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.



Ann Arbor Christian Reformed Church

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9:30 worship

We Gather to Worship the Triune God

Prelude: *Heaven Meets Earth*

David Leonard, Leslie Jordan

***Song:** *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty*

Red Hymnal 538

***Call to Worship/God's Greeting**

***Song:** *Only a Holy God* Dustin Smith, Jonny Robinson, Michael Farren, Rich Thompson
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Who else commands all the hosts of heaven
Who else could make every king bow down
Who else can whisper and darkness trembles
Only a Holy God

What other beauty demands such praises
What other splendour outshines the sun
What other majesty rules with justice
Only a Holy God

*Come and behold Him
The One and the Only
Cry out sing holy
Forever a Holy God
Come and worship the Holy God*

What other glory consumes like fire
What other power can raise the dead
What other name remains undefeated
Only a Holy God

Who else could rescue me from my failing
Who else would offer His only Son
Who else invites me to call Him Father
Only a Holy God
Only my Holy God

***We Greet One Another**

We Are Renewed by the Spirit

Children's Time

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

***Nicene Creed**

Red Hymnal 806

*Please stand if you are able.

***Song:** *Oceans (Where Feet May Fail)* Joel Houston, Matt Crocker, Salomon Ligthelm
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You call me out upon the waters
The great unknown where feet may fail
And there I find You in the mystery
In oceans deep my faith will stand

*And I will call upon Your name
And keep my eyes above the waves
When oceans rise
My soul will rest in Your embrace
For I am Yours and You are mine*

Your grace abounds in deepest waters
Your sov'reign hand will be my guide
Where feet may fail and fear surrounds me
You've never failed and You won't start now

Oh and You are mine oh

Spirit lead me where my trust is without borders
Let me walk upon the waters
Wherever You would call me
Take me deeper than my feet could ever wander
And my faith will be made stronger
In the presence of my Saviour

Refrain

Prayers of the People

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

Choral Offertory: *Come to the Light*

David Rasbach

The whole world was lost in the darkness of sin;
the Light of the world is Jesus.
Like sunshine at noonday his glory shone in.
The Light of the world is Jesus.

*Come to the Light; 'tis shining for thee.
Sweetly the Light has dawned upon me.
Once I was blind, but now I see
the Light of the world is Jesus.*

Ye dwellers in darkness with sin-blinded eyes,
the Light of the world is Jesus.
Go wash at his bidding and light will arise!
The Light of the world is Jesus.

We Are Fed by God's Word and Table

Scripture Reading: Exodus 20

Message: "The Darkness"

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 Songs:

<i>O Lord, You Are My Light</i>	Red Hymnal 773
<i>This Is My Father's World</i>	Red Hymnal 21
<i>My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less</i>	Red Hymnal 772

***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

We Go Out in God's Peace

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

Doxology: *O Love That Will Not Let Me Go Red Hymnal 457

***Postlude**

Preacher: Pastor Ryan Boes

Worship Team: Pastor Noah Livingston, Victor Chen,
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Christine De Zeeuw, Jan Musch, AACRC Choir, Paul Herrema (Choir Director)

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today

next sunday • Jan. 27

Sunday Morning • 9:30 am

- Preacher: Pastor Ryan Boes
- Scripture: Exodus 20

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- Preacher: Pastor John Groen
- Scripture: Genesis 12:1-4
- A special offering will be received for Ann Arbor Christian School
- Big House Sunday: "The Year in Culture"

New to Ann Arbor or AACRC?

- If you would like to be added to our weekly email, Connections, or have a mailbox assigned, please contact Rachel in the church office: office@aacrc.org.
- Have you heard about our House Groups? We would love to have you join us for a time of fellowship and studying God's Word in a small group format. Groups meet at various times. Contact Ross Weener for more information: rweener@aacrc.org.



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Youth Faith Formation (10:50-11:50)

- Nursery (Infants through 2 years old)
- Preschool (3 and 4 year olds) in room 27
- Sonshine Singers (K/1st) in room 28, then dismissed directly to room 29
- Shepherd's Singers (2nd – 5th) in Room 23, then dismissed directly to rooms, room 21 (2nd/3rd) and room 22 (4th/5th)
- Savior Servant Singers (6th-12th) in room 19, then dismissed directly to rooms, room 13 (6th), room 12 (7th/8th), youth room (high school)

Adult Faith Formation (10:50-11:50)

- House Groups, our small group bible studies, will be resuming on Sunday, February 10.
- BESEL: Downstairs, room 17 study the Bible in English, sing Gospel songs in different languages with Mark Schult & Naomi Nah Schult, Yang Liu, Jukie Wilson.

announcements & reminders

Special Offering

A special offering will be received on Sunday, January 27 for Ann Arbor Christian School which provides Christian education for preschool through 8th grade.

Rotating Shelter - Sign Up Now!

For many years our church has supported the Shelter Association of Washtenaw County (<http://annarborshelter.org/>) by participating in its Rotating Shelter Program, which involves hosting 25 men who are without a home at our church for one week. This year our church is hosting the Shelter during two separate weeks: February 4-11 and March 4-11. For both weeks, volunteers will be needed to provide transportation, stay overnight, and provide snacks/meals for our guests at church.

The volunteer sign-up for the February 4-11 week is now available online (<https://bit.ly/2Fb3RqX>) and in the Fellowship Hall. We encourage you to prayerfully consider how you can participate in this Oikos ministry to our community. If you have any questions or want more information, please contact Todd Redder (tredder@limno.com), Phil Palmbo (ppalmbo@med.umich.edu) or Scott Stephenson (jscottstephenson@gmail.com).

Your Pastoral Staff

- Pastor John will be on vacation from January 12 - January 21. He will be back in the office on Tuesday, January 22.
- Contact information for Pastor Noah and Pastor Kristen:

1100 Ravenwood St.
Ann Arbor, MI 48103

Emails: noah@aacrc.org,
kristen@aacrc.org

Big House Sunday (1/27): The Year In Culture

What does the wild success of Marvel super-hero movies have to tell us about the culture that we find ourselves immersed in? We'll discuss that, plus other facets of movies, music, TV, and books.

Save the Dates

- February 10: Installation service for Pastor Noah and Pastor Kristen @ 4:30 PM
- February 17: Groen Farewell Event @ 5:00 PM. Details can be found on the flyer in your church mailbox.

Is Your Church Directory Photo Outdated?

Our church is working on updating the individual and family photos in our online church directory. There are two options for doing this:

- Dave McLaughlin will be available after the service on Sunday, January 27 and on Sunday, February 3 to take your family photo.
- Or you can submit an updated family photo to directory@aacrc.org

Birthday donations requested

The young children in our community of faith are going to participate in a service project by assembling 10 birthday bags that will be delivered to families in need who visit Hope Clinic. Please see an example and/or place your donations in the box next to the long table in the Education wing. New items requested are: cake mix, frosting, birthday plates and napkins (8 count), birthday candles, and birthday banners. If you have any questions contact Children's Ministry Coordinator, Mary Admiraal.

Calvin College January Series

The January Series continues through this Wednesday, January 23 Please join us in room 24 on weekdays from 12:30-1:30, cost for attending is FREE. The church doors will be open to welcome attendees at 12:00 each day so that all can be settled and in their seats promptly at 12:30. Those looking for food won't find any but please feel free to bring a brown bag lunch if you'll need sustenance. We're hoping to see many of you there.

The JS Planners

You are invited, too!

In an effort to extend hospitality to young children (3, 4, and 5 year olds) in our community of faith, we are contemplating and discussing a return to the Children and Worship format that has been used at AACRC in the past. It is an age-appropriate, multi-sensory worship experience for young children.

You are invited to join with other current and former children's ministry volunteers at 9 AM on January 26th. We will have breakfast together and receive information and training from a Gretchen Munroe, a Children and Worship facilitator. Please contact Mary Admiraal, Children's Ministry Coordinator, an email (marykutschke@yahoo.com) to reserve your spot.

AACRC Weekly Calendar

Today, January 20

9:30 AM Morning Worship
10:50 AM Sunday School

Monday, January 21

6:30 AM AA New Awakening
12:00 PM January Series
7:00 PM Stephen Ministry Meeting
7:30 PM Council Leadership Team

Tuesday, January 22

6:30 AM AA New Awakening
9:30 AM Coffee Break
12:00 PM January Series
1:15 PM Coffee Break
7:15 PM Praise Team Rehearsal

Wednesday, January 23

6:30 AM AA New Awakening
8:00 AM Men's Bible Study
12:00 PM January Series
7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, January 24

6:30 AM AA New Awakening
10:00 AM Crafters
10:00 AM Morning Prayer Group
6:45 PM New Life

Friday, January 25

6:30 AM AA New Awakening
6:30 AM Men's Bible Study
6:30 PM ISI Bible Study
7:30 PM FaHoLo

Saturday, January 26

9:30 AM YogaFaithShalom Class

Sunday, January 27

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

Assisting This Week 1/20

Coffee Servers

9:30 Jim & Alice Homan
Myung & Jihee Kim

Nursery

9:30 Andrea Bennink
Rita Aagenas, Helen Brush
SS Steen, Herrema

Preschool Church Hour

9:30 Tanya Boldenow, Barb Buiten,
Eva Doorlag, Eliza Van Ee

Communion Servers

9:30 Edmung Huang & Landy Lu
Don & Teressa Streng

Assisting Next Week 1/27

Coffee Servers

9:30 Art & Elaine Henke
Al & Mary Staal

Nursery

9:30 Sean Kim, Justin Schiller
David/Kaitlin Schiller
SS Ijzerman, Steenwyk

Preschool Church Hour

9:30 Mary Admiraal, Justin Schiller,
Jorie Cho, Dane Hubers

Communion Servers

9:30 Tim & Emily Geerlings
Grant & Sarita Schoenebeck



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