



# Community | Reformed Church

**Today at Community.... February 5, 2012**  
**Message by Rev. Bill Rigg**  
**“The Poor Shepherd”**

## **New Member Sunday**

**8:40-9:00 a.m.** Blood Pressure Clinic

**9:00 a.m. DayBreak Service**  
Music led by Chris Hansen

**9:45-10:45 a.m.**  
Sunday School Ages 3 thru 5th grade

**10:05 a.m. - Adult Sunday School Classes**  
“Boundaries” Series - Room #204  
“Deep Justice For A Broken World” - Room #209

**10:05 a.m.**  
Middle School Sunday School in Mosaic Center  
High School Sunday School in Room #205  
No Men of Praise Rehearsal

**11:00 a.m. BreakAway Service**  
Music led by Curt Dykema and the BreakAway Band

**6:00-7:30 p.m.** No Financial Peace University

**6:00-10:00 p.m.** “Anthem”  
Super Bowl Sunday Party

**Next Sunday February 12, 2012**  
**Message by Dr. Dann Stouten**

**9:00 a.m. DayBreak Service**  
Music led by Chris Hansen

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Music led by Curt Dykema and the BreakAway Band

**6:00 p.m.** “Matt Maher Concert”

**6:00-7:30 p.m.** “Financial Peace University”  
in the Upper Room

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

**February 10-11:** M-Life Crafters Weekend  
**February 12:** Matt Maher Concert  
**February 17-20:** Anthem Winter Retreat in the UP  
**February 18:** Movie Night—“Courageous”  
**February 24:** Griffins Game  
**February 29:** The Maze-Illusion Redefined  
**March 9-11:** Collide Winter Retreat at Springhill

## **GREETER SCHEDULE**

### **February 5, 2012**

9:00 a.m. Charles & Sue Freriks  
11:00 a.m. Vern & Wanda Bohl  
Jerry & Vicki Borgman

### **February 12**

9:00 a.m. Mike & Shirley Bleeker  
Larry & Dianne Bekuis  
11:00 a.m. Todd & Carrie Bouma  
Tom & Teresa Bouwens

## *Congratulations to:*

Congratulations to Josh and Kim Meekhof with the birth of their daughter, **Arizona Joelee**, on January 25<sup>th</sup>. Mommy and baby are doing great, as well as siblings Hunter, Braxton, Wyatt and Austyn.

Congratulations to **Nathan and Kati Whitmyer** with the birth of their son, **Avett Henry**, on January 31. Avett is joining his big sister and brother, Abigail and Lincoln, in the Whitmyer household!

## *Thank You:*

*"We would like to thank all of you who sent cards and for keeping us in your prayers. We appreciate it so much."* —Carolyn and Herb Otten

*"We would like to thank the congregation for all the cards, prayers, expressions of sympathy, and for all the support and help that was given to our family during the illness and passing of our mother, Lola Bing."* —The Bing Family: Linda Kelsey, Sharon and Jon TenHarmsel, Charles Bing

*"Thank you to all those who volunteered their time to help serve a meal and hand out food to those who need this special assistance at the Mobile Food Pantry on Thursday."*

## **NEW MEMBERS WELCOMED TODAY**

**New members** will be welcomed today. Take a minute and introduce yourself to these new members and help them experience a warm welcome here at Community.

The following will be welcomed at the 9:00 a.m. service:

Sid and Rose Scheerhorn – by transfer

The following will be welcomed at the 11:00 a.m. service

Chad and Carrie Dewitt – by confession of faith

## **WIDOW'S GROUP LUNCH**

On Monday, February 6, the Widow's Group will meet at the church at 11:30 a.m. to go to Turk's for lunch. Please sign up in the Outer Circle today if you are interested in attending.

**Collide is offering SELF FEEDING February** again this year! Self Feeding is a program that will send a text message or email every night at 9:00 p.m. for the entire month of February with a short scripture and thought-provoking question to help you get started in the habit of reading the Bible, doing devotions, and SELF FEEDING! This is designed for students, but leaders, parents, and other adults have signed up in the past. We would love it if you'd join us in feeding this habit! Sign up today outside the Mosaic and start feeding yourself.

## **BAPTISM CLASS**

A Baptism Class will be held, Sunday, February 12, between the morning services in Kurt Henry's office. If you would like your child baptized on Sunday on March 4, please attend this class.

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Singer/songwriter **MATT MAHER** in concert Sunday, February 12 at 6:00 p.m. Doors open at 5:00 p.m. Matt has had such chart topping hits as “Turn Around”, “Rise Up” and “Your Grace is Enough”. Also appearing with him will be Audrey Assad. Make this concert a part of your Valentine’s Day weekend. Tickets are \$10 in advance, \$15 at the door; tickets will also be sold in the Outer Circle after both services on Sunday, February 5. Four-packs for \$30 are available online only. Tickets are available at [www.communityreformed.org](http://www.communityreformed.org) or stop in the church office.

## CRAFT SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR M-LIFE

M-Life offers crafts for moms at their meetings and are in need of a few crafting supplies. Please bring all donations to Nakisha’s office no later than **today**. Thank you for your continued support of this growing program to moms of young children!

- 3 bottles modge podge
- Old T-shirts-all shapes, sizes, colors
- 10 rolls contact paper
- Acrylic craft paint-variety of colors
- 2 bottles liquid dish soap
- 15 bottles metallic acrylic paint (silver)

## CRAFTER’S WEEKEND

Crafter’s weekend is this coming weekend...Friday, February 10 from 6:00 p.m. to midnight, and Saturday, February 11 from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The cost is \$20 for Friday or Saturday and \$30 for both Friday and Saturday and includes dinner and lunch. Bring your own supplies and you will have your own workspace. Not crafty? We’ll provide ready-to-go crafts for you to purchase and make. It’s an opportunity for fellowship and a chance to learn new ideas from others. Please sign up in the Outer Circle or on the M-Life Blog. Proceeds benefit the M-Life program.

## COLLEGE CARE PACKAGES

Gravity will be sending care packages once again for our college-age adults away from home and in the military as well as Meijer gas cards for those who commute to college. Items we are in need of are listed on cards on the cork board in the Outer Circle. Please take a few cards with you on your next shopping trip to help us provide a boost to our students and military personnel. You can return the items in the large box marked “Gravity” by Thursday, February 9. Thank you for your support of this ministry! —Carmen Meurer & Louise Wing

## CHILDREN’S MINISTRIES - HELP NEEDED:

- \* **321** is in need of a small group leader for K/1<sup>st</sup> boys on Wednesday nights, effective immediately. No lesson preparation is required, but a volunteer must be available from 6:30-8:00pm each week. Please contact Nakisha directly with questions or to fill this position.
- \* Additional helpers are still needed for **children in worship**. It’s a great opportunity for teens to start volunteering.

## **SATURDAY NIGHT AT THE MOVIES!!**

Community Church will be hosting a Family Movie Night on **Saturday, February 18 at 6:00 p.m. here at Community**. The action-packed movie “*Courageous*” will be shown and admission is free. This event is open to the entire community -- so spread the word and invite your friends and family!

**TheMAZE—Illusion Redefined**—is coming to Community, February 29, 7-9pm. Collide and Anthem are putting on the event in the Sanctuary for area Jr. High, Sr. High, college students, and adults. We would love to see all of you in attendance, but we need your help as well. Time commitments are flexible and aren't expected to exceed 2-3 hours per week leading up to the event. If you are interested in volunteering on our Promotion, Production, Hospitality, Discipleship or Administrative Teams for the event, please call/email Nate or Phil. [www.whatisthemaze.com](http://www.whatisthemaze.com)

**Collide and Anthem are seeking** corporate and family sponsorship for TheMAZE Event. Air travel, food, hotel, and honorarium costs are adding up as we draw closer to having Jim Munroe and TheMAZE here at Community. If you are interested in supporting local student ministries by exploring corporate or family sponsorship, contact Nate or Phil for specific details!

## **HIS HARVEST STAND**

His Harvest Stand is in need of several more volunteers for our ministry. We need 'front desk' volunteers who sign in our clients, and 'pantry' volunteers, who assist clients in selecting food in our pantry. The shifts that we need to cover are as follows:

1. Monday a.m.: front desk and pantry
2. Wednesday a.m.: front desk
3. Wednesday p.m.: front desk

## **HOME PLATE 2012**

Let's go see the Tigers and hear some of the players give their testimony on April 21. Home Plate is a great event - Don Kelly, Daniel Schlereth, Jacob Turner, Texas Ranger Outfielder Josh Hamilton, and several former Tigers will share their faith story before the game. There is also an on-field baseball clinic with Tiger players and coaches before the game. Forty dollars (\$40) covers your charter bus ride, continental breakfast, game ticket, program ticket, meal coupon for lunch, and the baseball clinic. Sign-up is limited to the first 48 people. We can't get another bus. We will also have another Tiger game trip on a Thursday during the summer. See Kurt if you have any questions.

## **EMAIL ADDRESS**

The Connecting Team would like to use emails to inform you about upcoming announcements and events. We will not fill your inbox with mail or sell your email address to anyone else. Send your email to [kurt@communityreformed.org](mailto:kurt@communityreformed.org) if you would like to be included on email updates.

## **JOYFUL HEARTS BIBLE STUDY**

The Joyful Hearts Bible Study will resume on Tuesday, February 14, 9:30 a.m. in Room #205. We will begin with Lesson 6 of Beth Moore's “David – Seeking a Heart Like His”. Nursery is available.

## Giving Update by Fund Week of January 29, 2012

General	\$14,343.31
Mission Trip	<u>\$194.08</u>
Total	\$14,537.39

### Attendance

	Avg 2011	01/29/12	01/16/11
DayBreak	283	260	270
BreakAway	<u>557</u>	<u>516</u>	<u>570</u>
Total	840	776	840

## PROGRAM OPPORTUNITIES

**Little Lite's Nursery**, All Worship Services - Lower Level

Sundays (Sept - May)

**Sunday School** for ages 3 years-5th grade - 9:45-10:45 a.m.

**Sunday School** for junior high and up - 10:05-10:55 a.m.

**Real Life** (High School) 6:00-7:30 p.m.

Wednesday Evenings (Sept - April)

**321** (Kindergarten-3rd grade) - 6:30-8:00 p.m.

**FUEL** (4th-5th grade) - 6:30-8:00 p.m.

**Collide** (6th-8th grade) - 6:30-8:00 p.m.

**New Members Classes** at various times led by one of the pastors.

**Gravity College-age Ministry** - (18-25 year olds) see the church website to register and for upcoming activities.



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SmartPhone*

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### Cancellation Policy

In the event of severe weather, please watch WOOD or WOTV or WXSP or WZZM television stations for information on cancellations. We will also post notices about cancellations on the church voicemail system at 772-5988.

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