



Sussex Christian Reformed Church

SUNDAY, JANUARY 16, 2022 9:30 AM

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

**"Behold Our God" v1-3*

*God's Greeting

*Admitting Our Guilt, Receiving His Grace

**"Yet Not I, But Through Christ in Me" v1-4*

Congregational Prayer

**"The Ends of All the Earth Shall Hear" PsH #36 v1-4*

Prayer of Illumination

Series: Knowing Your Calling

Scripture: Exodus 31:1-11

Sermon: "Working for Jesus"

Prayer

**"Make Me A Servant" CH #669*

Formulary for Communion

*Apostles Creed

Partaking of the Bread & Cup

Communion Special Music: "His Mercy is More"

**"We Will Feast" v1-3*

Deacon Prayer

*Benediction

**"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" PsH #493*

Preaching: Pastor Kendall Everett

Worship Team: John Pabst, Jada Tallamy,

Emil and Karisa Talen, Maebel Van Ek,

Rianne Vander Groef, Tim Vander Groef

** Please stand*

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OFFERINGS

This Week: General Fund, Tuition Assistance

Next Week: General Fund, Family Promise of Sussex County

Evening Offering: Family Promise of Sussex County

Online Giving: sussexcrc.org/giving

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT SUSSEX CRC

There will not be Sunday School or Catechism today. Nursery and Pre-K Ministries will still take place during the service.

Today's Evening Worship Service will be lead by **PASTOR WILLIE VAUGHAN** from the Sussex Wesleyan Church.

The Deacons would like to thank the congregation for their generous support over the past three years. We are excited to announce that our **BUILDING LOAN** is now paid off in full.

This morning we will be celebrating the sacrament of the **LORD'S SUPPER**. Professing members in good standing of a church in which Jesus Christ is professed as Lord and Savior are warmly invited to receive holy communion with us. If you partake of communion as a visitor, please fill out a visitor card and drop it off at the Connection Center. If you have questions, please talk to one of the elders who will be greeting by the doors after the service.

The **BLOOD DRIVE** is this Tuesday, January 18, between 1pm-7pm in the Fellowship Hall. To learn more about donating, check out sussexcrc.org/blooddrive.

The annual **BABY BOTTLE FUNDRAISER** for Today's Choice will begin next Sunday. Baby bottle banks will be available for you to take home and fill with cash, coins, or checks. You can also fill a bottle online by visiting friendsoftodayschoice.org, click Baby Bottle Campaign, and designate Sussex CRC.

SENIOR BIBLE STUDY will resume Tuesday, January 25, at 2pm.

A new session of **GRIEFSHARE** will begin on January 27 at 7pm and will meet on Thursdays in the Fellowship Hall through May 5. GriefShare is a structured, scripture-based support group for those who have experienced the loss of a loved one. If you or

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someone you know is interested, more information and a link to register can be found at sussexcrc.org/griefshare or you can contact Eric or Lisa at griefshare@sussexcrc.org.

A **NEW MEMBERS CLASS** is tentatively starting in February. If you are interested in becoming a member, publicly professing your faith, or want to learn more about what we believe, please contact Pastor Kendall at kendall.everett@sussexcrc.org.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY will start a new session on Wednesday, February 2, at 9:45am-10:45am. They will be studying “The Sermon on the Mount” by Jen Wilkin, which is a 9-session study that examines the words of Jesus in-depth as He challenges us to think differently about repentance, salvation, and sanctification. The meeting location is dependent on the number of people attending, so please let Tracy know if you are coming. You can sign up at the Connection Center or contact Tracy at 862-266-5844 or vdgff@outlook.com.

We are looking to revamp the **CHURCH HISTORY** page on our website. If you have any photos or suggestions of major or special events that should be included, please feel free to send them in to the office.

CHURCH FAMILY

Congratulations to **HALEE SYTSEMA** and **CALEB ORR**, who were married on January 14! May God bless their new life together!

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sussex Christian School’s **PANCAKE BREAKFAST** has been postponed until Spring. If you bought tickets, they will be held for the new event or you can contact the student you purchased them from for a refund.

COVID SURVEY: A graduate student from Racine CRC in Wisconsin is conducting a dissertation study on COVID-19 and CRC worship service attendance and participation. A link to a survey can be found in the Weekly Email or you can contact the office for a paper copy. This survey is anonymous, takes around 5 minutes, and is meant to help with her research and to gain insight into the effects of COVID-19 on our denomination.

Connection Center

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| 16-Jan | Laura Kuperus |
| 23-Jan | Jen Kuperus |
| 30-Jan | Don Kievit |
| 6-Feb | Terri Garris |
| 13-Feb | Lisa Thiessen |

Greeters

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| 16-Jan | Ted & Greta Ruby |
| 23-Jan | Rich & Kim Sytsema |
| 30-Jan | Ryan & Leesa Tilley |
| 6-Feb | Troy & Rita Yanoff |
| 13-Feb | Sonja Kuperus & Evelyn Vander Groef |

Nursery

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| Age 0-1 | Kristy Lockburner, Karly Lockburner |
| Next Week: | TBD |
| Age 2-3 | Larissa Bast, Kayleigh Jeltema |
| Next Week: | TBD |
| Pre-K | Morgan Kuperus, Amy Everett |
| Next Week: | TBD |

Refreshments

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| 16-Jan | John & Jen Kuperus | Craig & Lisa Van Wyk |
| 23-Jan | Al & Cheryl Brands | Charlie & Cheryl Kuperus |
| 30-Jan | Keith & Karen Niedergall | Caleb & Abby Vander Groef |
| 6-Feb | Richard & Morgan Kuperus | Howie & Teri Kuperus |
| 13-Feb | Rick & Judy Vander Ploeg | Liz & Hunter Calyer |

Ushers

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| 16-Jan | Caleb Vander Groef | Owen Valkema | Matt Kuperus |
| 23-Jan | Steve Fox | Mitch Jurius | Patrick Vander Ploeg |
| 30-Jan | Miles Kuperus | HR Byma | Jim Kuperus |
| 6-Feb | Kyle Kuperus | Will Sytsema | Dave Vander Groef |
| 13-Feb | Rich Fox | John Kuperus | Matt Kuperus |

If you’d like to sign up for or be removed from any lists, let the office know at Rachael@sussexcrc.org or 973-875-5591 or sign up at the Connection Center.

AM Service Sermon Notes:

- 1. God gives us the gift of work to partner with him and others in his world.** What are your current thoughts and attitudes surrounding your work (paid or unpaid)?

- 2. God invites us to appreciate and evaluate his kingdom reign in our work.** How does our work create opportunities for God's kingdom to come? How can we see our work through God's eyes?

- 3. God frees us to work passionately for his approval rather than people's approval.** How is success defined in your work? How would God define success for you in your work?

PM Service Sermon Notes:

| Sun. | Mon. | Tues. | Wed. | Thurs. | Fri. | Sat. |
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| 16 Communion Morning Service: 9:30am Evening Service: 7pm | 17 Moms in Prayer: 8:45am Men's Basket- ball: 7:15pm in SCS Gym | 18 Blood Drive: 1pm -7pm | 19 Council: 7pm | 20 | 21 Cadets: 7pm | 22 |
| 23 Baby Bottle Fundraiser Morning Service: 9:30am Evening Service: 7pm | 24 Moms in Prayer: 8:45am MOPS: 7pm Men's Basket- ball: 7:15pm in SCS Gym | 25 Senior Bible Study: 2pm | 26 | 27 GriefShare: 7pm | 28 Cadets: 7pm GEMS: 7pm | 29 Cadets Snow Derby: 10:30am at Farmside Landscape |
| 30 Morning Service: 9:30am Evening Service: 7pm | 31 Moms in Prayer: 8:45am Men's Basket- ball: 7:15pm in SCS Gym | 1 | 2 Ladies Bible Study: 9:45am | 3 GriefShare: 7pm | 4 | 5 |

SUNDAY, JANUARY 16, 2022 7:00 PM

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Call to Worship

Silent Prayer

**"In Christ Alone" SB #4*

*God's Greeting

**"How Firm a Foundation" CH #408 v1-4*

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture: Matthew 14:13-21

Sermon: "No More Excuses"

Prayer

**"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah" PsH #407 v1-3*

Ministry Moment

Congregational Prayer

*Nicene Creed

**"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" CH #648 v1-4*

*Benediction

**"Go, My Children, With My Blessing" SB #48 v1*

Preaching: Pastor Willie Vaughan

Piano: Eric Thiessen

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About Sussex CRC

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***Our mission is to grow disciples
who transform lives for Christ.***