

# Harlem Happenings

## June 28, 2026

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### TODAY

9:10 AM — PRE-WORSHIP PRAYER in classroom L7.

9:30AM — MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE.

COFFEE FELLOWSHIP TIME. Join us for refreshments immediately following the worship service.

### THIS WEEK

Wed. 6:45PM—KID'S SOFTBALL GAME at South Olive, 6425 120<sup>th</sup> Ave.

Wed. 7:00PM—PRAYER MEETING in the narthex.

Thurs. 5:30-6:30AM— Early Morning MEN'S BIBLE STUDY and CONVERSATIONS GROUP.

### ADVANCED NOTICES

July 13-17, 9:30-11:30AM—VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL! Registration is active on our website.

July 13, 6:30PM—CONSISTORY MEETING.

July 27, 5:00PM—FOOD DISTRIBUTION.

### HARLEM ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Guatemala Mission Team Fundraisers:** The Guatemala Mission Team is collecting **returnable cans** and also **loose change** to help cover costs. If you have either of these that you are willing to part with, we would greatly appreciate your support. Please leave the cans in the entry of the Compass and we will take them from there! There is a large jug in the Compass lobby for the change. Thank you so much for your support of our team!

**We are looking for 3 more volunteers to run our slides on Sunday mornings.** We currently have 3 volunteers for the summer but would love to have a few more. If this is something you would be interested in or if you have any questions, please contact the office at [hrc@harlemchurch.org](mailto:hrc@harlemchurch.org).

We have a Congregational Meeting following this morning's service. **Elder nominees:** Dennis Mulder, Dean Ebels, John VanKampen, Rob VanEyck. **Deacon nominees:** Chris Geerlings, Darrion Fisher, Calvin Gutknecht, Lucas Nienhuis, Ben Rouwhorst.

**Thanks to everyone who came up to Cran Hill for the first Harlem Church campout.** Good food, conversations, and relaxation was had by all! Look out for information about our 2027 campout this fall!

**Nursery is still available** in the church basement throughout the construction project. Coffee and fellowship will be in the **compass foyer and outside when the weather is nice.**

We have new members, new babies, and it's been over a year since our directory came out. This means that pages will be added and updated. **If you would like to change anything about your family's page** (a picture, address, phone number, or email) please email the office with those changes by Sunday, June 28. Thank you!

**Memorial Scholarship Applications** are now available in the church office. Any Harlem students who are planning on attending college full-time in the fall are welcome to apply. Deadline for applying is **Sunday, June 28**. Email Makayla Pikaart at the office with any questions.

**Register your child for Vacation Bible School:**  
*Emerald Crossing: An Irish Adventure Through Psalm 23!* Registration is available on our website. A sign-up for volunteers is available in the compass foyer!

### **COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**First Reformed Church**, 630 State Street in Holland is hosting a "**Prayers for Peace**" service on **Monday, July 6, from 5:30-6:00-PM**. All members of the Holland/Zeeland/Saugatuck community are invited to join together to pray for peace in the United States and around the world.

Our Staff:

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**Terry & Judy VanDyke, Paula TenHarmsel, Amanda Van Malsen** — Custodians

### **RESPONSIBILITIES FOR TODAY:**

GREETERS/ELEVATOR— Mike Long, Lyle Veldheer  
USHER & OFFERING— Justin Karsten  
ORGANIST/PIANIST— Christie Berkompas  
SOUND— Steve Fisher  
VIDEO— Kelly VanEyk  
TECH SET-UP—  
NURSERY— Taylor Dirkse, Emmy Nienhuis, Ely  
Zwiers  
LENA'S ROOM— Tammy Baumann  
PRAYER TEAM— Sally Mulder, Steve Fisher  
COFFEE SERVERS— Ben & Michelle Rouwhorst, Roz  
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### **RESPONSIBILITIES FOR JULY 5:**

GREETERS/ELEVATOR— Howie Baumann, Lud  
Scholten  
USHER & OFFERING— Jeff DeFeyter  
ORGANIST/PIANIST— Roz Boeve  
SOUND— Rob VanEyk  
VIDEO— Kelly VanEyk  
TECH SET-UP—  
NURSERY— Lynn Schaap, Nikki Tiemeyer, Norah  
Dick  
LENA'S ROOM—  
PRAYER TEAM— Terry & Judy VanDyke  
COFFEE SERVERS— Travis & Christie Berkompas,  
Jeff DeFeyter

#### **Church Assistance Program**

As a part of Harlem, you are invited to contact Pine Rest for counseling, legal advice, mental health referrals, elder care consultation, etc. at free or reduced cost.

To contact Pine Rest, visit [www.pinerest.org/cap](http://www.pinerest.org/cap) or call 616.455.6210. You can call 24-hours-a-day, 7-days-a-week to speak to a counselor. When calling, please remember to identify yourself as a CAP member. You will be asked to give a password; Harlem's password is HarlemCAP. All contacts are kept confidential. Reports made by Pine Rest to Harlem do **not** contain any names or specific details.