

AM Outline ~ April 25, 2010

**Servanthood**

1 Samuel 3:1-10 (NIV p. 423)  
Philippians 2:1-11 (NIV p.1827)

Introduction

I. Never Too Old

II. Never Too Young

A. Samuel (v.6)

B. Called by name (v.10)

C. Listening

III. Servants Have:

A. Unity (Philippians 2:1a)

B. Comfort from Christ's love (v.1b, 6-8a, 8b)

C. Fellowship with the Spirit (v.1c)

D. Tenderness and compassion

Conclusion

(Phil 2:2 NIV) then make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and purpose.

(Phil 2:9-11 NIV) Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, {10} that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, {11} and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

**WORSHIP NEWS**

**Mark Your Calendar:**

Sunday, May 9: Howard and Ruth Van Dam will be here. It's also "Mother's Day".  
Sunday, May 16: "Graduate Recognition" Sunday ~ Shalom team helping with music  
Sunday, May 23: Pentecost ~ Communion ~ Rev. Bill Huyser leading worship ~ Flag procession of countries / Choir sings  
Sunday, June 6: Year-end Wrap-up on Power Point ~ Combined worship teams participate

**Helping with our worship services today:**

Morning

Accompanists: Pearl Tap, Michelle Rhodes

Guitarists: John Kramer, Peter Kramer

Singers: Tamie DeWitte, Catherine Kramer, Rachel Kramer, Liz Van Ryn

Ministry in Music: Women's Choral

PowerPoint Tech: Tim Wiersma

Sound Tech: Curt Stienstra

Evening

Accompanists: Merrie Mulder, Carol Offringa

Guitarist: Gregg Mulder

Singers: Gratitude Worship Team ~ Jack Bosscher, Joan Bosscher, Mike Bosscher, Julie Oosterink

PowerPoint Tech: Tim Wiersma

Sound Tech: Curt Stienstra

**You are encouraged to Walk through the Bible in a Year.**

| Date    | AM           | PM            | Date    | AM            | PM            |
|---------|--------------|---------------|---------|---------------|---------------|
| Apr. 25 | 2 Sam. 10-12 | Luke 20:27-47 | Apr. 29 | 2 Sam. 19,20  | Luke 22:31-53 |
| Apr. 26 | 2 Sam. 13,14 | Luke 21:1-19  | Apr. 30 | 2 Sam. 21,22  | Luke 22:54-71 |
| Apr. 27 | 2 Sam. 15,16 | Luke 21:20-38 | May 01  | 2 Sam. 23, 24 | Luke 23:1-26  |
| Apr. 28 | 2 Sam. 17,18 | Luke 22:1-30  | May 02  | 1 Kings 1,2   | Luke 23:27-38 |

**April Monthly Memory Verse  
EASTER ~ Heidelberg Catechism Q&A #1**

**Q. What is your only comfort in life and in death?**

That I am not my own, but belong—body and soul, in life and in death—to my faithful Savior Jesus Christ. He as fully paid for all my sins with his precious blood, and has set me free from the tyranny of the devil. He also watches over me in such a way that not a hair can fall from my head without the will of my Father in heaven: in fact, all things must work together for my salvation. Because I belong to him, Christ, by his Holy Spirit, assures me of eternal life<sup>9</sup> and makes me wholeheartedly willing and ready from now on to live for him.

## FELLOWSHIP NEWS CONTINUED

**ChristCare Group Ministry:** ChristCare Group Ministry reaches out to people with Christ's love through ChristCare Groups. In these groups of three to twelve people, members get to know God and one another better by spending time together and caring for one another, prayer and worship, Biblical Equipping/Bible Study and Christian service.

**There's never any shame in asking for help.** Calls to your *EAP Hotline* are completely confidential. To reach the *CAP Hotline*, call 455-6210 or 1-800-442-0809.

**Don't forget to check** out the church website at [www.fellowshipcrc.com](http://www.fellowshipcrc.com).

**Miscellaneous Items Available at Information Desk:** Check the folders for various items (Budget Reports / Request Announcements / Monthly Calendar / Etc.)

## FROM MISSIONS & COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

**Back Pack Buddies:** Where has the year gone? It is hard to believe that we have provided food for the Central Elementary kids over 24 weekends through the month of March. April donations were again great and we are now working on collecting food items for the last 6 weeks of school. Check out the bulletin board for new slips and please bring your items to church **by Sunday, May 2**. Thank you too for all who donated to the program through the offering in April. We were able to use some of the money to purchase spaghetti sauce, tuna, peanut butter, and many snack items through Feeding America last week. The pantry is full but that doesn't last for long with 17 hungry children.

### **FELLOWSHIP CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH WEATHER POLICY**

#### **Tornado Watch or Tornado Warning**

If in effect one hour before a worship service or meeting, the service or meeting will be cancelled. The watch or warning must be lifted at least one hour before the service or meeting in order for it to be held. (For example: the watch or warning must be lifted by 4:30 pm for the 5:30pm evening service to be held.)

#### **Weather Warning**

If in effect one hour before a worship service or meeting, the service or meeting will be cancelled. If warning is lifted at least one our before the service or meeting, it will still be held.

#### **Weather Watch (other than tornado)**

Service or meeting will still be held. A person should be designated to monitor for weather information during the service or meeting.

If a **Tornado Watch** is issued during a meeting or service, the meeting or service will be concluded and those in attendance will be dismissed.

If a **Tornado Warning** is issued during a meeting or service, all attendees will be directed to congregate in the inner areas of the church, away from outside walls and windows (Fellowship room, inner classrooms off Fellowship room, kitchen, and hallways).

If other weather conditions, lack of power, etc. require the cancellation of a church service or meeting, based on the opinion of the Senior Pastor/President of Council and Admin Board Chairperson, Elders and/or Deacons will be called to call the people in their districts. For other events, the leaders of the event will notify other leaders and participants.

If worship services are cancelled, the President of Council or Admin Chair will notify WOOD, TV 8 of the cancellation and it will be broadcast locally.

## YOUTH NEWS

### AFC (All For Christ) – students in grades 9-12

- **Next week** – AFC Meeting, 7-9 PM in the fellowship room. We will continue our series of Paul in Rome. Bring a friend!
- **May 15** – EDGE vs AFC Road Rally, 4-8pm. Meet at FCRC. AFC students are asked to bring a snack to share.

### EDGE (Everyone Desiring God Everywhere) – students in grades 7-8

- **Tonight** – EDGE meeting 7-9 PM in the fellowship room. We will be viewing the movie *Evan Almighty* and talking about being obedient to God. Bring a friend!
- **May 7** – EDGE Movie and a Milkshake, 7-10pm. We'll start at FCRC with a movie and then head to Steak 'n' Shake for milkshakes. No meeting on May 9, Mothers Day.
- **May 15** – EDGE vs AFC Road Rally, 4-9pm. EDGE students are asked to bring a 2-liter of pop or a jug of juice to share.
- **May 21** – EDGE Rockin' Bowling at Hudsonville Lanes. 6<sup>th</sup> graders are invited to join us! Meet at church at 8:30pm and we will be back at midnight. Bring a friend!

### 2010 – 2011 Districts

| <u>District</u> |                            | <u>Elder / Deacon</u>            |
|-----------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| A               | D. Aardema – T. Bouma      | Paul Milkamp / Kevin Kerkstra    |
| B               | B. Brinks – R. Draeger     | Mike Philo / Gregg Mulder        |
| C               | K. Driesenga – T. Huizinga | Gary Roode / Paul Lubbers        |
| D               | B. Huizingh – P. Lubbers   | Tom Vlietstra/ Joanne Wustman    |
| E               | A. Maddox – M. Philo       | Nancy VanDenBerg / Rachel Kramer |
| F               | B. Poel – J. Stob          | Paul Galinski / Chris Buitter    |
| G               | E. Swecker – T. Vlietstra  | Gary Hoekstra / Jon Meengs       |
| H               | D. Walburg – B. Zwiers     | Ann Aardema / Mary Bouma         |
| YA              | 18 – 25 years old          | Bruce Morren / Nancy Emelander   |

**Sunday, April 25, 2010**  
**Evening Worship Service ~ 5:30 pm**  
**Pastor Phil Boender**

PM Outline ~ April 25, 2010  
**“Abram to Abraham”**  
Genesis 15-22 (NIV p. 20)

*It is with delight that we welcome all worshipers. May your spirit be fed and may the Lord’s hand rest upon us all as we worship God in sincerity and in truth.*

Prelude.....Gregg & Merrie Mulder

Welcome to Worship: Pastor Phil

\*Call to Worship: Pastor Phil

\*Opening Song: Chosen by Worship Team

\*God’s Greeting/We Greet Each Other

\*Apostles’ Creed

\*Litany~

\*Songs: Three songs to be chosen by congregation

Share and Prayer

Scripture: Various Scripture from Genesis 15-22

Message: “Abram to Abraham”

Prayer

For: The Voorhees Trust –

(Offering is received while we sing a song chosen by congregation)

*(Please sign the Fellowship Pad and pass it down your row.)*

\*Song: One to be chosen by congregation

\*God’s Parting Blessing: Romans 15:13

\*Parting Song: Chosen by Worship Team

Postlude.....Carol Offringa

\*Please stand if you are able

Songs are displayed on the screen.

Song books and Bibles are located under your seat.

GPH – Gray Psalter Hymnal RC – Red Celebration

Introduction

I. God’s “Will” But Not God’s Way (Gen. 16:1-12)

A. Abram’s focus is on his circumstances and not on God

B. You?

C. Hostility today

D. Trust vs. anxiety (Philippians 4:4-7)

II. God’s Will God’s Way  
(Genesis 17, 21:1-21)

Conclusion