

## Telling Good News . . . . . Making New Friends

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Please submit bulletin announcements by **3:00 p.m. on Thursdays** to: [bulletin@parklanechurch.org](mailto:bulletin@parklanechurch.org).

### Coffee Break:

**Monday Morning Coffee Break** will not meet this week due to New Years Day.

**Monday Night Coffee Break** Coffee break will not meet this week due to New Years Day.

**Youth Group:** All middle and high school students are invited to Youth Group from 7:00-8:30 p.m. this Wednesday at church.



**December 31**—Old Year’s Service 6 p.m.

**January 13**—Celebration of Life for Diane Veltkamp 2 p.m.

**January 20**—Memorial Service for DJ Johnson 10 a.m.



12/31—Janet Baldino & Lynn Koetje  
 1/7—Denise Kalanges & Lily Armstrong  
 1/14—Karen Dunbar & Michelle VanderVeen  
 1/21—Janet Baldino & Lynn Koetje

### Coming up this week:

**Sunday:**  
**12/31** 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship Service at church, on Facebook, and YouTube  
 6:00 p.m.—Old Year’s Service

**Monday:** HAPPY NEW YEAR!  
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**Tuesday:**  
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**Wednesday:** 7:00-8:30 p.m.—Youth Group  
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**Thursday:** 4:00-5:00 p.m.—Men’s Bible Study  
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**Friday:**  
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**Saturday:**  
**1/6**

**Sunday:** 9:30 a.m.—Sunday School  
**1/7** 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship Service at church, on Facebook, and YouTube  
 6:00 p.m.—Evening Service

### Deacon’s Corner as of 12/24/2023:

General Fund:	\$7,216.50
Offerings Year to Date:	\$257,546.66
Budgeted Year to Date:	\$233,092.60
Difference:	<b>\$24,454.06</b>
Benevolence:	\$100.00

**AM Attendance: 102**

# First Sunday after Christmas



*“Praise in the Name of the Lord”*

*Parklane Christian Reformed Church*

*December 31, 2023*

# Parklane Christian Reformed Church

December 31, 2023

## Morning Worship—11:00 a.m.

### We Gather for Worship

Welcome

- ♦ *You Servants of God (Lift Up Your Hearts #582)*

God's Greeting/Greet Each Other

- ♦ *Come Christians Join to Sing (Lift Up Your Hearts #599)*

### We Hear the Gospel

Confession—Jennifer Henry

- ♦ *We Sing the Mighty Power of God (Lift Up Your Hearts #10)*

Words of Assurance

Call to Godly Living

- ♦ *Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery*

### We Offer Prayers and Gifts

Prayers of the People

Announcements

Offering

### We Hear God's Word

Scripture Reading: Psalm 148

Sermon: ***Praise in the Name of the Lord***

- ♦ *Praise the Lord, Sing Hallelujah (Lift Up Your Hearts #5)*

### Communion

### We Leave to Serve

- ♦ Blessing
- ♦ *In You is Gladness*

- ♦ *Please stand if you are able.*

## Evening Worship —6:00 p.m.

Welcome and Prayer

- ♦ *As with Gladness Men of Old (Lift Up Your Hearts #105)*

Heidelberg Catechism Lords Day 52

- ♦ *Christ, Be our Light (Lift Up Your Hearts #908)*

Time of Prayer

Bible Reading: Matthew 28:16-20

Sermon: *“Practicing the Way: Do What Jesus Did”*

Prayer

- ♦ *You Are My King (Lift Up Your Hearts #360)*

Blessing

- ♦ *Better is One Day (Lift Up Your Hearts #506)*

### Prayer

Please lift up your brothers and sisters:

- Pray for the Veltkamp family as they mourn the loss of Diane, DJ Johnson's siblings as they mourn her loss and Rylee Poirier as she mourns the loss of her dad.
- Pray for the innocent lives being lost in the war in the Middle East.
- Pray for the families in our community who are struggling.

### Special Offering—December—Benevolence

Our special offering in December is for our church Benevolence Fund. This allows us to help people in our church and our community who are struggling financially. We will have a special offering for our Benevolence Fund this morning and can accept online giving at anytime.

### Carpet Committee

The Building and Grounds team is looking for 4 to 6 people to form a carpet committee for the fellowship hall and the narthex/hallway. If you are interested in joining the committee, please talk to Tony or Pam. Thanks from the Building and Grounds team!

### Bible in a Year

Are you interested in reading all of God's word this coming year? If so, please sign up on the form in the narthex and Jennifer Henry will print out a “Bible In a Year 2024” reading plan for you. This is a great way to get daily devotions in as well as soaking up God's words for you.

### Car for Sale?

Does anyone in the congregation have a car that they are trying to sell? If so, there is a great ministry opportunity that we can be a part of. Please reach out to Pastor Pete and he will give you more details.

### Celebration of Life

The celebration of life for Diane Veltkamp will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, January 13 here at the church. Please join us to celebrate the faith and life of this godly woman, and to support the Veltkamp family in the wake of their loss. Sandwiches, coffee and snacks will be served as we gather together.

### Memorial Service

The memorial service for Deborah “DJ” Johnson will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, January 20 here at the church. Please join us as we worship the Lord and thank Him for the life and witness of DJ. Cookies and coffee in the fellowship hall to conclude.



12/31—Juli Parrish & Michelle Barrera  
1/7—Jeff & Brenda Cole  
1/14—Dave & Lynn Koetje  
1/21—Candice Behm & Karen Dunbar