

# SERMON SERIES: WEEK 2

January 12, 2025 - 9:15am Rev. Petri van Rooyen, Pastor

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## **THE APPROACH TO GOD**

Prelude & Silent Meditation Jean Mollenbeck

Welcome Rev. Petri van Rooyen

\*Greeting (Unison) Reading of Hymn #607, "The Lord Bess You and Keep You" Bible Quiz

Children's Time (Fifth grade & younger) Megan Mollenbeck

Hymn #98, "Jesus, We Just Want to Thank You"(v1,2)

Silent Prayer

\*Hymn #292, "God of Grace and God of Glory"(v1,2)
Call to Worship Pastor Petri

\*Hymn #234, "Crown Him with Many Crowns"(v1,2)

\*Prayer of Confession (Unison)

O God of Peace, God of Second chances, we have built up walls to protect ourselves from our enemies, but those walls also shut us off from receiving your love. Break down those walls. Help us to see that the way to your heart is through the reconciliation of our own hearts with our enemies. Bless them and us, that we may come to grow in love for each other and for you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior. Amen

Special Music Clementine Sifert, Cohen Sifert

## **THE WORD OF GOD**

Scripture Luke 14:7-14

Message "Jesus: The Ultimate Host"

Ordination and Installation Jerry Buseman, Dennis Crom, Elders Keaton Buseman, Deacon

Prayer of Blessing

Offertory

\*Doxology (#625) and Offertory Prayer

## THE RESPONSE TO GOD

\*Hymn #505, "Love Lifted Me"(v1-3)

\*Benediction

\*Ben. Response "He Is Lord"

**Announcements** 

Postlude \*Please stand if able

Welcome to Zion! As you begin this wonderful New Year, may your vow be to serve God with fresh diligence. A warm welcome to all, as we unite our hearts & spirits in the joyous worship of God & in loving outreach to one another.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO CLEMENTINE AND COHEN FOR SHARING WITH US TODAY.

Please join us for fellowship following the service.

**AUDIO/VIDEO:** Nick/Molly Next Week – Dave/Carma

CHILDREN'S TIME: Megan M. Next Week- Shelly

**CHILDCARE:** Molly B/Tatum

Next Week – Shelly/Barrett

FELLOWSHIP: Kloetzers and Koenens

Next Week – Spec n Dicken

## THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

MON 1:30PM VESPER CIRCLE

WED 6:30PM FAMILY MINISTRY MEAL WITH MINISTRY TO FOLLOW @ 7PM SUN 9:15am Worship/Holy Communion: SS: Spec n' Dicken

Please keep the following in prayer:

**PRAYERS:** ZION'S HOMEBOUND, MARK DEVRIES, ELAINE PARKS, KELLY BENNETT, BRIAN LUPKES, ANGIE DEVRIES, DIANE HUGHES, TED HUGHES, DUANE PAYNE, LENORA PAYNE.

#### \*\*ANNOUNCEMENTS\*\*

- \*Congratulations to Zion's newly installed Elders, Jerry and Dennis.
- \*Congratulations to Zion's newly ordained and installed Deacon, Keaton.
- \*SPECIAL THANK YOU TO ERIC BARKEMA, ANN LUPKES AND JON SUNTKEN FOR THEIR TIME AND EFFORTS SERVING ZION.
- \*\*If you are interested in being a part of a Praise Team or finding out more what that entails; if you are interested in leading Sunday hymns with a microphone please see Kirsten, Jessica, or Rose. Thank you.
- \*2024 Contribution letters will be placed in your church mailbox later this month. Thank you very much for your yearly contributions.\*
- \*SNOW: If you are at Zion during the week, please use the **south** driveway & east parking area as these will be kept clear throughout the week. The remainder of the grounds will only be cleared on Sunday mornings or for funerals.
- \*Church cancellation due to bad weather: Please tune into KLMJ. PLEASE be sure to check your emails that you provided in the directory by 7am on a given Sunday as well when there is bad weather.

#### **NEW YEAR HAPPENINGS!**

\*WED: FAMILY MINISTRY; 6:30PM MEAL (HOSTS ARE NEEDED)

\*Jan 19: Holy Communion

\*JAN 19: 11AM – 1PM SPEC'N DICKEN (SPREAD THE WORD!!)

\*Jan 23: Consistory Meeting

\*Jan 26: Special Offering: Alliance of Reformed Churches



The RCYF will be serving a freewill offering on Jan. 19

Spec n Dicken lunch following service-1pm

\*DAD'S BELGIAN WAFFLE SUPPER: JAN. 16, 4:30PM-6:30PM @ WF HS TO SUPPORT THE LION'S CLUB. SEE BULLETIN BOARD FOR MORE DETAILS.

TIME TO CELEBRATE BOB AND ARDITH PARKS! THEY WILL BE CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF MARRIAGE ON JAN. 26. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEND THEM A CARD, PLEASE SEND TO: MONTE VISTA VILLAGE, 8865 E BASELINE RD #1312, MESA, AZ 85209