

# San Jose Christian Reformed Church

*“God’s love to us, God’s love through us...”*

*May the Lord bless us all as we worship Him here today! We extend a special welcome to our visitors. Pastor Gil Suh will be preaching for us today.*

## Morning Worship Service

October 1, 2006

### We Gather In Praise for our God

Prelude: Our time of preparation for worship.

Welcome / Greetings

Praise for Our Holy God:      *Great is the Lord*  
   *Above All*  
   *Jesus, You Alone are Worthy*

Special Song of Praise:      *Your Love, Oh Lord*  
by Andrea Van Wyk and Myron Kamper

### We Kneel Before our Holy God

Congregational Prayer

Song of Response:      *Create in Me a Clean Heart*  
Children ages 3 through grade 6 leave us for “Kid’s Life”

### We Worship God with our Offerings

Deacon’s Prayer

Offering: Church Ministry Fund  
Special Offering: Faith Promise

### We open our Hearts and Minds to God

Scripture Reading: I Corinthians 10:1-14

Message: *Danger of Idolatry*

Prayer

Hymn of Response:      *As the Deer*

God’s Blessing

Closing Hymn:      *My Peace*

*If you are a first time visitor today, please complete a “Communication Card” and stop by the welcome table in the back of the sanctuary for a gift and information packet. Please join us for “Coffee Time” at 10:40. A class for preschool through high school also meets at 11 am.*

## Next Sunday at SJCRC...

October 8, 9:30 am: Worship, Communion and Stephen’s Ministry Service- Pastor Al Helder will be preaching. Special Offering: Ministry Shares. Please join us for “Coffee Time” at 10:40. At 11:00am: Congregational Town Hall Meeting in the Fireside Room, a class for preschool through grade 5 meets in the tri-rooms, JJs meets in The Gym and Sonlife meets in The Loft.

## Our Church Family

Please pray for these personal needs:

- \* **Jeff B.** – Jeff B. was diagnosed as having a malignant brain tumor in the right lobe of his brain. Jeff had brain surgery on Friday to remove this tumor. This was a serious operation. Jeff is anticipating changes to life, but is not afraid. Taking comfort in God’s promise in Isaiah 26:3: “Thou will keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee, because he trusteth in thee.” Please remember to keep Jeff, Estella and Brendan in your daily prayers.
- \* **Cathie G.** – Cathie returned home from the hospital on Wednesday morning. She suffered a severe bacterial infection. Gene and Cathie thank the congregation for all their concern and prayers.
- \* **Charlie B., Irvin D., Bill G., Rein G. and Cobe R.** – Please pray for these members of our church family who have continuing health problems. Remember these friends with your cards and visits: they appreciate your thoughtfulness.

**Please be in prayer** for Jennifer C.’s mother, Linda H., who had extensive surgery this past week. Also, remember Jennifer and her family.

**Pray for our church. Please remember:**

- our youth (JJs and Sonlife) as they begin a new year of learning and plan for fun times together.
- our GEMS, Cadets and other children’s groups as they begin a new season.
- our men’s and women’s Bible studies
- our various committees as they seek God’s direction for our church
- our search for a new Pastor

**The family of Alice S.** (Grace M.’s mother) wishes to thank the congregation for the beautiful basket of flowers presented at her memorial service in Redlands. Your thoughtfulness is so appreciated.

**Elder-Deacon Care Groupings:** Elder/deacon phone numbers are in the church directory. *Please inform them directly* of any need you might have.

<u>Last Name Beginning:</u>	<u>Elder</u>	<u>Deacon</u>
A-B		Mark L.
C-F		Steve S.
G-Ki	Harvey V.	Dan M.
Ko-L	Steve B.	Bruce G.
M-O	Bryan P.	Doug B.
P-S	Jeff B.	Steve M.
T-Z	Randy M.	Gert B.

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## Church News and Events

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**Coffee Break meets this Wednesday, October 4, 10 am:** All ladies are welcome to our Wednesday morning Bible study. We are doing a study on heaven. Please join us!

**JJs (Jr. High) and Sonlife (High School)- Save These Dates: Oct. 13-15.** “Harvest”, a Christian music celebration, is coming to the HP Pavilion, and our youth leaders will take our kids to at least one evening concert. More details coming soon.

**From Your Pastoral Search Team:** On Sunday, October 8, we will have a Town Hall Meeting to update the congregation. On Sunday, October 15, Dr. Bruce Ballast, a prospective pastor, will preach during the 9:30 am Worship Service. At 11:00 am there will be a Congregational Meeting with an interview session and a potluck. Please mark your calendars for these important events and watch for details for the potluck.

**Stephen’s Ministry:** Are you part of the “sandwich generation”? Do you feel the responsibility of your children and also your parents? Do you feel you are being pulled in many directions? Stephen Ministers are supportive members of our church who have been trained to be a confidential resource. If you, or someone you know, would like to talk to a Stephen Minister, please contact Pastor Al or Brenda L. We want to be there for you.

**The September/October schedules for greeters, ushers, coffee servers and nursery volunteers** are available and in your mailboxes in the social hall. Pick them up today!

**The October “Prayer Guide”, the September/October “Today” devotionals, and the September/October/November “Our Daily Bread” devotionals** are available in the information racks. Please pick up your copies.

**What does it mean to be Christian Reformed?** Have you ever wondered this yourself? An attractive booklet “What it Means to Be Reformed” is available for your reading. Please pick up a copy at the information table in the entry of the church.

**Church Bulletin:** Miss a service? Current and archived bulletins are online at [www.sjcr.org](http://www.sjcr.org). ***Please have any bulletin announcements for this coming Sunday*** into the office by Wednesday evening at the latest.

### *Helping This Sunday, October 1*

*Greeters:* Steve and Joanne M.

*Ushers:* Tom and Diana B.

*Hospitality:* Randy and Mavis M.

*Audio/Visual:* Wendell K., Josef C.

*Coffee:* Doug and Betty P., Ken and Cheryl M., Willie K.

*Nursery:* Betsy M., Cory S., Ciki C.

*Kids’ Life:* Robin B., Harriet V., Betty P.

### *Helping Next Sunday, October 8*

*Greeters:* Josef and Cecelia C.

*Ushers:* Pat V. Norm B.

*Hospitality:* Bryan and Mary Ann P.

*Audio/Visual:* Mike K., Scott F.

*Coffee:* Russ and Sue S., Steve and Alexis S., Hollianne G.

*Nursery:* Brenda L., Jennifer L., Dale B..

*Kids’ Life:* Paula G., Arlene D., Judy V.

### *Schedule of Events: October 1 - 8, 2006*

#### *This Sunday:*

9:30 am – Worship (Pastor Gil Suh preaching)

10:40 am – Refreshments and Fellowship

11:00 am – Classes for Preschool through High School (No Adult Class)

#### *Tuesday:*

6:30 pm – Executive Board Meeting

7:30 pm – Elders and Deacons Meeting

#### *Wednesday:*

10:00 am – Coffee Break Women’s Bible Study

#### *Thursday:*

7:30 pm – Praise Team

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*Overeaters Anonymous meets Mon., Tues. and Thurs. evenings and Sat. mornings. Alcoholics Anonymous meets Tues. evenings.*