

Grounded and Growing—Bearing Fruit Week 1

Love

Material from *Reformed Worship* is meant to be adapted by worshiping communities to fit their particular context. This is an example of how one church adapted “Grounded and Growing—Bearing Fruit Week 1: Love.” We are grateful to Covenant Christian Reformed Church of Cutlerville, MI and [Rebecca Snippe](#) for sharing this resource ([video recording](#)).

***Call to Worship**

Leader: Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

**All: Worship the Lord with gladness;
come before him with joyful songs.**

Leader: Know that the Lord is God.

It is he who made us and we are his;

All: we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

Leader: Enter his gates with thanksgiving
and his courts with praise;
give thanks to him and praise his name.

**All: For the Lord is good and his love endures forever;
God's faithfulness continues through all generations.**

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***Song**

[“The Steadfast Love of the Lord”](#) ^{McNeill} (sung through twice)

***God's Greeting**

***Mutual Greeting**

***Songs**

[“Love Has a Name”](#) ^{Walker-Smith et al.}

“Children of God”

Offering

Missionary Update during Offering

Time for Prayer

Bible Reading

1 Corinthians 13

Sermon

The Most Excellent Way

Prayer

****Song***

["From the Inside Out"](#) Houston

Installation of Elders and Deacons

****God's Blessing***

****Song***

["Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"](#) (st. 1–4) Wesley

*If you are able please stand in body or spirit.