Sunday, November 10, 2024

Give thanks to the Lord, call on his name; make known among the nations what he has done. Sing to him, sing praise to him; tell of all his wonderful acts.

Psalm 105:1

THANK YOU to those who are serving us during worship today.

MUSICIANS: Jan Johnson & Angie Meester

THIS WEEK AT PARKERSBURG CRC

Today 9:30 a.m. – Morning Worship Service Next Sunday 9:30 a.m. – Morning Worship Service 10:45 a.m. – Thanksgiving Meal

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Congratulations to Dennis and Lois Mennen, who will be observing their 57th anniversary on November 10.

Please remember those of our congregation who live alone and those alone in care facilities through a phone call or a card.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Everyone is invited for coffee and fellowship following the worship service this morning. There is a sign-up sheet on the counter for volunteers to serve.

The second offering next Sunday will be for Faith Promise.

We welcome Randy Aalderks to our pulpit this morning.

The Worship Committee is looking for any volunteers who might be interested in doing Advent Readings this year. Please let one of the Worship Committee members know if you are interested.

Our Thanksgiving Meal will be November 17. Turkey, ham, and potatoes will provided. Please bring your Thanksgiving side dishes, salads, and desserts, and join us for a time of thanksgiving!

Operation Christmas Child 2024 – As a ministry, Operation Christmas Child wants to do whatever it can to bring the hope of the Gospel through shoebox gifts to children across the globe. This year, more than ever, children around the world need hope, and Drop-Off Locations, such as our church, are the first step in the journey of a shoebox. National Collection Week this year is November 18-25, 2024. Please consider donating some time to help with this worthy cause this year. The schedule sign-up sheet is on a table in the fellowship hall with the same hours as we have had in the past. The red and green shoeboxes are available. Please prayerfully consider being part of this important ministry this year! Please see Angie Meester if you have any questions.

Timothy Christian School Musical: Timothy Christian School invites you to a wonderful evening of performance as the students present "The Great Christmas Giveaway". The 7 PM program will be held at the First Christian Reformed Church (2.5 miles west of Wellsburg) on Tuesday, November 26. This is a great way to begin your Thanksgiving and Christmas seasons!

Our Thanksgiving Eve Event will be held in the fellowship hall on Wednesday, November 27, at 7:00 PM. Please join us for a time of "Pick Your Brain, Pie, and Prayer."

If you need to contact the church, please call one of the elders. Ken Mehmen – (319) 269-1184 Dale Meester – (319) 239-5490 Pat Prier – (641) 640-4080

The General Fund collection for October 27 was \$8,970.07. The target amount for each week is \$2,248.10. The collection for Faith Promise totaled \$125.00.

Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church

November 10, 2024 – 9:30 AM **WE COME NEAR TO GOD**

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship: Psalm 116:1-9

*Hymn: TCH 224 We Have Come into His House

*God's Greeting

*Mutual Greeting

Veterans Day Honor Video

Song: TCH 808 Eternal Father, Strong to Save

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering: 1) General Fund

2) Building Improvement

*Hymn: TCH 786 Count Your Blessings

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Scripture: **Ephesians 6:10-18** (pg. 1824)

Message: THE WHOLE ARMOR OF GOD, PART 2

Prayer of Dedication

RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

*Hymn: TCH 723 Soldiers of Christ, Arise

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: TCH 166 Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow

*Postlude