## Sunday, September 29, 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

10:45 a.m. - Potluck

Wednesday 1:00 p.m. – Sunshine Circle

Next Sunday 9:30 a.m. – Morning Worship Service

#### **OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

**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 Christian Education.

We welcome Jimmy Meyer to our pulpit this morning.

**Today Mike and Victoria Van Der Dyke** will tell us about their work in Nigeria. We have been supporting their work through our Faith Promise offerings for many years. A potluck meal will follow the service today and we will have a chance to visit with them and ask any questions.

The Sunshine Circle will meet this coming Wednesday at 1:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall. For this month, we will be zeroing in on the word "intend" and his cousins named intending, intended, intention and intentionality. Think about all of the sentences that one could make up with those words in them. Go ahead. Write the sentences down and bring them along to class. Let's share them. Here's a little

helpful hint to get you started. I was intending to do something about it!! I intended to finish that! Make it your intention to zero in on those words!! You've got the idea. Charlene will serve our refreshments.

The new daycare center in our town is called CORNERSTONE CHRISTIAN CHILDCARE CENTER. It is located in the building just east of the Catholic church parsonage. The center will be opened soon. The Board of Directors have sent out a letter requesting everyone help in getting all the needed supplies. A copy of the letter can be found on the bulletin boards in the entryways. Please take a minute to read the letter and help in any way that you can.

**The council has decided** to cancel the church's cell phone service (319-346-2286). The church's main phone (319-346-1174) is still in use. If you need to call the church, please call one of the elders.

Ken Mehmen – (319) 269-1184 Dale Meester – (319) 239-5490 Pat Prier – (641) 640-4080

## **Upcoming Speakers**

Sept. 29 – Jimmy Meyer

Oct. 6 – D.J. Steen

Oct. 13 – T.J. Henken

Oct. 20 – Randy Raak

**The General Fund collection** for September 22 was \$1,193.00. The target amount for each week is \$2,248.10. The collection for Faith Promise totaled \$150.00.

# Heidelberg Catechism Q & A 13: Q: Can we pay this debt ourselves?

A: Certainly not. Actually we increase our guilt every day. -HC and ME: The Heidelberg Catechism for Christian Living (2006), Faith Alive Christian Resources

# **Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church**

September 29, 2024 – 9:30 AM

WE COME NEAR TO GOD

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

\*Hymn: TCH 224 We Have Come Into His House

\*God's Greeting

\*Mutual Greeting

Song: TCH 446 We've A Story to Tell (v. 1 & 3)

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering for the General Fund

\*Hymn: TCH 439 Song for the Nations (v. 1, 2, 4)

## **SERVICE OF THE WORD**

Scripture: Acts 10:1-8, 44-48 (pg. 1708)

Message: **CORNELIUS CALLS FOR PETER** 

Prayer of Dedication

# **RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE**

\*Hymn: TCH 444 I Love to Tell the Story (v. 1, 3, 4)

\*God's Blessing

\*Closing Song: TCH 448 I'll Tell the World (v. 1)

\*Postlude