

# THIS IS THE LORD’S DAY

## May 11, 2025

“Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it.”  
Proverbs 22:6

### Morning Service 9:30 (Baptism)

#### The Wise Woman

I. The Home

II. The Wisdom

III. The Fruit

Read: Proverbs 14

Text: Proverbs 14:1

Psalters: 47D, 69D, 90C, 128A

Offerings: **General Fund**  
**Benevolent Fund**

### Evening Service 6:00

#### God’s Stewards

I. The Steward

II. The Sin

III. The Calling

Read: Ephesians 4

Text: Lord’s Day 42

Psalters: 24A, 48A, 37B, 139C

Offering: **Hull PR School**

*We welcome you into the house of the Lord this  
Lord’s Day. It is our prayer that you may experience  
the bond of God’s love with us as we worship  
His holy name.*

### FROM THE COUNCIL

This morning we witness the sacrament of baptism administered to Auden Ann Pollema, infant daughter of Jason and Carly. We rejoice with this couple in God’s covenant faithfulness and pray His blessing on our labors with our covenant children. Refreshments will be served out of the kitchen windows after the service.

Agendas for Synod 2025 are available electronically and can be requested from the clerk of council, Mr. Kevin Van Engen.

The Deacons will meet this Monday, May 12, at 6:30 PM with the Council meeting to follow at 7:30 PM.

The Evangelism Committee will meet Tuesday, May 13, at 7:00 PM.

The Reformed Witness Committee of the five area churches will meet at Calvary on Wednesday evening, May 14, at 7:00 PM.

The Consistory set their next monthly meeting for Monday, June 9.

### OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Marlene Van Den Top is asked to contact Kaleb Van Maanen (kvmaanen@yahoo.com) this week.

We extend our congratulations to the members of our congregation who graduated this past week from Dordt University. Darren Brummel graduated with a bachelor’s degree in Secondary Education/Math and plans to teach for Faith Christian School in Randolph, WI. Megan Van Maanen graduated with an associate degree in Business: Administrative Assistant and plans to work for Perspective Insurance in Sioux Center. Visiting college student Isabella Boer graduated with a bachelor’s degree in Secondary Education/Social Science and plans to teach at DeMotte Christian School in DeMotte, IN. We also congratulate Eli Klein who graduated with an associate’s degree in accounting from NCC and plans to continue his education at USF.

The congregation is invited to witness the wedding of Caleb Meyer and Tory Van Voorst this Friday evening, May 16, at 6:00 PM in our church sanctuary. We pray that God will bless this young couple as they speak their vows before God and establish a home built on God’s Word.

### DENOMINATIONAL NEWS

Hudsonville PRC has formed a new trio of Rev. J. Engelsma, Rev. D. Holstege, and Rev. J. Maatman. They plan to call from this trio today.

Cornerstone PRC has formed a new trio of Rev. A Brummel, Rev. J. Maatman, and Rev. C. Spronk. They plan to call from this trio next week.

Byron Center PRC presents the following trio for minister on loan to Provident PRC in the Philippines: Rev. H. Bleyenbergh, Rev. M. De Boer, and Rev. J. Smidstra. They plan to call from this trio May 20.

Southwest PRC called Rev. R. Barnhill.

Lynden PRC called Rev. M. De Boer.

Grandville PRC called Rev. J. Maatman (Southeast PRC).

Prof. B. Gritters (PRC Seminary) declined the call from Grace PRC.

Rev. R. Barnhill declined the call from Hope PRC (Redlands, CA).

### REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

“We would like to thank everyone who joined us at our bridal shower May 3rd and those on the shower committee who helped make our day special.”

-Tory Van Voorst & Belle Schiermeyer

Graduation exercises for Trinity Christian High School will be held on Monday, May 19, at 7:00 PM in the high school gymnasium. Rev. Brummel will address the graduates from their class text of Colossians 2:6-7. All are welcome to join us.

Everyone is invited to the 8th grade and kindergarten commencement exercises of the Hull Protestant Reformed Christian School on Thursday, May 22, at 7 PM in the Hull PRC. The 8th graders have chosen “God’s Never Failing Presence” as their motto. Rev. Regnerus will be the speaker.

As we come to the end of the school year, the board at Trinity Christian High School would like to report that we have received \$155,246.50 of the \$247,500 that was budgeted to come from collections. Please remember this need in your upcoming giving.

The annual Hull Young People’s Memorial Day breakfast will be held on May 26 at Trinity Christian High School. Serving time will be from 7:30-9:30. Proceeds will help defray the cost of Hull PR young people attending the 2025 YPS convention.

The Annual Meeting for Trinity Christian High School will be on Tuesday, May 27 at 7:30. We will vote for one open board position from the following nominees: Dr. Paul De Jong and Dan Blankespoor. We will also vote on a proposal concerning maintenance of the gym floor. The agendas should be where you would normally find them. Please send an email to trent@trentvb.com if you would like a digital copy.

The Reformed Witness Committee of Hope church encourages you to tune into the Hope PR Ministry podcast on May 16 and 23 for some interviews on Leadership and Mercy under the umbrella of Christian Living. These interviews lay out the scriptural definitions and everyday applications of how we as God’s people ought to live towards each other and those with whom we cross paths. It is our prayer that God use this podcast as a means of spreading the gospel.

Future Teachers and Ministers: Information for the 2025 PR Scholarship Fund essay competition is now available. Please email prcscholarship@gmail.com to receive the essay topics and submission requirements. Completed essays must be submitted by May 16.

Write and win! Beacon Lights is sponsoring a summer writing contest from May to August 2025, for ages 13 to 23+. Topics are Reformers of the Word, Holding Fast Our Heritage, Artificial Intelligence, and Godly Manhood/Womanhood. More information, including rules and prizes, can be found in the May 2025 issue of the Beacon Lights and online at beaconlights.org.

Individuals with special needs or disabilities of any age are invited to join us at convention on Wednesday, August 13, for Serve One Another Day. Our prayer is that this special day will be a blessing to all and an opportunity to experience how we can all serve the body of Christ with the different abilities He has given to us. For more details or to sign up, visit our website <https://prconvention.com/serving-one-another-day/>. We can't wait to spend the day with you! Contact Alyssa VanBaren – <mailto:alyssavb@gmail.com> | 616.581.5768 with any questions.

Hull PRCS is now accepting applications for a Junior High Band Director position for the 2025-2026 school year. Any interested applicants should contact Loren Gritters, Administrator, at [lgritters@hprcs.com](mailto:lgritters@hprcs.com), or Mark Kooima, Education Committee Chairman, at [mandn@c-i-service.com](mailto:mandn@c-i-service.com) for more information.

A full list of teaching positions is available at [www.prcs.org](http://www.prcs.org) under the teaching positions tab.

**Offerings next week:** AM: General & Benevolent Funds  
PM: Trinity Christian High School

**Reformed Witness Hour:** Sunday @ 8:00 A.M. KLOH 1050 AM or listen anytime at [reformedwitnesshour.org](http://reformedwitnesshour.org). Today, we continue Rev. Carl Haak’s series on the Beatitudes with “Blessed Are They that Mourn” based on Matthew 5:4. Next week, Rev. Haak will bring us “Blessed Are the Meek” based on Matthew 5:5.

**Ushers:** May AM: Evan B, Isaiah B, Peter B  
PM: Breck B, Steven B, Thomas B

**Sound Booth:** Today: Jade VK  
Next week: Dustin K

**Accompanists:** Today: Caitlin, Lisa  
Next week: Wendy, Marissa

**Nursery:** Today AM: Jori B, Tonia W, Addyson DJ  
PM: Kassandra B, Pam W, Jaylie DJ  
Next week AM: Keisha B, Brittany K, Maeva DJ  
PM: Kim Br, Abby P, Brynlee DR