THIS IS THE LORD'S DAY

June 1, 2025

"Blessed be God, even the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of mercies, and the God of all comfort, who comforteth us in all our tribulation, that we may be able to comfort them which are in any trouble, by the comfort wherewith we ourselves are comforted of God." II Corinthians 1: 3-4.

Morning Service 9:30

A More Sure Word of Prophecy

I. The Prophetic Word

II. A Wise Calling

III. An Enlightened Heart

Read: II Peter 1

Text: II Peter 1:16-19

Psalters: 48B, 86C, 119N 119L

Offerings: General Fund

Benevolent Fund

Evening Service 6:00

The Woman Caught in Adultery

I. The Self-Righteous Pharisees

II. The Forgiven Sinner

III. The Command unto Holiness

Read: John 8:1-30

Text: John 8:1-11

Psalters: 116D, 96C, 51B, 38C

Offerings: Building Fund

Hosanna PRC Building Fund

We welcome you into the house of the Lord this Lord's Day. We pray that you may experience the bond of God's love with us as we worship His holy name.

FROM THE COUNCIL

We welcome Rev. Bruinsma to our pulpit today while our pastor is on vacation. Pastor, Crysta, and Carly plan to attend the 100th anniversary of our churches this coming week in Grand Rapids, MI where Pastor will be giving a presentation on the work of the Foreign Mission Committee.

The deacons will meet tomorrow evening, June 2, at 6:30 with the council meeting following at 7:30 PM.

The Consistory will meet next Monday, June 9.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Justin & Courtney Vander Veen are asked to contact Kaleb Van Maanen (kvmaanen@yahoo.com) this week.

We express our Christian sympathy to Ben and Rochelle Bloemendaal and family in the passing of Ben's grandmother, Mrs Donna Bakker, this past Tuesday. The funeral service will be held Tuesday, June 3, at 10:30 AM at the First CRC in Rock Valley.

DENOMINATIONAL NEWS

Cornerstone PRC called Rev. C. Spronk (Faith PRC).

Byron Center PRC called Rev. J. Smidstra (First PRC-Holland) for minister on loan to Provident PRC in the Philippines.

Hope PRC (Redlands, CA) called Rev. W. Langerak (Trinity PRC).

Grace PRC has formed a new trio of Rev. M. De Boer, Rev. W. Langerak, and Rev. J. Smidstra. They plan to call from this trio tonight.

Hudsonville PRC called Rev. Engelsma (Crete PRC). He plans to answer this call today.

Rev. R. Barnhill (Heritage PRC) declined the call from Southwest PRC.

Rev. M. De Boer (Edgerton PRC) declined the call from Lynden PRC.

Rev. J. Maatman (Southeast PRC) declined the call from Grandville PRC.

PRCA SYNOD: Pre-synodical service will be held in Faith PRC, on June 9, beginning at 7:00 PM. Rev. W. Langerak (president of the 2024 Synod) will preach the sermon. Synod will convene on Tuesday, June 10, at 8:00 AM.

Seminary commencement for Aaron Van Dyke will be held, D.V., on Thursday, June 12, at 7:30 at Faith PRC, Jenison, MI. Prof. D. Kuiper will give the address.

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

The latest edition of the *Trinity Times* is available today.

Sunday School will begin next week, June 8. Students are asked to meet today in the sanctuary after the morning service to collect their papers. Please learn Psalter 72E verse 1 for next week.

From the Reformed Book Outlet: We will be open Monday, June 2 from 9-1 if you want to stop in on your way to the 100th Anniversary! We are also filling online orders all week and can deliver them to you at Calvin! All books, Bibles and journals are 25% off! Also, look for our tent and tables at Calvin throughout the week!

Immanuel PRC Singles Retreat: All our geese are in a row, and we're ready to welcome visitors to Lacombe's beautiful Camp Rehoboth THIS WEEK! We'll be "poutine" our best foot forward after 20 months of planning for this retreat. Please remember to travel with the church address on hand for customs. Any issues during travel can be emailed to our retreat email address which will be closely monitored! (immanuelprcsinglesretreat@gmail.com) Thank you to everyone in the denomination who has taken an interest in our efforts and has offered encouragement and prayers for this retreat. Please know you are ALL welcome to make a visit someday to Lacombe, Alberta, CANADA!

Calvary's Summer Bible Camp "Building God's Kingdom" will be held July 28-31. Camp is held at Calvary Mon-Wed at 7 PM with a program/family meal on Thursday. Sign-up sheet is available on the table in the narthex. Campers ages 4-12 are encouraged to join in the fun! We are also looking for volunteers ages 13+ to help each night (volunteers sign up with days you are willing/able to help). Email erin.r.hoekstra@gmail.com for more information or with any questions.

Mark your calendars on September 12th, 2025 for an evening of speeches to be held in connection with the PRCA's 100th anniversary, hosted at Heritage PRC. There will be three half hour speeches covering PRC Early History (Rev. De Boer), History Leading Up to the 1953 Controversy (Rev. Kleyn), and lessons learned from the history (Rev. Barnhill). Refreshments provided! We hope to see you there!

Young Calvinists Blog- Writers wanted! Attention, all ages! Do you have a passion for Reformed Theology, for writing, or for encouraging and edifying young people and young adults? We need you! The Young Calvinists are desperately in need of more blog writers. We are looking for any topic related to spiritual subjects, regardless of its length. No professional writing experience is needed! Interested? Contact us at youngcalvinists@gmail.com or visit our blog to learn more at youngcalvinists.org - 1 Timothy 4:12, "Let no man despise thy youth; but be thou an example of the believers, in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith, in purity."

The 2025 Denominational Directory is now available. Cost is \$20.00. Orders must be placed by filling out an order form (found on the back table in church) and mailing it to the address listed on the form. Please allow for 1-2 weeks for delivery after payment is received.

Hull Protestant Reformed Christian School 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, or Mark Kooima, Education Committee Chairman, at mandn@c-i-service.com for more information.

A full list of teaching positions is available at www.prcs.org under the teaching positions tab.

Offerings next week: AM: General & Benevolent Funds

Reformed Witness Hour: Sunday @ 8:00 A.M. KLOH 1050 AM or listen anytime at reformedwitnesshour.org. Today, we continue Rev. Carl Haak's series on the Beatitudes with "Blessed Are the Merciful" based on Matthew 5:7. Next week, Rev. Haak will bring us "Blessed Are the Pure in Heart" based on Matthew 5:8.

Ushers: June AM: Chayce C, Logan C, Andrew DB

PM: Chase DG, Mike DJ, Dolan DR

Sound Booth: Today: Shane K

Next week: Caleb M

Accompanists: Today: Kelly, Madelyn

Next week: Meghan, Caitlin

Nursery: Today AM: Caitlin C, Jessica VK, Ava K

PM: Laura C, Kerri VDB, Avyn K

Next week AM: Maesa C, Bonnie VE, Melody K

PM: Jill DB, LaDonna VDT, Khloe S