

THIS IS THE LORD'S DAY

August 26, 2012

"I will therefore that men pray every where, lifting up hole hands, without wrath and doubting" I Timothy 2:8

Morning Worship 9:30

Honoring the Gift of God's Holy Name

I. God's Holy Name

II. A Gift to be Honored

III. A Due Punishment

Read: Ezekiel 36: 16-32

Text: LD 36

Psalters: 168, 77, 383, 318

Offerings: **General Fund**

Benevolent Fund

Evening Service 6:00

**James: A Call to the Life of Faith (15)
Patient Unto the Day of Jesus Christ**

I. The Returning of Christ

II. The Calling to be Patient

III. The Blessing of Endurance

Read: James 5: 1-11

Text: James 5: 7-9, 11a

Psalters: 160, 120, 114, 159

Offerings: **Trinity CHS**

Domestic Missions

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. If you are a visitor, please sign the guestbook on the stand in the lobby.

FROM THE COUNCIL

Classis West will meet at our church September 5. The meeting should not be very long, but if members of the congregation are interested in visiting they are welcome to do so. Parts of the meeting will be conducted in

closed session, parts of it will be open session.

The deacons and council will meet September 4. The deacons meeting will begin at 6:00 pm and the Council meeting will begin at 6:45. The reason for the time change is that the church visitors will also be meeting with the council that evening at 8:30.

The Consistory will meet September 11 at 7pm.

The consistory has granted the request of Trent Van Bommel for the sacrament of baptism of their daughter, Janessa Lynn. The baptism will take place, the Lord willing, on Sunday morning, September 2.

This evening we will have our monthly song service beginning at 5:50.

The elders will pass out catechism material after the morning service. Please ensure that your child picks up his or her catechism material. May God grant the children of the church a profitable year of study for God's glory and their own spiritual welfare.

Tuesday morning catechism classes will begin September 4 with OT History for Seniors (grades 6 and 7) beginning at 8:30 am, OT History for Juniors (grades 4 and 5) at 9:20am, NT Bible Stories (grades 2 and 3) at 10:20 am, NT Bible Stories (grade 1) at 11:15 am.

Wednesday evening catechism classes will begin September 5 with Heidelberg Catechism (grades 8 and 9) beginning at 7pm, and Essentials of Reformed Doctrine (grades 10 and 11) beginning at 8pm.

Creeds class (Seniors in high school and above) will begin Sunday September 9 and will take place after the morning service. The class is required for seniors in high school and all other young adults who have not made confession of faith. In addition, those young adults who have made confession of faith are encouraged to attend for a time of study of God's Word. Creeds class will meet every

Sunday after the morning service. However, every fourth Sunday the class will be combined with young people's for discussion of a special topic after the evening service at the church.

Young people's society will have a business meeting, Sunday September 2 after the morning service. Young people's will meet every Sunday morning. However, every fourth Sunday, young people's will be combined with the creeds class for a discussion of a special topic after the evening service at church.

The Council will be making nominations for the office of elder and deacon at the September 4 meeting. Article 22 of the Church Order calls the Council "to give the members an opportunity to direct attention to suitable persons." If you think that certain men are qualified for either the office of elder or deacon and would like to recommend them to the Council, please give your suggestion to a member of the Council. The congregation is encouraged to consider the Biblical requirements as set forth in I Timothy 3 and Titus 1:5-9.

The Consistory has granted the request of Byron Center PRC for the spiritual oversight of Bethany Dykstra who is attending Dordt College again this year. Please welcome her to Calvary and to your homes when possible. Bethany's phone # is 616-460-0600 and email address is bthnydyk@dordt.edu.

DENOMINATIONAL NEWS

Randolph PRC called Rev. G. Eriks

Hope PRC called Rev. R. Kleyn

REQUESTED ANNOUCEMENTS

Plan to attend the annual Trinity Labor Day Breakfast on Monday, September 3 at Trinity High School. We will be serving breakfast from 7:00 to 9:30. **Please sign up on the sheet in church for items that you are able to bring. Your help with this is greatly**

appreciated.

The annual Hull PRCS Foundation Golf Outing will be held on Saturday, September 1 with registration beginning at 11:15 AM. Registration forms will be available in the back of church. For those who will not be golfing, a steak supper will be served for \$15/plate starting at 6:00 P.M.

Senior's Retreat: Only 14 of the 95 people registered are from our local area! Please register now! If you are not able to attend the entire retreat, September 18-21, at the Holiday Inn in Sioux Falls, you are welcome to pick the days you are able to attend for a cost of \$65 per day. Please fill out a registration form with this information. If you plan on attending only the speeches (Tuesday 6:00 p.m. Rev. Koole "Our Heritage of Faith"; Wednesday 9:00 a.m. Rev. Spriensma "Our Heritage of Family and Friends"; Thursday 9 a.m. Prof Dykstra "Our Heritage and the Future) we would appreciate knowing beforehand and we ask for a freewill donation to help cover the expenses of the speakers, meeting room, and refreshments. Please contact LeAnne Westra (605-951-7185) or Pam Wynia (605-351-3143).

Reserve Friday, September 7 for the NWIPRS Ladies Circle Bean Bag Toss Tournament. Sign up your two person team by contacting Janeane Van Ginkel at gink608@yahoo.com or 726-3004. If you would like to be paired with a partner just specify that when you contact her. Sign-ups need to be in by Tuesday, September 4. The tourney will be held at Trinity CHS in Hull. Pizza, Nachos, Ice Cream, Pop & Lemonade will be served. All those 6th grade and older are invited to participate and attend. A freewill donation will be taken for the NWIPRS Ladies Circle. Contact Janeane VG or Crysta B with questions.

Logan C.

There were several items left behind at Michindoh after the Young People's Convention. We collected these things and will keep them for a short time; after which they will be disposed of. Please contact Angie DeVries (616- 735-4817) if you think you may have left something at the camp.

WEALTH: The Bible study books are ready to be picked up in the kitchen. If there is anyone who was forgotten, please call Brenda at 439-2569. Our first meeting will be Wednesday, September 5. Also, there are a few extra books, so if you've decided you would like to be a part of the study, you are more than welcome to attend. We are also still in need of a secretary. Our constitution requires us to have a president, treasurer, and a secretary. If you are willing to do this, let Brenda know. Your help is greatly appreciated!

Offerings next week: a.m. General and Benevolent Fund p.m: Building Fund & Chr. HS Tuition Assistance.

Reformed Witness Hour: Sunday-8:00 A.M.. KLOH 1050 AM; 5:00 P.M. KDCR 88.5 FM. Rev. Haak brings to us "Why is the Sabbath Day Profaned" Next week "Shall We Transgress in Forming Mixed Marriages".

Letters to servicemen:

Jade Vande Kamp- Grant De Jong

Ushers: September: a.m.- Dave De Boer, Mike De Jager, Terry Dolieslager p.m. – Kevin Eppinga, Chad Hoekstra, Scott Hoekstra

Nursery: today a.m.- Michelle K., Jessica W., Krystal K. p.m.- Kris K., Kelly W., Lanae H. Next week a.m.- Patty P., Lisa W., Lindsey VB p.m.– Phyllis U., Verna W.,