

THIS IS THE LORD'S DAY

October 12, 2014

"For we are members of His body, of His flesh, and of His bones."

Ephesians 5:30

Morning Worship 9:30

Living Water From Jerusalem

- I. The Water
- II. The Source
- III. The Full Power

Read: Zechariah 13:1-14:9

Text: Zechariah 14:8

Psalters: 408, 110, 128, 371, 381

Offerings: General Fund
Benevolent Fund

Evening Service 6:00

Paul, Slave of Jesus Christ

- I. The Meaning
- II. Motive

Read: Philippians 1

Text: Philippians 1:1a

Psalters: 292, 225, 151, 383

Offerings: Hull PRCS
Seminary Student Assist.

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

After a week of self-examination, confessing members in good standing are called to partake of the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Your participation in the Lord's Supper is in part a witness that you repent of your sins, believe that Jesus Christ is your righteousness and desire to live a new and godly life. As this heavenly food can be taken to one's judgment (I Cor. 11:28-30) and as the common reception of this food is a confession of doctrinal unity (Acts 2:42), the elders

supervise the partaking of the sacrament. Visitors from other denominations must request permission from the Council.

The consistory has granted Ashley Huizenga's request to partake of the Lord's Supper with us this morning. Ashley is a member of Grace PRC and is attending Dordt. The consistory has also granted Justin and Jenna Zandstra's request to celebrate the Lord's Supper with us. They are members of Hull PRC and plan to join Calvary. We welcome these fellow believers to the Lord's table with us today. May all of us be strengthened in our faith and walk by means of this sign and seal.

The sermon this evening will be an application of the reality of the redemption we have sealed in the Lord's Supper to our lives in the midst of this world.

The consistory will meet Monday October 13 at 7pm.

The Foreign Mission Committee will meet October 21 at 7pm.

Collections for the month of September:
General Fund-15,970.00: Benevolence Fund-\$1182.30: Building Fund-\$6910.52
Christian High Tuition Assistance-\$517.25
Hull PR Christian School-\$6439.85:
Trinity Christian High School-\$1716.75
Domestic Missions-\$248.25

From the deacons: Today we will begin taking collections in a different way than we have been. We will now use all four deacons and we will go from front of church to the back of church on both sides at the same time. Then we will do the same for the second collection.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday: Creeds class and Young Peoples' Society will meet together after the evening service.

Tuesday: Catechism Lesson 6

Wednesday: WEALTH 9:45. We will study Lesson 7. Lunch: Kandace H. Beth DG., Erin

VV. Nursery – Amanda R. Twinkling Stars –

Beth DG. Precious Jewels – Kalie K.

7:00-Heidelberg Catechism: Lesson 34.

8:00-Essentials: Lesson 20b

Thursday: BASIC (Brothers and Sisters in Christ) will meet at 7:00. We will be studying lesson 2 in the Philippians study guide. Lunch-Janae VM., Tonia W. Prayer: Trent VB.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Brett and Emily were blessed with the birth of a baby boy on Monday. Hunter Lane and mom are both doing well. We rejoice with them and pray God's blessing be upon them as they nurture this child in the ways of the Lord. *Psalm 103:17 But the mercy of the LORD is from everlasting to everlasting upon them that fear him, and his righteousness unto children's children;*

DENOMINATIONAL NEWS

First PRC in Grand Rapids MI called Rev. B Huizenga

Doon PRC called Rev. Griess to be missionary to the Philippines. He plans to answer October 19.

Faith PRC called Rev. C. Spronk. He plans to answer October 19.

Covenant ERC of Singapore called Rev. Andrew Laning to be their pastor. He answers October 19.

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

Hull Protestant Reformed Christian School will be conducting its Annual Fall Drive on the evening of Monday, October 27th. Proceeds from the drive will go towards debt reduction. Currently our loan principle is \$200,608.84 with the annual payment of \$46,567.33 due in December. We ask that you give careful consideration to the ongoing support of our covenant Christian grade school.

Ladies of the congregation (high school age and older), Please reserve the evening of Tuesday, October 21, at 7:00pm for a bridal shower for Nathan & Amber Van Maanen, and Harrison and Steph Van Maanen.

If you wish to contribute to a gift card, please get your money to Jessica Westra (jess.westra@gmail.com) by Friday, October 10. We are planning on a grocery/misc. shower. There will be a sign up sheet in church on October 12 for those who are willing to bring food.

Young Reformers Bible Study "Dordt Bible Study" will meet on Wednesday, October 15 to discuss Revelation 20. How do these verses support the doctrine of amillennialism and reject pre- and post-millennialism? In what order can we expect the last events of history to play out?

There is a sign up sheet for an activity for the young people's (grades 9-12) on Saturday October 18. Please meet in the classroom briefly after the morning service for details.

Ladies League has been scheduled for Tues. Oct. 28th at 7:00 PM in Doon PRC. Rev. Joshua Engelsma will speak on the topic "Our Calling to search the Scriptures". There will be a light lunch and fellowship afterwards.

Advance Notice: Trinity Christian High School Harvest Supper (formerly Promotional Supper) will be held Monday, November 10 (this is a different date than noted on our school calendar). Trinity's Fall Auction will be held Friday, November 21.

There are flyers for the Reformation Day Speech on the octagon table in the back of church. Please take a few to hand out to friends or relatives and to hang up in your work building or wherever else you think proper. Thanks

The Reformation Day lecture will be held October 24 at 7:30pm at the BJ Haan auditorium on the Dordt College campus. The lecture will be given by Professor Gritters.

The lecture is being advertised in television commercials and on various radio stations along with other means. The topic is timely and vital. Invite others to come with you! The following is the tag line for the speech being used in various advertisements: *More people today are interested in "Reformed Christianity." This is due in part to a movement called "The New Calvinism" which TIME magazine has called one of the most influential ideas in the world today. Other people have always identified themselves as Reformed Christians, but perhaps have long forgotten what that really means. What makes a Christian a Reformed Christian, and what makes a church a Reformed church? Come to the BJ Haan auditorium in Sioux Center on Friday, October 24 at 7:30pm to explore this topic.*

Advanced Notice: Fall Ladies League has been scheduled for October 28 in Doon. More details will be forthcoming.

What are your plans for Reformation Day, October 31? Crete Protestant Reformed Church is sponsoring a Reformation Day lecture entitled *Abraham Kuyper: A Flawed Reformer* given by Prof. Russell Dykstra on October 31 at 7:30 (CST) at Crete PR Church. We invite you to join us in person. The lecture will also be live streamed via the Internet at www.prccrete.org.

On behalf of the Association for Protestant Reformed Education in Sioux Falls, the board would like to thank those who attended the lecture on September 5. The collection total for the school was \$27,538. DVDs and CDs are available upon request, please contact Brian Brummel by phone at (605) 370-2317 or by email atbrum05@hotmail.com."

The association of Freedom Christian School voted convincingly this week to sell their school to Heritage Christian School. We thank God for His way and His will in this matter. We rejoice in this confirmation of His

plan. The Board of Heritage Christian School continues to move forward with plans for closing the sale in the next 6 weeks or so, DV. As our plans become more clear, volunteering opportunities will be made known. Thanks to all who have already volunteered in some way. We ask your continued prayers for Heritage Christian School and the children that God has blessed us with. The Board of Heritage Christian School

Sing Noel! A Christmas CD from the women's quartet With One Voice is now available! Please contact Carol Streyle 605-376-6867 to order your CD now. Cost is \$15/cd

The Hull Protestant Reformed Christian School is in need of a full-time, licensed 2nd Grade teacher to start the second semester of the 2014-15 school year.

Interested applicants can contact Loren Gritters by phone: [712-439-2490](tel:712-439-2490) (school) or by email: lgritters@hprcs.com or Brad De Boer by phone: [712-541-4278](tel:712-541-4278) or by email: jdeboer@mtcnet.net

Offerings next week: a.m. General and Benevolent Fund p.m. Trinity HS. & Genesis PR School Society (Lacombe)

Reformed Witness Hour: Sunday-8:00 A.M.. KLOH 1050 AM; 5:00 P.M. KDCR 88.5 FM Rev. Bruinsma will bring to us "The Church Institute". Next week, Lord willing, Rev. Bruinsma will bring to us "The Mark of the Church."

Ushers: October: a.m. Carl Vande Kamp, Les Van Den Top, Kyle Van Der Brink p.m. – Brett Vander Veen, Jesse Van Donge, Brian Van Maanen

Nursery: Today a.m.- Lanae H., Courtney D., Carlie H., Dana DB. pm.- Krystal K., Kerri VDB., Abbie E. Next week a.m- Kelsey K., Michelle VB., Alec DB. p.m.-Kris K., Coral VK., Brody D.