

THIS IS THE LORD'S DAY December 18, 2016

**“For thou, LORD, wilt bless the righteous;
with favour wilt thou compass him as with
a shield” Psalm 5:12**

Morning Worship 9:30

Self-Discovery in the Law

I. The Source

II. The Discovery

III. The Hope

Read: Exodus 32:15-35

Text: LD 2

Psalters: 374, 240, 55, 202

Offerings: **General Fund
Benevolent Fund**

Evening Service 5:00

The Origin of Our Misery

I. Our Good Beginning

II. Our Grievous Fall

III. Our Total Corruption

Read: Genesis 3

Text: Lord's Day 3

Psalters: 217, 140, 290, 243

Offerings: **Trinity Christian High 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. Hearing
assistance devices are available at the sound
booth.***

FROM THE COUNCIL

This evening Seminarian Holstege delivers his ninth sermon and final Heidelberg Catechism sermon. The Holstege's plan to leave to go back to Michigan January 2.

This evening's worship service will be held at 5pm due to the singspiration in Edgerton. The Young People are singing Psalter number 109 at the singspiration this evening.

The congregation is called to worship Saturday December 30 at 6pm for our annual Old Year's service. Seminarian Holstege will be bringing us his final sermon of the internship that evening.

Our services on Sunday December 25 and January 1 will meet at regular times.

During the morning service on January 1 we will have installation of newly elected officebearers.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday: Creeds Class and Young Peoples' Society will meet together after the morning service to discuss the special topic. There will be no Young Peoples' or Creeds class the next two weeks due to the holidays.

Tuesday: Tuesday morning classes will meet this week as the children have school Tuesday. They will study Lesson 15. The classes will be canceled for next week due to the holidays.

Wednesday: WEALTH will not meet December 21 or 28. It will resume on January 4.

There will be no Wednesday evening catechism classes this week or next due to the holidays.

Thursday: BASIC Bible Study will have its next meeting Thursday January 5 at 7pm

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

We would like to thank everyone for your continued care for us this past year. Your thoughts, prayers, cards, and any act of kindness have not gone unnoticed. We covet the same as we go forward on this journey. May God bless you throughout this coming year. Psalm 39 vs 4 "Lord, make me to know mine end, and the measure of my days, what it is; that I may know how frail I am.-Alan & Gloria Van Bommel

DENOMINATIONAL NEWS

Rev. Brummel declined the call from First PRC, Holland MI.

Rev. R. Kleyn received the call to the Philippines.

Southwest PRC extended the call to Revs. G Eriks.

REQUESTED ANNOUCEMENTS

We welcome all visitors to Calvary and thank you for being here. If you would like more info about Calvary we ask that you please sign the guest book. We would love to hear from you.

Please review your information for the church directory which is located on the table in the back of church this week and make any changes as needed. If no changes are needed to your information please put a check mark by your name. Thank you.

Sunday school children, please remain after the morning service to practice the Christmas program. Practice will last until noon.

Edgerton Young Peoples invite you to their annual Christmas singspiration on tonight, 7:30 PM.

The winter edition of the Highland Park Review is available today in the back of church. Please limit one copy per family please.

The congregation is invited to the Sunday School Christmas program, Tuesday, December 20 at 7:00

. Sunday school children, please be at church at 6:45. Come out for an evening of praises, celebrating the birth of our Saviour!

The board of Trinity Christian High School will meet Wednesday, Dec 21, at 7:00PM.

SAVE THE DATE: Please make note of next year's Protestant Reformed Young People's Convention date and location, to be hosted by First PRC of Holland. The convention will be held August 7-11, 2017 at Michindoh Conference Center in Hillsdale, MI. More information will follow in the months to come.

In this our 75th anniversary year, we the members of the REFORMED WITNESS HOUR COMMITTEE thank God for preserving our radio and internet broadcast in the Reformed truth of the gospel from 1941 - 2016. We also thank you for your prayer and financial support.

Please continue to remember us in prayer and in your year-end giving as our needs are great.

Special Education Deficit Drive-The PRSE Board thanks all those who responded to our fall drive. We raised \$113,000.00 of our \$262,500.00 annual goal. Please take a look at our updated website:

<http://www.prspecialeducation.org> you are able to go to the Funds tab and scroll down to see our goal meter. Please prayerfully consider Protestant Reformed Special Education in your year-end giving. Thanks for the continued support and prayers. “But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Jesus Christ.” Phil 4:19

Offerings next week: a.m. General and Benevolent Fund p.m. Christian High Tuition Assistance & 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 “Remembering the Creator in Youth” Ecclesiastes 12:1. Next week, “The Ruler from Bethlehem” Micah 5:2 the Lord Willing

Ushers: December a.m. Steve W, Brent Z, Tom A p.m Ben B, Toby B, Darrin B

Nursery: Today a.m Missy D, Becky VM, Cassidy E p.m. Michelle H, Janae VM, Makayla H Next week a.m. Lori E, Kathy VM, Carlie H p.m. Myrna H, Melinda VM, Ava K