

THIS IS THE LORD'S DAY March 10, 2019

“Search me, O God, and know my heart: try me, and know my thoughts:” Psalm 139:23

Morning Worship 9:30

The Necessity of Faith

- I. The Character of Faith
- II. The Activity of Faith
- III. The Object of Faith

Read: John 15:1-15

Text: Lord's Day 7

Psalters: 237, 113, 426, 71

Offerings: **General Fund**

Benevolent Fund

Evening Service 6:00

The King Walking Upon the Sea

- I. The Departure
- II. The Trial
- III. The Calm

Read: Mt. 14:22-33; Mk. 6:45-52; Jn. 6:15-21

Text: Mt. 14:22-33; Mk. 6:45-52; Jn. 6:15-21

Psalters: 252, 6, 76, 352

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

FROM THE COUNCIL

We welcome Rev. James Laning to our pulpit this evening. Rev. Brummel is preaching in Doon PRC.

The consistory will meet Monday, March 11, at 7:00 p.m.

Call to Worship: Our annual prayer day worship service will be held this Wednesday evening, March 13, at 7:00 p.m. The collection will be taken for Free Christian School-Edgerton. Nursery attendants are Keisha B, Mary V, and Annica VB.

We give thanks to God for the offerings for the month of February, General Fund \$15,437.39, Benevolent Fund \$1,363.82, Building Fund \$9,134.24, Hull PRC School \$6,141.75, Trinity Christian \$2,522.75, Covenant Christian School-Lynden \$460.70, P.R. Special Education \$382.75, Emeritus Fund \$199.50.

The elders will continue Family visitation this week making use of Psalm 37:1-11 under the theme: *Trusting in the Lord.*

FAMILY VISITATION

March 12

7-Ron Kruger

8-Brent Zandstra

9-Justin Kooima

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7-Darrell De Vries

8:30-Kevin Van Maanen

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7-Lane Brummel

8-Jesse Van Donge

9-Kyle Brummel

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7-Peter Brummel

8-Ben Bloemendaal

9-Barry Pollema

March 13- after Prayer Day Service

Jacob Pollema Tyler Van Engen

Keri Oostra Courtney Dolieslager

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Mr. Ron Kruger continues his treatments for cancer with treatments on Tuesday of one week and the next week off. This past Tuesday he submitted to another treatment and spent the week recovering from the nausea and regaining strength. We continue to remember the brother in our prayers.

Mrs. Phyllis Uittenbogaard submitted to surgery this past Tuesday on her left hand. The surgeons believe the surgery went well but she will be very limited with her use of that hand for the next weeks. We remember her and her family in prayer through this time of recovery and therapy.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday: The YP will continue their treatment of the book of Revelation. The Creeds class will continue their review of the Canons of Dordt.

Tuesday: Bible History Classes: Lesson 22

Wednesday: Due to our Prayer Day worship service the Wednesday evening catechism classes will not meet this week.

WEALTH Lesson 22 Nursery: Michelle VB 2 year old room: Courtney E, Lunch: Marilyn TG

Thursday: Bible Study will meet this Thursday, March 14, at 7:00 p.m. to study Belgic Confession Articles 33, 34. Ellen B. and Lisa O. will provide refreshments. Matt B. will close in prayer.

DENOMINATIONAL NEWS

Rev. Laning declined the call from Immanuel PRC in Lacombe, AB.

Trinity PRC in Hudsonville, MI called Rev. W. Langerak (Southeast PRC- Grand Rapids, MI)

Rev. Haak continues to consider the call to be Minister on Loan to Singapore.

Classis West met this past Wednesday and Thursday and dealt with two appeals of members against the decisions of their respective consistories. In the first appeal, the individual objected to a consistory's decision to read an apology in response to his protest of his minister's preaching on the doctrine of providence. The individual argued that his consistory must proceed rather to suspension under Articles 79-80 of the Church Order. After careful deliberation, Classis upheld this appeal, judging that the minister was guilty of a fundamental and persistent doctrinal error and that an apology was inadequate in this instance. Classis advised the consistory to suspend their pastor and conduct an investigation into the extent of his error. If the consistory should request it, Classis appointed a special committee to assist in the implementation of the decisions. Due to the nature of the second appeal, it was treated entirely in closed session. After careful deliberation, Classis upheld the individual's appeal and gave instruction to the consistory involved. Classis approved pulpit supply for Immanuel PRC (Lacombe, AB) and subsidy requests for 2020 for Bethel, Covenant of Grace, and Edmonton. Classis appointed Revs. Hanko, Key, R. Kleyn, and Laning as church visitors, with Revs. Brummel and T. Miersma as alternates. Ministers delegated to Synod were Revs. Brummel, Huizinga, Key, R. Kleyn, and Laning. Elders delegated to Synod were Brian Gritters (Hull), Hilgard Goosen (Immanuel), Alan Meurer (Bethel), Don Terpstra (Peace), and Bert Worries (Crete).

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

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.

The deacons and care committee would like to thank the congregation for their willingness to help on committees this coming year. We would appreciate if we can have some more volunteers, especially with transportation. The sign-up sheets will be in the back of church.

Church Band will practice after the morning service. Church Choir will practice AFTER the evening service today.

The adult choir and band of Calvary PRC are planning to present a Spring Program of music on Sunday, March 17 at 8:00 p.m. All are invited.

You are invited to Trinity Christian's Pasta Feed and Game Night on Friday, March 22, featuring a freewill donation lasagna supper (5:00pm-7:30pm), volleyball (high school age and older, \$10/person), bean bags (grade school, free), and Rook (all ages, \$5/person). The volleyball tournament will again have separate divisions based on competitive edge, as indicated by your team captain upon sign-up. To ask questions or to sign up, email Rochelle Bloemendaal (rbloemendaal@trinitychs.org).

All are welcome to attend a school lecture by Rev. M. DeBoer on Friday, March 22 at 7:30 p.m. at Heritage PRC. The event is sponsored by the Association for PR Education in Sioux Falls.

Advanced Notice: The Young People's Society will be having their annual Potato Bake on Wednesday evening, March 27. We hope to see you there!

Save the date: Heritage PRC plans to host the spring Ladies League meeting on Thursday, April 25.

Future Teachers and Ministers: Information for the 2019 PR Scholarship Fund essay competition is now available. Please email prescholarship@gmail.com to receive the essay topics and submission requirements. Completed essays must be submitted by May 31st.

2019 YOUNG PEOPLE'S CONVENTION: The 2019 Protestant Reformed Young People's Convention, hosted by Southwest PRC and Providence PRC, will be held August 12-16, 2019 at Camp Michindoh in Hillsdale, Michigan. Visit preconvention.com for more information.

The Senior Retreat is scheduled for September 17-20, 2019 at Gull Lake Ministries. Speeches are being planned with the theme of: God's Care for Us. The speakers are Rev. Spronk, Rev. Bruinsma, and Rev. Koole.

Offerings next week: a.m. General and Benevolent Fund p.m. Trinity Christian High School

Reformed Witness Hour: Sunday-8:00 A.M..KLOH 1050 AM; 5:00 P.M. KDCR 88.5 FM Rev R Kleyn will bring us "Love Does Not Act Inappropriately" I Corinthians 13:5. Next week, the Lord Willing, Rev R Kleyn will bring us "Love is Not Self-Seeking" I Corinthians 13:5.

Ushers: March a.m. Evan W, Joel W, Kyle W p.m. Brent Z, Thomas A, Ben B

Nursery: Today a.m. Crysta B, Kathy VM, Belle S p.m. Ellen B, Melinda VM, Kylie S Next week am Kim Br, Britney W, Skyler VB S p.m. Meghan B, Jeralyn W, Emma VDT