

THIS IS THE LORD'S DAY July 14, 2019

**“For ye were as sheep going astray;
but are now returned unto the Shepherd and
Bishop of your souls.” I Peter 2:25**

Morning Worship 9:30 (Lord's Supper)

A Love Better Than Wine

I. The Love

II. The Comparison

III. The Response

Read: Song of Solomon 1

Text: Song of Solomon 1:1-4

Psalters: 269, 95, 7, 280

Offerings: **General Fund
Benevolent Fund**

Evening Service 6:00 (Applicatory)

Jehovah Preserving His Sheep

I. The Call

II. The Obedience

III. The Safety

Read: John 10

Text: John 10: 27-30

Psalters: 275, 346, 96, 81

Offerings: **Reformed Witness Committee
Emeritus Fund**

*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

After a week of self-examination, confessing members in good standing are called and privileged to partake of the sacrament of the Lord's Supper this morning. Our participation in the Lord's Supper is a witness that we repent of our sins, believe that Jesus Christ is our righteousness, and desire to live in godliness. As this heavenly food can be taken to one's judgment (I Cor. 11:28-30) and as the receiving of this food as a congregational body is a confession of doctrinal

oneness (Acts 2:42), the elders supervise the partaking of the sacrament. If you are visiting from another PRC congregation, please contact the elders before communing. Visitors from other denominations must appear to make their request at the consistory meeting prior to communion. If we cannot administer the sacrament to you, we are not judging whether or not you are a child of God; we are simply recognizing the reality that there is not at this time doctrinal agreement between our respective church bodies. Please respect our desire to be faithful to God's Word in this matter.

The sacrament of baptism will be administered next week Sunday morning to Hendrick Alan, son of Mr. & Mrs. Harrison Van Maanen, and to Savannah Rose, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Taylor Hoekstra.

In order to give the deacons more time to complete their month-end reports, the consistory will meet regularly on the first Monday of each month while the council will meet on the second Monday of the month.

One of the special collections this evening is for the Reformed Witness Committee. About \$20 per family per year is required from the 5 local congregations in order to cover the expenses which include sponsoring the RWH on local radio stations, the fall lecture, the Dordt Bible Study and local joint evangelism activities.

With thanksgiving to God, the following offerings were received in June: General Fund \$21,396.01, Benevolent Fund \$2,720.55, Building Fund \$7,770.85, Hull PRCS \$13,497.05, Trinity Christian High School \$3,182.75, Pittsburgh PRC Building \$292, Philippine Book Fund \$320.

The Foreign Mission Committee will meet Tuesday, July 16, at 7:00 PM at Hull PRC.

Advance Notice: Calvary plans to host Classis West on Wednesday, September 25. An office bearer conference is being planned for Tuesday, September 24, and there is a possibility of a call to worship that Tuesday evening should there be a Candidate examination. There will be a need for lodging for delegates, transportation to and from airports, and kitchen help.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Mr. Ron Kruger had an evaluation this week that noted slight growth in his tumors. The doctors

have determined to discontinue his current infusion treatments and treat him with oral chemotherapy pills beginning in the next week or two. We remember our brother through the adjustment to this different treatment and pray that God continue to uphold him by grace in the experience of peace and contentment through this trial.

DENOMINATIONAL NEWS

Rev. Brian Huizinga has accepted the call to serve as professor in our seminary. He plans to preach his farewell in Hope PRC on July 21 and move to the Grand Rapids, MI area at the end of this month.

Hope PRC (Redlands, CA) announces a trio of Rev. Jonathan Mahtani (Cornerstone, IN), Candidate Matt Kortus, and Candidate Jacob Maatman. They plan to call from this trio on July 21.

Rev. R. Kleyn (Covenant of Grace, Spokane, WA) declined the call from Southeast PRC (Grand Rapids, MI).

Immanuel PRC in Lacombe, AB plans to call this evening from their trio of Rev. Dennis Lee (Bethel- Roselle, IL), Candidate Matt Kortus, and Candidate Jacob Maatman.

Grandville PRC called Rev. Joshua Engelsma (Doon, IA) for Minister on Loan to Singapore.

From the Philippines: The congregation of the PRCP in Bulacan (the calling church for the PRC in the Philippines' mission field in Albuera, Leyte) extended a call to Rev. Vernon Ibe, pastor of the Berean PRC to serve as a missionary of the PRCP in the Protestant Reformed Fellowship in Albuera, Leyte.

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.

Sunday School children are asked to learn Psalter 47 vs. 10 for next week.

The annual society meeting of Trinity Christian High School is scheduled for Monday, July 22 at 7:30PM. Meeting agendas are available today at church. Nominations for board members are James Hoogendoorn III, Chad Uittenbogaard, Tim Postma and Brian Van Engen.

WEALTH is beginning to prepare for this year's Bible Study. There is a handout with more information in the fellowship hall. Please sign up on the sheet if you plan to attend. If you have any questions, contact Jill Maassen.

Trinity Christian High School of Hull, Iowa, is seeking to fill a science teaching position in the 2019-2020 school year and beyond. One of our science teachers is expecting a baby in November! We are willing to work with the qualified applicant as per a starting date and teaching assignments. Interested persons should contact the education committee chairman, Craig Hoksbergen, (crg_hoks@outlook.com or 712-441-6139) or the principal, Jim Regnerus, (jregnerus@trinitychs.org or 712-470-0424).

Senior Retreat: Don't Delay! Reservation closes on August 1. Join us for fellowship Sept 17-20 at Gull Lake Ministries. Forms are available at zionprc.org. Click on 'Senior Retreat'.

Offerings next week: AM: General & Benevolent Funds
PM: Trinity Christian High School

Reformed Witness Hour: Sunday @ 8:00 A.M. KLOH 1050 AM; 5:00 P.M. KDCR 88.5 FM -- Today Rev. Cory Griess will bring us "Limited Atonement (1)" John 10:15. Next week, the Lord Willing, Rev. Griess will bring us "Limited Atonement (2)" 1 John 4:10, Gal. 3:13, Rom. 5:10

Ushers: July AM: Jordan K, Justin K, Randall K
PM: Brandon K, Juan O, Jacob P

Nursery: Today AM: Belle S, Olivia VDT, Abby P, Skyler VB
PM: Missy D, Brianna T, Kylie S
Next week AM: Lori E, Phyllis U, Annica VB
PM: Carlie H, Lindsey VB, Ali VDB