

# THIS IS THE LORD'S DAY March 8, 2020

“Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity!”

Psalm 133:1

## Morning Service 9:30

### The Traveler's Trust

- I. The Comprehensive Calling
- II. The Exclusive Object
- III. The Encouraging Promise

Read: Proverbs 3

Text: Proverbs 3:5-6

Psalters: 247, 281, 248, 100

Offerings: **General Fund**  
**Benevolent Fund**

## Evening Service 6:00

### God's Servant Punished for Our Straying

- I. Our Sinful Straying
- II. God's Servant Punished

Read: Isaiah 52:13-53:12

Text: Isaiah 53:6

Psalters: 255, 109, 342, 376

Offering: **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. If you would like more info about Calvary, we ask that you please sign the guest book in the back. Hearing assistance devices are available at the sound booth.*

## FROM THE COUNCIL

We welcome Rev. Engelsma to our pulpit this morning and Rev. J. Langerak to our pulpit this evening. Our pastor is preaching in Edgerton today. May God bless the Word that is preached to the glory of His name and the edification of His church.

The council will meet this week Monday, March 9, at 7 PM at church.

Our annual Prayer Day worship service will be held this Wednesday, March 11, at 7:00 PM. Offering: Free Christian School (Edgerton, MN) – Nursery:

Carlie H, Bonnie VE, Avery VM – Sound Booth:  
Steve H

The sacrament of baptism will be administered to Graham Douglas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chase De Groot, next Sunday morning, March 15, Lord willing.

## CHURCH CALENDAR

**Sunday:** Young People's Society will meet after the morning service to continue their study on Romans.

Pre-confession class will not meet this morning.

Church Band and Choir: Church choir will meet at 4:45 PM today. Band will meet at 7:30 PM tonight.

**Tuesday:** Bible History Classes: Lesson 21

**Wednesday:** No evening catechism classes this week due to the Prayer Day service.

WEALTH: Lesson 22. Nursery: Danielle W, Katie W – Lunch: Kolette V, Kathy P, Rachel K

**Thursday:** Bible Study: Romans 4:1ff – Lunch: Ellen B & Verna W – Prayer: Evan W

**Family Visitation:** “The Unity of the Body” based on I Corinthians 12:12-31

### March 10

1 – Bernard Driesen

2 – Gert Van Den Top

3 – John Hoksbergen

### March 10

7 – Peter Brummel

8 – Ben Bloemendaal

9 – Nathan Van Maanen

### March 10

7 – Lane Brummel

8 – Jesse Van Donge

9 – Kyle Brummel

### March 10

7 – Darrell De Vries

8:30 – Kevin Van Maanen

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

“To our Calvary congregation: We want to thank you for your care, concern, meals, visits and prayers in the months since Carl's injury.” - “Our soul waiteth for the Lord: he is our help and shield.” Psalm 33:20

-Carl and Brenda Vande Kamp

## DENOMINATIONAL NEWS

Rev. Engelsma (Doon, IA) is considering calls from Cornerstone PRC (Dyer, IN) and Kalamazoo PRC.

First Protestant Reformed Church of Edmonton has released their pastor, Rev John Marcus, under Article 11 of the Church Order with the concurrence of Classis West and the synodical delegates. Rev. Marcus is now available for call within the Protestant

Reformed Churches. May God bless the decisions of this Classis for the glory of His name.

A full report of the activities of Classis West this past week can be found in your mailboxes.

## REQUESTED ANNOUCEMENTS

The Young Calvinists will be hosting a Talking Points Lecture this Saturday, March 14, from 2-4 PM at Georgetown PRC. Seminarian Josiah Tan will be speaking on "Evangelism & The Covenant: How these two doctrines come together in the PRC's sister church in Singapore." This interactive workshop will be live-streamed to our churches in and out of state! We encourage you to message us on Facebook with any questions on local evangelism that you would like addressed by our speaker.

The young people's potato bake will be held at the grade school gym on March 25 from 5:30-7:00 PM. Each family with a member of young people's will find a sheet with requested food donations in their mailbox.

Grandparents of seniors at Trinity Christian High School are invited to join the seniors in their classes and for noon lunch on Friday, March 27, at 10:00 AM. More details will be coming from your senior grandchild.

Professor David J. Engelsma will be speaking at the Reformed Bible Conference on April 17 at Richland Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church in Rosemark, TN. The conference, focusing on the theme “The Triune God – Defined, Defended, & Declared,” is open to the public and free to attend. A flyer containing additional details on the conference can be made available by emailing the Crete PRC evangelism committee secretary at [andrewlenting@gmail.com](mailto:andrewlenting@gmail.com).

Save the date of Friday evening, April 24, at 7 PM for the annual Christian education lecture sponsored by the Sioux Falls School Society. Rev. Jonathan Langerak will be speaking on "God's Power Magnified in Clay Pots: Reformed Education in a Parental School" at Heritage PRC. Fellowship and refreshments to follow.

Colorado Retreat: Save the dates August 3-6, 2020 for a young adult retreat in Colorado!

2020 PRYP Convention - Registration for the 2020 Young People's Convention opens on Monday, March 16! Chaperone registration is open until the end of March, so please register now if you would like to

serve as a chaperone this year. The convention is planned for August 10-14, 2020 at the Lake Williamson Camp in Carlinville, IL. To register as a chaperone, go to [www.prconvention.com](http://www.prconvention.com), and follow the instructions under the Chaperone tab. If you have questions, email us at [Chaperone@prconvention.com](mailto:Chaperone@prconvention.com).

Future Teachers and Ministers: Information for the 2020 PR Scholarship Fund essay competition is now available. Please email [prscholarship@gmail.com](mailto:prscholarship@gmail.com) to receive the essay topics and submission requirements. Completed essays must be submitted by May 30th.

A full list of open teaching positions can be found on the bulletin board in the back of church.

**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. Rodney Kleyn continues his series on prayer with “Praying for Daily Bread” Luke 11:3. Next week, the Lord willing, Rev. Kleyn will bring us “Forgive Us Our Debts” Luke 11:4.

**Ushers:** March AM: Jesse E, Shane K, Justin K  
PM: Randy K, Brandon K, Juan O

**Sound Booth:** Today: Logan C  
Next week: Nathan S

**Nursery:** Today AM: Cassidy E, Michelle VB, Ali VDB  
PM: Lori E, Kerri VDB, Hannah VG  
Next week AM: Erin H, LaDonna VDT, Jaelyn VM  
PM: Myrna H, Wendy VD, Megan VM

## QUOTES FOR CONTEMPLATION

*The quenching of your thirst comes not by drinking deeply of beer, but by imbibing “the sincere milk of the word” (1 Pet. 2:2). Real merriment and rest for your soul come not by spirits with drinking songs, but by the Spirit with psalms (Eph. 5:18-19). You cannot wash away with mind-numbing liquor the guilt that plagues your conscience; only the blood of Christ drunk by the mouth of faith has such power. Our drinking problem is not only that we drink underage, excessively, and idolatrously, but also that we are not drinking what is far more satisfying. Let Reformed people repent of drunkenness and in so doing earnestly partake of the water of life freely (Rev. 22:17)*

-J. Mahtani (“A Drinking Problem” *The Standard Bearer* Issue: 11, 3/1/2020)