

# THIS IS THE LORD'S DAY August 16, 2020

**“The Lord of hosts hath sworn, saying, Surely as I have thought, so shall it come to pass; and as I have purposed, so shall it stand”  
Isaiah 14:24**

## Morning Service 9:30

### **Prayer for Forgiveness**

I. A Bold Petition  
II. A Confident Ground  
III. A Necessary Petition  
Read: Matthew 18:15-35  
Text: Lord's Day 51

Psalters: 403, 1, 178, 61

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

## Evening Service 6:00

### **The Power of Faith**

I. The Faith  
II. The Foundation  
III. The Fruit  
Read: Hebrews 10:19-11:13

Text: Hebrews 11:1-2

Psalters: 402, 177, 214, 71

*Offering:* **Hull PR School**

## FROM THE COUNCIL

The catechism materials will be distributed today out of the catechism room. All students in grades 1-11 should come and get their materials. The consistory approved catechism beginning Wednesday, August 26, for the Heidelberg Catechism and Essentials classes. The Bible History classes will begin on Tuesday, September 1.

The public confessions of faith of Shaely Brummel, Thomas Brummel, and Dawson Vis will take place next week Sunday evening, Lord willing.

The consistory will resume conducting scheduled family visitation this week under the theme “The Unity of the Body” based on I Corinthians 12:12-31. Schedules are found in the mailboxes of those who are scheduled to be visited in the next weeks.

The consistory has approved the request to take spiritual oversight of Nicki Kuiper, a confessing member of Faith PRC while she attends Dordt University in the coming school year. We pray that she will be blessed under the preaching of God's Word while here at Calvary.

The Reformed Witness Committee will meet at Doon PRC at 7 PM on Monday, August 17.

With thanksgiving to God, the offerings for July were the following: General Fund \$19,341.00, Benevolent Fund \$2,920.00, Building Fund \$6,011.00, Hull PRCS \$5,789.50, Trinity CHS \$2,820.75, Reformed Witness Committee \$407.00, Edmonton Emmanuel PR School \$285.00, Emeritus Fund \$212.00.

## CHURCH CALENDAR

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

### August 17

7 – Steve Westra  
8 – Jordan Tamminga  
9 – Jeremy Driesen

### August 17

7 – Justin Kooima  
8 – Brent Zandstra  
9 – Heath Heynen

### August 17

7 – Thomas Andringa  
8 – Trent Van Bommel  
9 – Glenn Kooima

### August 18

1 – Bernie Driesen

### August 19

7 – Seth Vis  
8 – Courtney Andringa  
9 – Lyle Van Ravensway

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

“To the entire congregation of Calvary. I would like to thank everyone for your thoughts, expressions of kindness, and prayers during my time in the hospital and in recovery. Being part of this congregation and the members here is not something I take lightly and I pray for daily.” – Hebrews 12:1 - “Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us. Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith”

-Gary Westra and family

## DENOMINATIONAL NEWS

First PRC in Edmonton called Rev. M. VanderWal (Wingham PRC). He plans to answer this call next week.

Rev. C. Spronk (Faith PRC) declined the call from Kalamazoo PRC.

Cornerstone PRC (Dyer, IN) called Rev. M. De Boer (Edgerton PRC).

Due to the current restrictions on indoor gatherings in the state of Michigan, the Theological School Committee has cancelled the 2020 seminary convocation (usually held in early September). Please continue to pray for the Lord's blessing upon the work of our seminary, especially the labors of the professors and students.

## REQUESTED ANNOUCEMENTS

The board of Trinity Christian High School will meet Wednesday, August 19, at 7:00 PM.

The Lord willing, Hull Protestant Reformed Christian School will begin the 2020-2021 school year on Monday, August 24. Everyone is invited to attend our convocation exercises at 8:45 AM at the Hull Protestant Reformed Church. Rev. Brummel will be the speaker. All are invited to school after convocation for refreshments. The students will be dismissed from school at 2:30.

WEALTH: First meeting: September 2. We are in need of a full-time helper for the 2-year-old room, and a full time helper for the 3-year-old room. We also have a need for two more hospitality helpers. If you are willing to fill any of these needs, please contact Lori H at lorihoogendoorn@gmail.com. Also, because WEALTH ended early last year, donations were down, and we find ourselves unable to cover the cost of the study materials for this year. The suggested donation for the printed study guides is \$10 this year, and we respectfully ask that you remember this urgent need as you prepare your donation for the first meeting's collection. Thank you, and we are so thankful that God has made it possible for us to meet again this year! We look forward to studying His Word in Isaiah with you all.

ATTN Young People's Society members & incoming freshmen: Plan to attend an Amazing Race designed by Cheryl Kooiker throughout the Sheldon area on Saturday, Sept. 5. It will be starting from the Kooiker Farm at 5 PM sharp. RSVPs are required by Aug. 23 in order to make up the teams needed in

planning for this big event. It is a 10-stop race, so will be accepting the first 36 kids for 9 teams. A donation of \$5 per player to defray expenses, thank you. More details to come in the coming weeks. Please call or text, Cheryl Kooiker (348-3886) or Lisa De Boer (348-1432).

The Bible Study kick-off supper will be held Thursday, September 17 at church. We will enjoy fellowship around a meal and conduct our business meeting afterward.

Save the date: The Hull PRCS Foundation golf outing will take place on Saturday, September 19. More details to follow.

Lord willing, we will have another short conference for Protestant Reformed Singles (geared towards those ages 25+) on September 25-27 in Grand Rapids, MI. Rev. Jonathan Mahtani and Rev. Stephan Regnerus will be the speakers. To register, please email prcsinglesconference@gmail.com or find us on Facebook. Registration forms are due by September 7.

The Evangelism Committee of Edgerton PRC is planning the fall lecture for Friday, October 30, at 7:30 PM. The lecture will be held at Bethel CRC in Edgerton with Professor Kuiper speaking on the topic “How Rightly to See Christ in Scripture.” Please mark this on your calendars and plan now to attend.

**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. Audred Spriensma continues his series on the covenant with “The Unbreakable Covenant” Psalm 89:3. Next week, Rev. Spriensma will bring us “Walking With God” Amos 3:3.

**Ushers:** August AM: Jordan VM, Harrison VM, Kevin VM  
PM: Terry VM, Lyle VR, Jon VR

**Sound Booth:** Today: Nathan S  
Next week: Randy K

**Nursery:** Today AM: Katie K, Becky VM, Madelyn V  
PM: Vanessa K, Janae VM, Mattais V  
Next week AM: Katelyn K, Amber VM, Colton W  
PM: Courtney R A, Kathy VM, Marissa W