

Sunday, April 12, 2015

Whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Colossians 3:17

THANK YOU to those who are serving us during worship today.

MUSICIANS: Jan Johnson & Angie Meester

GREETERS. Today – North Door – Ryan & Stacy Edeker

South Door – Steve & Charlene Kramer

Next Sunday: North Door – Ken & Nancy Mehmen

South Door – Clarence & June Karsjens

USHERS. Today, a.m. – Ken Mehmen

Next Sunday – Ken Kramer

COFFEE SERVERS. This week – *No Coffee*

Next week – Dale & Angie Meester

THIS WEEK AT PARKERSBURG CRC

Today	9:30 a.m. – Worship Service
	10:45 a.m. – Sunday School & Catechism
	5:30 p.m. – Spring Supper
Wednesday	9:00 a.m. – Prayer Time in Fellowship Hall
	1:30 p.m. – Sunshine Circle at Maple Manor
	6:15 p.m. – Life Plus
	8:00 p.m. – Young Peoples
Next Sunday	9:30 a.m. – Worship Service
	10:45 a.m. – Sunday School
	6:00 p.m. – Worship Service

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Because the tables are set for the Spring Supper tonight, there will be no coffee after the service this morning.

The second offering next Sunday will be for Faith Promise.

We will not be having a regular evening worship this week due to the Spring Dinner hosted by the Sunshine Circle.

The Spring Supper will start tonight at 5:30 PM.

Sunshine Circle will meet at Maple Manor Assisted Living at 1:30 PM for their lesson. Kay will serve.

You will find the nomination letter and ballots in your mailboxes this week. Please prayerfully consider this important opportunity for choosing the Elders and Deacons and return the ballots to the designated box in the Fellowship Hall.

A church nursery is now available for children ages 3-4 and under at the west end of the church basement. Children must be supervised by their parents as the nursery currently is not staffed. The nursery is available to all attendees and visitors.

First Congregational Church in Parkersburg would like to invite everyone to come to this year's Missions Conference, April 18-19. Our special guests will be Gabe Handy, director of *JESUS* Film Media, Janet Lyons from Alternative Pregnancy Center, and T.J. Hanken with Resourcing NOW. Mission Fair booths will be open during the Saturday evening supper, Sunday School and after the Sunday morning 10:15 service.

All ladies are invited to the Ladies Salad Luncheon at the First Congregational Church in Parkersburg on Saturday, April 18th at 12:00 noon. Janet Lyons will be sharing about the outreach ministry of Alternatives here in the Cedar Valley. Please join us for a time of blessing.

Saturday, April 18, 6:00 p.m. Potluck meal. 6:45 Evening service in Fellowship Hall, Gabe Handy Speaker, director of Jesus Film Media, and Missions Fair. Randy and Gin Popham (Gin is the daughter of Ivadell Primrose), will represent JAARS, be exhibiting at the Missions Fair and would be happy to visit with people from the area.

There will be a craft and vendor show in New Hartford at the School and Community Center on April 25th from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Over 60 crafters and vendors will be participating.

Timothy Christian School in rural Wellsburg is seeking an experienced teacher who will serve part-time as Dean of Students and part-time teaching some subjects in a 5th-6th combination classroom for the 2015-2016 school year. A successful candidate should have a growing relationship with God and feel called to share a Christian worldview with students. The desire to pursue an administrative degree is encouraged. Interested candidates should send a resume and cover letter to jvoss@timothychristianschool.net.

Timothy Christian School in Wellsburg will hold Kindergarten Round-up on Tuesday, April 21 from 8:20-3:15. Lunch and a free T-shirt will be provided. If you are considering Christian Education and would like to schedule a tour, please call Janna Voss at 319-239-1903.

Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church

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WE COME NEAR TO GOD

Prelude:

Welcome

Call to Worship: **Psalm 40:16**

*Song: TCH 336 **There Is a Fountain**

*God's Greeting

*Mutual Greeting

Song of Praise:

Old Testament Reading: **Psalm 42** (pg. 881)

Hymn of Response: TCH 330 **Are You Washed in the Blood?**

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Scripture: **John 20:19-31** (pg. 1686)

Message: **DOUBT AND TEMPTATION**

Prayer of Dedication

SERVICE OF CONSECRATION

*Hymn of Gratitude: TCH 334 **The Blood Will Never Lose Its Power**

Morning Prayer

Offertory & Offering: (1) General Fund
(2) Ministry Shares

RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

Hymn: TCH 338 **Wonderful Grace of Jesus**

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: TCH 343 (v. 1) **Amazing Grace**

*Postlude