

Sunday, April 17, 2016

Give thanks to the Lord, call on his name; make known among the nations what he has done. Sing to him, sing praise to him; tell of all his wonderful acts. Psalm 105:1

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

MUSICIANS: Jan Johnson & Angie Meester

GREETERS. Today - North Door - Clarence & June Karsjens

South Door - Paul & Darlene Bruns

Next Sunday: North Door - Arnie & Kay Swanson

South Door - Dennis & Sharon Schipper

USHERS. Today, a.m. - Gerald Haan

Next Sunday - Mark Kramer

VALET PARKING. Today - Rollyn DeGroot

Next Sunday - Chet Hay

COFFEE SERVERS. This week - Dale & Angie Meester

Next week - Marlyn & Marcia Allspach

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Next week - Nancy, Joel/Brandy, DeBergs

Please note: If there are any differences between the schedule in the bulletin and the schedule in the Shepherd's Staff, please follow the schedule in the Shepherd's Staff.

THIS WEEK AT PARKERSBURG CRC

Today 9:30 a.m. - Worship Service
6:00 p.m. - Worship Service
Wednesday 9:00 a.m. - Prayer Time in Fellowship Hall
1:30 p.m. - Sunshine Circle
6:15 p.m. - Life Plus
Next Sunday 9:30 a.m. - Worship Service
6:00 p.m. - Worship Service

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Congratulations to Ida Folken, who will be observing her 93rd birthday on April 22.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Everyone is invited for coffee and fellowship following the worship service this morning.

We welcome Pastor Robert Holwerda and Pastor Fred Rietema to our pulpit this morning.

The second offering next Sunday will be for the Back to God Hour.

Sunday School will not be held today because of the luncheon.

Sunshine Circle will meet this Wednesday at 1:30 PM. Kay and Ruth will serve.

Nominations: It is time again to nominate for the office of Elder and Deacon. You will find the information in your mailboxes with the ballots.

Please take the time to prayerfully consider those who will lead us for the next few years.

If you haven't noticed it already, the church website has been redesigned. Make sure to check it out at <http://www.parkersburgcrc.org>. And also if you haven't done so already, make sure to like the church Facebook page at <http://www.facebook.com/parkersburgcrc>. Announcements of church events and other information is posted here.

The General Fund Collection for April 3 was \$3,493.75. The target amount for each week is \$2,400.00.

125th Memorabilia offered

A 30 page memory book has been compiled for the 125th Anniversary of our church. Pictures of the past and present are included. The books are available and can be purchased for the cost of \$30. Please makes checks payable to the Parkersburg CRC 125th Anniversary. A limited supply is on hand but more can be ordered. These are a very nice keepsake and would make great gifts for family members.

There are also some small bookmarks available with the theme imprint available. A small donation of \$1.50 would be appreciated. Again, a limited supply is on hand, but more can be ordered.

Thank you to the Anniversary Committee for their work and dedication to make this a memorable celebration week. Members included Darrell Druvenga, Jan Johnson, Sharon Schipper, Mary Johnson, Karen Oltman, Deb Prier, and Angie Meester.

Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church

April 17, 2016 - Morning Service - 9:30 AM

Organ Prelude
Sherry Mehmen Langfritz

Call to Worship
Pastor Rus Boersma

Litany
.....Deb Prier

Hymn **How Great Thou Art**
 TCH #147

Mutual Greeting

Greetings
.....Mary Koster
.....Classis

Northcentral Iowa

Song **Jesus Loves Me** *led by the Sunday
School Children*

Words for Christian Living Nicene Creed Pastor
Rus Boersma

Special Music The Lighthouse
 Lu Jansen

Scripture **Ephesians 1:1-14**

Message **GOD'S ASTOUNDING BLESSINGS** Pastor
Robert Holwerda

Hymn **We are So Blessed**
TCH # 795

PrayerPastor
Fred Rietema

Offertory

Hymn **Find Us Faithful**
TCH #456

BenedictionPastor
Rus Boersma

Doxology God Be With You Till We Meet Again
TCH #232

Organ PostludeSherry
Mehmen Langfritz

**SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP - April 17, 2016 -
6:00 PM**

Organ PreludeJanet Johnson and
Angie Meester

Call to WorshipPastor
Rus Boersma

Litany

Hymn Sing
.....Darrell Druvenga
Faith of Our Fathers TCH # 404
He Leadeth Me TCH # 690
The Solid Rock TCH # 526

Apostle's Creed
.....Darrell Druvenga

Gloria Patri

Special MusicJanet Johnson, Sandy
Cox and Family

Congregational Prayer
.....Clarence Karsjens

OfferingJanet Johnson and
Angie Meester

Hymn **Ancient Words**
on the screen

Scripture and Message **WHAT MATTERS**
Acts 15:1-19 Pastor
Rus

Hymn **Make Me a Blessing**
TCH #670

Benediction
.....Pastor Rus

Hymn **Jehovah is My Light**
PS Hymnal #47
Organ PostludeJanet Johnson and
Angie Meester