

**Sunday, April 20, 2025**

*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

**THIS WEEK AT PARKERSBURG CRC**

Today 9:30 a.m. – Morning Worship Service

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**OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

**Please keep** the Mulder family in your prayers, as Rod Mulder passed away this past Thursday. The funeral will be held on Tuesday, April 22, at 10:30 a.m. at our church. Visitation will be held on Monday, April 21, from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the Redman Funeral Home, and one hour before the funeral service.

**Please remember** those of our congregation who live alone and those alone in care facilities through a phone call or a card.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Everyone is invited** for coffee and fellowship following the worship service this morning. There is a sign-up sheet on the counter for volunteers to serve.

**The second offering** next Sunday will be for World Renew.

**We welcome** Reverend Tom Niehof to our pulpit this morning.

**Please check your** mailboxes for the nomination lists for Elder and Deacon, and turn in your nominations.

**Resonate missionaries** Larry and Pam Moeser, who serve in Thailand, ask you to please pray for communities in Myanmar and Thailand as they recover from the recent earthquake. The Moesers are okay, but they are heartbroken that many people have lost their lives. Ask God to comfort those who have lost loved ones.

**Men's Prayer Breakfast:** Join Hope Reformed Church on Saturday, April 26 at 7:30 am for a time of faith, food and fellowship! Aaron Thomas will be the guest speaker and Randy Aalderks will offer special music. Call 319-346-1575 to reserve your spot!

**SAVE THE DATE: Wonder Junction VBS – Parkersburg CRC**  
July 7 – 10, 6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

**Volunteers Needed:**

All Aboard Assembly - Young people have agreed to lead the opening & closing.

High Point Bible Time - Nightly Bible Lesson (One Night Only)

Sweet Sadie's Snacks - Assemble the snacks for the night (4 nights) - this person(s) will be in charge of the snack area and getting them ready. There will be a separate volunteer to tell the story.

Crew Leaders - Lead students around to each station (4 nights)

If you are able to assist or have questions please let Stacy or Kayla know.

**Heidelberg Catechism Q & A 38:**

**Q: Why did he suffer “under Pontius Pilate” as judge?**

A: So that he, though innocent, might be condemned by a civil judge, and so free us from the severe judgment of God that was to fall on us.

*-HC and ME: The Heidelberg Catechism for Christian Living (2006), Faith Alive Christian Resources*

**The General Fund collection** for April 13 was \$2,208.00. The target amount for each week is \$2,248.10. The collection for the Benevolent Fund was \$151.00.

**Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church**

April 20, 2025 – 9:30 AM

**WE COME NEAR TO GOD**

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

\*Song: TCH 367 **Christ the Lord Is Risen Today**

\*God's Greeting

\*Mutual Greeting

Lenten Reading

Song: TCH 315 **Were You There?**

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering: 1) General Fund  
2) Benevolence

Special Music Video: "He's Alive" – Gaither Vocal Band

\*Hymn: TCH 357 **Christ Arose**

**SERVICE OF THE WORD**

Scripture: **John 19:38-20:18** (pg. 1685)

Message: **I HAVE SEEN THE LORD**

Prayer of Dedication

**RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE**

\*Hymn: TCH 358 **Because He Lives**

\*God's Blessing

\*Closing Song: TCH 45 **Crown Him with Many Crowns**

\*Postlude