

-Sunday, August 2, 2026

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
Monday 7:00 p.m. – Council Meeting
Wednesday 1:00 p.m. – Sunshine Circle
Next Sunday 9:30 a.m. – Morning Worship Service

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

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 Faith Promise.

We welcome Adam Dohrn to our pulpit this morning.

Council will meet Monday, August 3 at 7:00 PM.

The Sunshine Circle will meet this coming Wednesday, August 5 at 1 PM in the Fellowship Hall. We will be watching the third program in David Jeremiah's series about heaven called "A Body for Heaven". Kathy Heeren will serve the lunch. There is always room for one more.

On August 16th there will be another meal in our Fellowship Hall. It will be a "Corn Fest." Pat Prier has promised the best of the last sweet corn in the field for 2026!! We will be serving chicken in some form or other. Maybe on a stick! Angie wants to bring the dessert, so could the rest of you bring a salad of some kind. Something colorful and tasty! We will have plenty of butter to get all over those ears of corn and your face. Photos may be taken of the best buttered face or who eats the most ears of corn!! You won't want to miss this!!!

Kothe Memorial Library is hosting a community conversation on Tuesday, August 18, from 5:00-7:00 PM. The library recently received a grant enabling them to purchase materials for patrons with low vision. They're inviting all residents (particularly those with low vision) to participate in an open discussion about library materials and library signage and help them decide the best way to spend the grant funds. A light meal will be provided. If you would like to attend, please call the library at 319-346-2442 to sign up.

Upcoming Speakers:

August 9 – Joel De Boer

Heidelberg Catechism Q & A 22:

Q: What then must a Christian believe?

A: Everything God promises us in the gospel. That gospel is summarized for us in the articles of our Christian faith – a creed beyond doubt, and confessed throughout the world.

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

The July 26th offering for the General Fund totaled \$1,448.00. The collection for World Renew totaled \$169.00.

Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church

August 2, 2026 – 9:30 AM

WE COME NEAR TO GOD

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

*Song: **His Mercy is More**

*God's Greeting

*Mutual Greeting

Song: **Down at the Cross**

Morning Prayer

Presentation on Lifewise Academy

Offertory and Offering: 1) General Fund
2) Aplington-Parkersburg Lifewise
Academy

*Hymn: **Graces into Gardens**

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Scripture: **John 6** (pg. 1655)

Message

Prayer of Dedication

RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

*Hymn: **I Stand Amazed**

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: **Victory in Jesus**

*Postlude