Sunday, December 31, 2017

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, Jodi DeBerg, & Angie Meester **GREETERS.** Today – North Door – Hermina Everts South Door – Pat & Deb Prier Next Sunday: North Door – Delbert & Sharon Cordes South Door – Pastor Rus & Mary Boersma **USHERS.** Today, a.m. – Ken Meester Next Sunday – Gerald Haan VALET PARKING. Today – Rollyn DeGroot **Next Sundav** – Pat Prier **COFFEE SERVERS.** This week – Pat & Deb Prier Next week - Kevin & Shelly Meester **SUNDAY SCHOOL.** This week – No Sunday School Next week – Kayla & Shelly; Stacy 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

Today9:30 a.m. – Worship ServiceWednesday6:15 p.m. – Life PlusNext Sunday9:30 a.m. – Worship Service10:45 a.m. – Sunday School6:00 p.m. – Worship Service

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Congratulations to Melvin Riebkes, who will be observing his 86th birthday on January 2.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

There will be no second offering next Sunday.

Life Plus will resume on Wednesday, January 3.

The Sunday Morning Adult Sunday School will be on recess for the next several weeks. Restart date will be placed in the Church Bulletin. Begin reading Chapter 4 - "The Mark of the Beast" regarding the city of Ephesus. Enjoy your vacation!

SPEC'N DICKEN MEAL: Please join us for an authentic German pancake meal served with applesauce and drink at the Parkersburg Veterans Building (101 Colfax Street) on Monday, January 8, 2018. Serving from 4:30 pm - 7 pm. Sugar-free syrup available. Free will donation. We hope to see you there!

The General Fund Collection for December 24 was \$1,182.50. The target amount for each week is \$2,400.00.

Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church December 31, 2017 – 9:30 AM <u>WE COME NEAR TO GOD</u>

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship: Psalm 125:1-2

*Song: TCH 811 Another Year Is Dawning

*God's Greeting

*Mutual Greeting

Responsive Reading: TCH 793 King of Kings and Lord of Lords Song: TCH 755 **We Shall Behold Him**

New Testament Reading: Luke 17:20-37 (pg. 1627)

*Hymn: TCH 759 What If It Were Today

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering for the General Fund

Hymn: TCH 780 Until Then

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Scripture: Zechariah 14 (pg. 1485)

Message: IT'S COMING!

Prayer of Dedication

RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

*Hymn: TCH 762 What a Day That Will Be

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: TCH 763 The King Is Coming

*Postlude