

**Sunday, July 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 – Ryan & Stacy Edeker

South Door – John & Karen Oltman

**Next Sunday:** North Door – Joel & Brandy Reints

South Door – Frank & Betty Pott

**USHERS.** Today, a.m. – Ken Kramer

**Next Sunday** – Dale Meester

**VALET PARKING.** Today – Kevin Meester

**Next Sunday** – Mike Stirling

**COFFEE SERVERS.** This week – Joel & Brandy Reints

Next week – Ryan & Stacy Edeker

*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

Next Sunday 9:30 a.m. – Worship Service

6:00 p.m. – Worship Service

#### **OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

**Congratulations** to Marjorie Aswegan, who will be observing her 81<sup>st</sup> birthday on July 21.

**Congratulations** to Dennis and Sharon Schipper, who will be observing their 51<sup>st</sup> anniversary on July 23.

**Congregation:** There is a sympathy card on the table in the fellowship hall. Please take a moment to sign for the Draisma Family.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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

**The second offering** next Sunday will be for the Benevolent Fund.

**The General Fund Collection** for July 10 was \$771.00. The target amount for each week is \$2,400.00.

**ATTENTION ALL YOUNG PEOPLE!** Just one more week until the start of Midwest B.A.S.I.C. Bible Camp. You can also register online at [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1jAEvNY3FEtZD\\_n249NYmw1hJshsonXGacFEyDWYdayE/viewform?c=0&w=1](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1jAEvNY3FEtZD_n249NYmw1hJshsonXGacFEyDWYdayE/viewform?c=0&w=1) . You can easily access this link from our Facebook page when you search for “Midwest B.A.S.I.C. Youth Bible Camp”. There is room for you and your friends at camp 2016, July 25th-29th!

**The remaining anniversary** decorations and other items sitting on the table in the fellowship hall are free for anyone to take. There are also two \$5 CDs left.

**Stout Church League Softball:** Church league Softball will again be starting in Stout. We will be having an 8-week season starting on the 12<sup>th</sup> of July. Church league is open to anyone wanting to play over the age of 14. This is a “for fun league” so skill and physical fitness are not required. If you would like to be part of a team, or have a team, please let us know ASAP because the season starts very soon. The games will be every Tuesday night for the 8 weeks. For more information, or to join, please contact us by Email: [stoutastrodome@gmail.com](mailto:stoutastrodome@gmail.com), Facebook @StoutAstrodome, or call 319-346-1487.

**Fundraiser for Stout Astrodome:** The Stout Astrodome has begun fundraising efforts to rebuild concession stand and add bathrooms. Our old one has fallen into disrepair and the old outhouses are no longer allowed under city ordinance. The new concession stand will be the same size as the old one but be more user and customer friendly. The bathroom addition will consist of one standard bathroom and one Handicap Accessible/Family Bathroom. The estimated cost of the project has reached \$28,000. We will break ground on the Project when we reach the 75% funding mark at \$21,000. The diamond is used for Church league softball, Little League games and practices, and other community events. Please consider donating to the project. Donations can be directed to The Reformed Church of Stout with a memo for ball diamond at PO Box 257, Stout, IA 50673. For more information Email: [stoutastrodome@gmail.com](mailto:stoutastrodome@gmail.com), follow us on Facebook @StoutAstrodome, or call 319-346-1487.

**Anna Mae Schnucker and Amy Truax** will perform piano duets on "A Sacred Concert Fantastique" on Sunday, August 28 at 3 PM at the United Methodist Church in Parkersburg. They will be assisted by Pam Hart, Susan Sivola, Aaron Ellermann, and Stan Thompson. Ice cream sundaes will follow the performance.

## **Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church**

July 17, 2016 – 9:30 AM

### **WE COME NEAR TO GOD**

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship: **Psalm 95:6-7**

\*Song: TCH 109 **Lamb of Glory**

\*God's Greeting

\*Mutual Greeting

Preparatory Form for Communion

Song: TCH 803 **If My People Will Pray**

Morning Prayer

Song: TCH 654 **Change My Heart, O God**

Offertory and Offering for the General Fund

Hymn: TCH 642 **Abide with Me**

### SERVICE OF THE WORD

Scripture: **Haggai 1** (pg. 1468)

Message: **LIVING BODY OR CRUMBLING HOUSE**

Discussion

Prayer of Dedication

### RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

\*Hymn: TCH 630 **What a Friend We Have in Jesus**

\*God's Blessing

\*Closing Song: TCH 391 **Sweet, Sweet Spirit**

\*Postlude

### **SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP**

**July 17, 2016 – 6:00 PM**

Prelude

Welcome and Call to Worship:

\*Song: TCH 493 **Glory to His Name**

\*God's Greeting

What We Believe: Nicene Creed

(\*)Hymn: TCH 344 **Grace Greater Than Our Sin**

Evening Prayer

Offertory & Offering for the General Fund

Hymn: TCH 308 **There Is a Redeemer**

Scripture: **Acts 15:1-21** (pg. 1718)

Message: **GETTING IT RIGHT**

\*Hymn: TCH 318 **I Believe in a Hill Called Mount Calvary**

\*God's Blessing

\*Closing Song: TCH 815 **Doxology**

\*Postlude