

Sunday, July 26, 2020

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

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

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Congratulations to Kenny Johnson, who will be observing his 84th birthday on July 26.

Congratulations to Joy Knepe, who will be observing her 82nd birthday on July 28.

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS

There will not be any coffee after the service this morning.

The second offering next Sunday will be for Student Connection.

Our Missionary News: Mike and Victoria VanDerDyke are still in the U.S. and waiting for the airports in Nigeria to open so they can return to their work. They have been living with their children in the Chicago area. As of June 29, there were 25,133 cases of Covid with 573 deaths. Plateau State (where they live) has had 371 confirmed cases with 9 deaths. Also, on June 1st Emmanuel and Juliana (a CRC pastor of a church in Mararraba) were killed during inter-tribal violence. They leave behind 8 children between the ages of 1 and 19. Pray for the children and that the violence will come to an end. Call Marcia (319-346-2200) if you want a copy of their recent newsletter.

At the July 6 Council Meeting, it was decided to schedule a **Congregational Meeting for Sunday, August 2**, for the purpose of selecting new Elders and Deacons. It was also decided to move to a 3 x 3 Council format, reducing the size of the Council to 3 Elders and 3 Deacons. Council presents the following list of nominations for each position:

- Elder: One candidate will be chosen to serve a 3-year term:
Candidates are:
 1. **Larry Johnson**
 2. **Kenny Meester**
- Deacon: Two candidates will be selected. The first will serve a term of 2 years and the second will serve a term of 3 years.
Candidates are:
 1. **Mike Ascher**
 2. **Harold Coplen**
 3. **Joel Reints**

If you would like to send your offerings in by mail, the church address is: Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church, 807 Grant St., Parkersburg, IA 50665

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Morning Service

July 26, 2020 – 9:30 AM

WE COME NEAR TO GOD

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

*Song: TCH 215 **When Morning Gilds the Skies**

*God's Greeting

Hymn: TCH 12 **Praise Him! Praise Him!**

New Testament Reading: **Revelation 4**

Hymn: TCH 45 **Crown Him with Many Crowns**

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering: 1) General Fund
2) Faith Promise

*Hymn: TCH 603 **Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken**

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Scripture: **Psalm 31**

Message: **ORDINARY TIME**

Applicatory Prayer

RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

*Hymn: TCH 577 **In Times Like These**

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: TCH 235 **Take the Name of Jesus with You**

*Postlude