Sunday, June 18, 2023

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

10:30 a.m. – Congregational Meeting

11:00 a.m. – Father's Day Lunch

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

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Congratulations to Clarence and June Karsjens, who will be observing their 60th anniversary on June 20.

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.

The second offering next Sunday will be for Faith Promise.

This morning we welcome Dale Akkerman to our pulpit.

The nominations for Elder are Ken Mehmen and Pat Prier. The nominations for Deacon are Clayton Groeneveld and Rollyn DeGroot. The Elder and Deacon will be chosen at a congregational meeting scheduled this morning.

All of you are welcome to stay following today's service for a "Where's the Beef" Father's Day Meal! A big thanks goes to the Haan Family for providing the beef ribeye roast. for us today. We also want to say thanks to Deb Prier and Rhonda Meester and our young people for doing such a great job last month with the Mother's Day Luncheon.

Our church is planning to do another patriotic service on Sunday July 2, 2023 at 4 PM. Come and spend an afternoon singing our patriotic hymns and anthems with your friends and neighbors. The year's theme is LEST WE FORGET. Lunch and fellowship will follow the service.

The General Fund Collection for June 11 was \$2,348.00. The target amount for each week is \$2,126.68. The collection for World Missions totaled \$142.00.

Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church

Morning Service
June 18, 2023 – 9:30 AM
WE COME NEAR TO GOD

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship: Psalm 100

*Hymn: TCH 56 To God Be the Glory

*God's Greeting

*Mutual Greeting

Song: TCH 771 We'll Understand It Better By and By

God's Will for Our Lives: Matthew 22:34-40 (pg. 1534)

Children's Message

*Hymn: TCH 772 When We All Get to Heaven

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering: 1) General Fund

2) Gideons

*Hymn: TCH 774 When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Scripture: **Revelation 21:1-22:6** (pg. 1937)

Message: **HEAVEN!**

Prayer of Dedication

RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

*Hymn: TCH 762 What a Day That Will Be

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: TCH 232 God Be with You

*Postlude

Council Notes of June 10, 2023

The council meeting of June 5, 2023 was opened by the reading of

Psalm 30. Prayer was given by Pastor Rus.

Article 1 Minutes of the May 1, 2023 meeting were read and approved.

Article 2 Correspondence was reviewed.

Article 3 Ministry Reports and Concerns

- Pastors Report: A monthly report of activities and mileage was received for information.
- Elders Report: No report.
- Pulpit Committee (Kevin): On June 18 we will have Dale Akkerman here.
- Worship Committee (Dale): No report.
- Attendance Report (Clayton): There was an average of 52 people attending with 6 live streaming.
- Outreach Committee (Ken & Joel): No report.
- Discipleship Committee (Mike): No report.
- Building and Grounds Committee (Kevin & Ryan): No report.

Article 4 Financial Reports and Concerns

• Receipts of \$6,599.13 was received. Budget amount of \$9,386.44 is needed a month. Giving us -\$2,787.31 for the month. With a YTD of \$2,644.32.

Article 5 Old Business

• The names of Ken Mehmen and Pat Prier were chosen for the Elder position. Rollyn DeGroot and Clayton Groeneveld were chosen for the Deacon position.

Article 6 New Business

- June 18 has been set for the Congregational meeting and the election of the Elder and Deacon.
- June 25 is the attentative date for the installation of the Elder and Deacon.

Article 7 Motion was made and supported to adjourn the meeting.

Article 8 Concept minutes were read and approved.

Article 9 Closing prayer was given by Ryan Edeker.

Pastor: Rus Boersma Kenneth Meester, Clerk

Members Present:

Pastor Rus Boersma

Mike Ascher

Ryan Edeker

Dale Meester

Ken Meester

Kevin Meester

Joel Reints

Next meeting is set for July 9, 2023 after the church service.