Sunday, March 13, 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 – Dave & Betty Mulder South Door - Larry & Mary Johnson Next Sunday: North Door – John & Karen Oltman South Door – Joel & Brandy Reints **USHERS.** Today, a.m. – Ken Meester Next Sunday – Ken Johnson VALET PARKING. Today - John Oltman Next Sunday – Ken Mehmen **COFFEE SERVERS.** This week – Cory & Kamie Shepard Next week – Paul & Darlene Bruns SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS: This week - Kamie, Nancy, JoLynne Next week - Kayla, Kay/Amy, Deb

THIS WEEK AT PARKERSBURG CRC

Today	9:30 a.m. – Worship Service
	10:45 a.m. – Sunday School
Tuesday	1:30 p.m. – Knitting and Crochet Group
Wednesday	9:00 a.m. – Prayer Time in Fellowship Hall
-	1:30 p.m. – Sunshine Circle
	6:15 p.m. – Life Plus
Next Sunday	9:30 a.m. – Worship Service
2	10:45 a.m. – Sunday School

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

We wish to thank everyone for their prayers, hugs, and words of sympathy with the sudden death of Leon, Pat's brother. The hope and promise of salvation is most important in our lives when death touches us. Thank you again. Pat & Deb and family and the rest of the Prier families

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

The second offering next Sunday will be for Life Plus.

Knitting and Crochet Group will meet on Tuesday, March 15, at 1:30 PM.

Sunshine Circle will meet this Wednesday at 1:30 PM. Jan Johnson will serve.

Your invitation to the 125th Anniversary Dinner is in your mail slot. Please indicate your choice of entree and dessert. Place your selection, along with your name, in the box on the table in back. Again, mark your calendar for April 15. God has blessed us with this church family.

5K - We have over 75 signed up to run & walk. We have registrants coming from Waterloo, Ackley, Oskaloosa, Ryan, Ames, even Illinois. And, of course, many from our church and local area. Please check the listing on the table in back for helping with this. It will be fun to volunteer, participate, and

just be an on-looker. Lots of purple shirts heading to see the empty tomb! Any questions, contact Deb (or she will contact you if she needs more volunteers!!)

Easter Sunrise Breakfast - Breakfast will be served after the Sunrise service. Rolls, pastries, muffins, and fruit will be served.

Community Lenten Services at Parker Place: Lunch at 12:00, service at 12:30. March 16: David Hagstrom from Bethel Lutheran. **Easter Sunrise:** March 27th, 7:00 a.m. at Methodist Church.

Chelsea has gotten her email working again. Any announcements you may have can now be sent to her regular email address.

The General Fund Collection for March 6 was \$5,064.00. The target amount for each week is \$2,400.00.

The Lenten readings are from the series "Am I Guilty", written by Audrey Surma, and published by Meriwether Publishing Ltd.

Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church March 13, 2016 – 9:30 AM <u>WE COME NEAR TO GOD</u>

Prelude:

Welcome

Call to Worship: Psalm 147:1

*Song: TCH 8 (v. 1,2,4) Come, Thou Almighty King

*God's Greeting

*Mutual Greeting

Lenten Reading: "Am I Guilty – Barabbas" TCH 488 Just As I Am

God's Will for Our Lives

*Hymn: TCH 295 (v. 1,3) Tell Me the Story of Jesus

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Scripture: Luke 19:1-10 (pg. 1630)

Message: UNSAVEABLE

Prayer of Dedication

SERVICE OF CONSECRATION

*Hymn: TCH 348 My Savior's Love

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering for the General Fund

RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: TCH 340 Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus

*Postlude