Sunday, March 30, 2014 The message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. I Corinthians 1:16

THANK YOU to those who are serving us during worship today. MUSICIAN: Jan Johnson GREETERS. Today –North door – Ken & Rhonda Meester South door – Pastor Rus & Mary Next week – North door - Sylvia Jansen & Anna Mae Mehmen South door – Jean Trey USHERS. Today, a.m. – Gerald Haan Next week, a.m. – Ken Johnson COFFEE SERVERS. This week – John & Karen Oltman Next week- Larry & Mary Johnson

THIS WEEK AT PARKERSBURG CRC

Today	9:30 a.m. –Worship Service
	10:45 a.m Sunday School and Catechism
	6:00 p.m. –Worship Service
Wednesday	9:00 a.m. – Prayer Time in Fellowship Hall
	6:15 p.m. – Life Plus
Next Sunday	9:30 a.m. –Worship Service
	10:45 a.m Sunday School and Catechism
	6:00 p.m. – Worship Service

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Sharon Schipper was admitted to Allen Hospital this past week for tests after a spell. She returned home on Thursday.

Kathy DeGroot under went knee replacement surgery on Friday. Pray for a rapid and complete healing and recovery. **Betty and I** want to thank you for your many cards, prayers and expressions of sympathy with the death of my brother Gene. Your support in our time of bereavement is greatly appreciated. Pastor Frank and Betty Pott

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

The second offering next Sunday will be for Home Missions.

.The Knitting and Crochet Group will meet on Tuesday at 1 p.m.

Sunshine Circle: Bible study starts with question 3 on page 33

Lenten Devotionals: The Parkersburg Ministerial Association invites you to join together for the annual Lenten Devotionals every Wednesday at 12:30 in the Parker Place. If you want to share lunch (free will offering) at noon call the Parker Place at 346-9771 by 9 a.m. The Ministerial Association will also hold the annual Easter Sunrise service at 6 30 a.m. in the Bethel Lutheran Church. The schedule is April 2 – Pastor Hagstrom; April 9 – Pastor Seys; Easter Sunrise – Pastor Boersma. Call 319-1076 for more information.

The books in the Fellowship Hall are part of Pastor Rus's library. You are welcome to take them home and read them but please do return them when finished. Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church March 30, 2014 <u>WE COME NEAR TO GOD</u>

Prelude:

Welcome:

Call to Worship: Hebrews 12:2-3

*Song: TCH 308 There Is a Redeemer

*God's Greeting:

*Mutual Greeting

Lenten Reading: Darrell Druvenga TCH 327:1 **The Old Rugged Cross**

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 52:1-12 (pg. 1144)

:Hymn of Response: TCH 330 Are You Washed in the Blood?

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Scripture: Mark 15:42-47 (pg. 1584)

Message: WRAPPED AND READY

Prayer of Dedication

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SERVICE OF CONSECRATION

Hymn of Gratitude: TCH 315 Where You There?

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering for (1) General Fund (2) World Renew

RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

Hymn: TCH 310 Lead Me to Calvary

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: TCH 304 Behold the Lamb

*Postlude

SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP March 30, 2014

Prelude

Welcome and Call to Worship: Psalm 26:2-3.8

*God's Greeting

Song of Praise: TCH 340 Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus

Praise Selection: Psalm 25 (pg. 863)

Hymn: TCH 487 Room at the Cross for You

Time of Prayer

Offertory & Offering for the General Fund

*Hymn: TCH 485 Into My Heart

Scripture Luke 7:41-50 (pg. 1604)

Message: LITTLE OR MUCH

Prayer of Application

*Hymn: TCH 596 I Surrender All

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: TCH 234 Now unto Him

*Postlude