### **Sunday, March 31, 2024**

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 8:00 a.m. – Easter Breakfast

9:30 a.m. – Morning Worship Service

Wednesday 1:00 p.m. – Sunshine Circle

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

10:30 a.m. - Sunday School

#### **OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

Mailing address: Don and Annie Allspach, c/o Shell Rock Care Center, 920 N Cherry St. Shell Rock, Iowa 50670. Don's phone is 319-885-4121.

**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. There is a sign-up sheet on the counter for volunteers to serve.

There will be no second offering next Sunday.

We welcome James Koop to our pulpit this morning.

The Sunshine Circle will be starting another year of Bible study, special guests and good times on April 3, 2024, in our Fellowship Hall at 1pm. Our group would be honored if you chose to join us!

**A-P Food Pantry Needs You!** The Aplington-Parkersburg Food Pantry provides a large food supplement to approximately 100

families within our communities the third Saturday of each month and April is our church's month to assist with distribution. The pantry needs 8 volunteers from our church on Saturday, April 20, from 7:00-9:30 a.m. at the Parkersburg Civic Center. Please let Jan Johnson, Marcia Allspach, or Angie Meester know if you are able to help. We look forward to seeing you then!

**There is a** sign-up sheet for church cleaning tasks in the Fellowship Hall. The dates for church cleaning this year are April 9-11. Please contact Kevin or Shelly Meester if you have any questions.

Would you like to know more about Timothy Christian School and what it has to offer? Would you like to know about our Kindergarten Round-Up? Timothy Christian School is planning 2 Information Experience times on Tuesday, April 9 at 7 PM and Saturday, April 20 at 10 AM. Kindergarten Round-Up will be Tuesday, April 23 from 8:20 AM-12:15 PM. Please call or text Dale Akkerman, Development Director, at 319-243-9890 to register for these activities.

**Timothy Christian School** has a Kindergarten teacher position open for full-time to part-time employment starting in the 2024/2025 school year. Full-time is desired, but part-time can be negotiated. To view job details, go to <a href="www.indeed.com">www.indeed.com</a> and search "kindergarten teacher" in Wellsburg, IA. Don't hesitate to contact Tyler Hoelscher, Administrator, with any questions at 641-869-3679 or <a href="mailto:thoelscher@timothychristianschool.net">thoelscher@timothychristianschool.net</a>.

**The General Fund collection** for March 24 was \$2,153.28. The target amount for each week is \$2,248.10. The collection for Faith Promise totaled \$120.00.

# **Upcoming Speakers**

April 7 – Matt Eberling

# **Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church**

March 31, 2024 – 9:30 AM **WE COME NEAR TO GOD** 

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

\*Hymn: TCH 367 Christ the Lord Is Risen Today

\*God's Greeting

\*Mutual Greeting

Hymn: TCH 347 **And Can It Be?** (vs. 1 & 2)

TCH 348 My Savior's Love (vs. 1 & 3)

TCH 349 **O How He Loves You and Me** (vs. 1 & 2)

TCH 157 **The Love of God** (vs. 1 & 3)

TCH 185 Jesus Loves Me

Easter Special Music

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering for the General Fund

\*Hymn: TCH 357 Christ Arose

## **SERVICE OF THE WORD**

Scripture: **Matthew 28:1-15** (pg. 1549)

Message: IMPOSSIBLE POWER

Prayer of Dedication

# RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

\*Hymn: TCH 368 He Lives

\*God's Blessing

\*Closing Song: TCH 365 Alleluia! Alleluia!

\*Postlude