Sunday, May 5, 2013

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God.

Philippians 4:6

THANK YOU to those who are serving us during worship today.

MUSICIANS: Angie Meester

GREETERS. Today –North door – Steve & Charlene Kramer

South door – Ryan & Stacy Edeker

Next week – North door – Clarence & June Karsjens

South door – Dennis & Sharon Schipper

USHERS. Today, a.m. – Mark Kramer

Next week, a.m. - Ken Kramer

COFFEE SERVERS. This week – Ken & Jan Johnson

Next week – Mike & Kayla Stirling

THIS WEEK AT PARKERSBURG CRC

Today 9:30 a.m. – Worship Service

10:45 a.m. – Sunday School & Catechism

6:00 p.m. - Worship Service.

Monday 7:00 p.m. – Council will Meet

.**Wednesday** 9:00 a.m. – Prayer Time in Fellowship Hall

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

10:45 a.m. – Sunday School & Catechism

6:00 p.m. – Worship Service OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Sylvia Jansen will be home bound because of a fall in her home.

Clarence Karsjens is still recovering in his home.

Pastor Rus continues to recover from his recent surgery.

Let us remember all of our sick and shut-ins before the throne of the Great Physician in prayer.

Congratulations to Bernice Freemon who is observing her 85th birthday today.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

The second offering next Sunday will be for the Building Improvement Fund

We welcome to our pulpit this morning. Pastor Pott. May the Lord bless his ministry to us today.

National Day of Prayer. There will be a National Day of Prayer service in our church at 6:00 p.m. this evening. Please join us as we ask for God's blessings on our churches, government, business, farming, industry, military, health and education. Group 3 will serve and donations of sandwiches and cookies are needed.

Reminder. Be sure your elder and deacon nominations are in today so they can be tallied.

On behalf of the Parkersburg Community VBS Planning Team, we'd like to give you information about the Parkersburg Community VBS that will be held July 7, 2013 through July 11, 2013. These are evening sessions from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. for all children age 4 through those entering 5th grade. Our theme this year is "KINGDOM ROCK – Where Kids Stand Strong for God". On-line registrations are available at:

https://www.groupvbspro.com/vbs/ez/[parkersburg.. There are also registration forms on the tables. I will be sending out more details when it gets closer to the date. If you have any questions or would like to assist in anyway, please contact Kamie 319-231-4214.

We have parking attendants available to assist those who desire such help. Simply drive under the car port and the assigned attendant will park your car for you.

You can find us on the web at www.parkersburg-crc.org

OUR CHURCH CALENDAR

Wednesday - 9:00 a.m. – Prayer Time

Sunday, May 5th at 6 p.m. – National Day of Prayer Service in our church

July 7 to 11, 6:30 – 8:30 pm –Community Bible School **July 15-19 –** Youth Bible Camp

Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church

May 5, 2013

WE COME NEAR TO GOD

Prelude:

Welcome

*Call to Worship:

Song: TCH 400 Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

*God's Greeting: Psalm 29:1-2:

*Mutual Greeting

Praise Time: Responsive Reading: TCJ 646

TCH 648 Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

God's Will for Daily Living: Isaiah 44:6-23 (pg. 1128)

Hymn of Response: TCH 493 Glory to His Name

SERVICE OF CONSECRATION

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering for the General Fund

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Song:: TCH 606 O Love That Will Not Let Me Go

Scripture: I Kings 18:16-39 (pg. 557)

Message: KING OF THE MOUNTAIN!

Prayer of Dedication

RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

Song of Gratitude:: TCH 479 **Softly and Tenderly**

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: TCH 724 Lead On, O King Eternal

*Postlude