Sunday, May 7, 2017

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 – Bernie & Hermina Everts South Door – Pat & Deb Prier Next Sunday: North Door – Henry & Kathy Heeren South Door – Don & Annie Allspach **USHERS.** Today, a.m. – Ken Johnson Next Sunday – Dale Meester VALET PARKING. Today – Mike Stirling Next Sunday – Pat Prier **COFFEE SERVERS.** This week – John & Jodi DeBerg Next week - Ken & Jan Johnson **SUNDAY SCHOOL.** This week – Ryan & Stacy – *Giving Cheerfully*; Jodi – *Giving Cheerfully* Next week - Kayla & Shelly - Men & Women of Faith; Brooke - Men & Women of Faith

THIS WEEK AT PARKERSBURG CRC

Today	9:30 a.m. – Worship Service
	10:45 a.m. – Sunday School
	6:00 p.m. – Worship Service
Wednesday	9:00 a.m. – Prayer Time at Jean Trey's house
Next Sunday	9:30 a.m. – Worship Service
	10:45 a.m. – Sunday School

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Duane Anderson has returned home after surgery but will require some time to recover with limitations. Please pray that God will give the healing and the patience to let the healing take place.

Annie Allspach was admitted to Saint Mary's hospital this past week in Minneapolis. She has undergone many tests as a course of action is sought. Pray that God will provide the healing that is sought.

Thank you for all the expressions of sympathy and cards after the passing of our brother, Mel DeGroot. **Janet (Kenny) Johnson and Marcia (Marlyn) Allspach.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

The second offering next Sunday will be for World Missions.

Next Sunday morning, Pastor Frank Pott will be leading us in worship. There will not be an evening service next Sunday.

Sunshine Circle News: We want to thank all of you for making it possible to disburse \$1,690.80 this year. You gave a total of \$690.80 to the World Hunger Project, \$310.00 to the daffodils project, and

\$336.00 to our "surprise bag" project. We gave \$690.80 to World Renew, \$300.00 to Home Missions, \$300.00 to "Faith Promise", \$100.00 to KNWS Radio, \$100.00 to Back to God Hour, \$100.00 to Food Pantry, and \$100.00 to Shannon Ries. We enjoyed listening to Dr. David Jeremiah's sermons on "Ten Questions Christians are Asking." Janet Schildroth presented "Symbols of Christmas" at our Christmas Tea. We welcome anyone to join us at anytime for inspiration, a time to eat and visit. Thanks again. Hope to see you next year.

The General Fund Collection for April 30 was \$1,779.12. The target amount for each week is \$2,400.00.

Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church May 7, 2017 – 9:30 AM <u>WE COME NEAR TO GOD</u>

Welcome Call to Worship: Psalm 63:1-4 *Song: TCH 640 Sweet Hour of Prayer *God's Greeting *Mutual Greeting First Message on Prayer: John 17:1-5 "Jesus Prays for Himself" Prayer: Led by Clarence Karsjens *Hymn: TCH 300 All Glory, Laud and Honor Offertory and Offering for the General Fund Second Message on Prayer: John 17:6-19 "Jesus Prays for His Disciples" Prayer: Led by Ken Mehmen Hymn: TCH 605 Living for Jesus Third Message on Prayer: John 17:20-26 "Jesus Prays for Future Believers" Prayer: Led by John DeBerg *Hymn: TCH 43 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

Prelude

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: TCH 815 **Doxology**

*Postlude

SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP May 7, 2017 – 6:00 PM

Prelude	
Welcome and Call to Worship: Psalm 128:1-2	
*Song: By Your Request	
*God's Greeting	
God's Rules for Holy Living	
(*)Hymn: TCH 585 Be Still and Know	
Evening Prayer	
Offertory & Offering for the General Fund	
Hymn: TCH 592 Jesus Calls Us	
Scripture: Galatians 2:11-21 (pg. 1811)	
Message: STANDING UP FOR TRUTH	
*Hymn: TCH 603 Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken	
*God's Blessing	
*Parting Song: TCH 576 The Steadfast Love of the Lord	
*Postlude	