Sunday, October 1, 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, Jodi DeBerg, & Angie Meester

GREETERS. Today – North Door – Jean Trey

South Door - Ken & Tracie Kramer

Next Sunday: North Door - Cory & Kamie Shepard

South Door – Ken & Rhonda Meester **USHERS.** Today, a.m. – Mark Kramer

Next Sunday – Delbert Cordes

VALET PARKING. Today – John Oltman

Next Sunday – Ken Mehmen

COFFEE SERVERS. This week – Mary Vry & Mary Boersma

Next week – Ken & Rhonda Meester

SUNDAY SCHOOL. This week – Ryan & Stacy, Deb

Next week – Kayla & Shelly, Stacy

Please note: If there are any differences between the schedule in the bulletin and the schedule in the Shepherd's Staff, please follow the schedule in the Shepherd's Staff.

THIS WEEK AT PARKERSBURG CRC

Today 9:30 a.m. – Worship Service

10:45 a.m. – Sunday School 4:30 p.m. – Bible Study 6:00 p.m. – Worship Service

Monday 7:00 p.m. – Council Meeting Wednesday 1:30 p.m. – Sunshine Circle

6:15 p.m. – Life Plus

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OUR CHURCH FAMILY

I would like to say thanks to my church family and relatives for helping me celebrate my 97th birthday. May God bless. **Henry Heeren**

Thank you for the prayers, cards and calls while recovering from hip replacement surgery. I appreciate everyone's thoughtfulness! **Mary Johnson**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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

The second offering next Sunday will be for the Back to God Hour.

If you have a prayer concern, you are welcome to post it on the prayer board located in the fellowship hall.

Council will meet Monday at 7 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

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

Hook and Needles Knitting and Crochet Group will be meeting on October 10 at 1:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Knitters and Crocheters of any skill level are welcomed, even beginners! Looking forward to another season.

The collection amount for the World Renew Hurricane Relief offering was \$1,127.00.

Timothy Christian School is asking you to consider becoming a donor to their Annual Fall Crop Drive. Donations may be monetary or in the form of a load of grain delivered and sold at your local elevator. The crop income would then be sent directly to the school. If you have any questions, please call Dale Akkerman at 319-243-9890 or ask your elevator representative. Thank you for your support!

Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church October 1, 2017 – 9:30 AM WE COME NEAR TO GOD

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship: Psalm 119:101-104a, 105

*Opening Songs:

TCH 217 **Holy Ground**TCH 219 **Surely the Presence**TCH 220 **He Is Here**

*God's Greeting

*Mutual Greeting

Reformation Reading: Marcia Allspach Song: TCH 412 **Holy Bible, Book Divine**

Old Testament Reading: **Deuteronomy 6**

*Hymn: TCH 548 As the Deer

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering for the General Fund

Hymn: TCH 295 Tell Me the Story of Jesus

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Scripture: **II Timothy 3:10-17** (pg. 1855)

Message: KNOWING SCRIPTURE

Prayer of Dedication

RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

*Hymn: TCH 184 Thy Word

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: TCH 427 **People of God**

*Postlude

SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP October 1, 2017 – 6:00 PM

Prelude

Welcome and Call to Worship: **Psalm 109:21-22, 26**

*Song: TCH 92 **O How I Love Jesus**

*God's Greeting

What We Believe: The Athanasian Creed

(*)Hymn: TCH 119 Jesus, Your Name

Evening Prayer

Offertory & Offering for the General Fund

Hymn: TCH 327 The Old Rugged Cross

Scripture: **II Corinthians 5:11-21** (pg. 1799)

Lord's Days 5 & 6

Message: **OUR MEDIATOR**

*Hymn: TCH 305 Jesus Paid It All

*God's Blessing

*Parting Song: TCH 340 **Turn Your Eyes upon Jesus**

*Postlude