### Sunday, October 22, 2023

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 9:30 a.m. – Morning Worship Service

10:30 a.m. - Sunday School

3:00 p.m. – Worship Committee Meeting

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

10:30 a.m. - Sunday School

### **OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

**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.

The second offering next Sunday will be for Faith Promise.

Worship Committee will meet this afternoon at 3:00 PM.

**Please be sure** to place your survey in the box in the Fellowship Hall.

Our Oktoberfest Meal will be happening on Sunday, October 29. To change things up a little, this Fest will be an old-fashioned Potluck! You can bring a little bit of something, or you can bring a whole lot of something! How about bringing a German dish of some kind. Maybe a family favorite that was a winner every time your mother made it. These dishes can be a meat dish or a veggie dish or a salad. There will be a prize for the "Best Dish of the Day". Dessert will be provided. All you great cooks start getting the old cookbooks out of their hiding places and figure out what will be fun to make and share!!

Come join us Sunday, November 5 at 1:30 PM for our Shoebox Packing Party. All are invited! A large variety of items will be provided to fill a shoebox, or you can bring your own items.

**Timothy Christian School** is asking you to consider becoming a donor to their annual Fall Harvest Drive. Donations can be made in the form of grain delivered to your local elevator. This can be a few bushels to a semi-load, whatever works for you. The elevator will send the crop check directly to the school. If you are a landlord or do not farm, monetary donations would also be appreciated. Please call Dale Akkerman at 319-243-9890 for more information. Thank you for your support!

The General Fund collection for October 15 was \$4,508.00. The target amount for each week is \$2,126.68. The collection for the Benevolent Fund totaled \$139.00.

## **Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church**

October 22, 2023 – 9:30 AM

### **WE COME NEAR TO GOD**

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship: Psalm 121:1-2

\*Hymn: TCH 79 My Jesus, I Love Thee

\*God's Greeting

\*Mutual Greeting

Song: TCH 10 Majesty

Old Testament Reading: Genesis 2:4-25 (pg. 3)

\*Hymn: TCH 564 Just a Closer Walk with Thee

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering: 1) General Fund

2) Back to God Hour

\*Hymn: TCH 560 More About Jesus

# **SERVICE OF THE WORD**

Scripture: **Ephesians 5:22-33** (pg. 1823)

Message: HUSBANDS AND WIVES

Prayer of Dedication

### RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

\*Hymn: TCH 568 May the Mind of Christ, My Savior

\*God's Blessing

\*Closing Song: TCH 9 Glorify Thy Name

\*Postlude