

**Sunday, October 5, 2025**

*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

Monday 7:00 p.m. – Council Meeting

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

### **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 Christian Education.

**We welcome** DJ Steen to our pulpit this morning.

**Council will meet** this Monday, October 6 at 7:00 PM.

**Please join us** Sunday, October 5 after church for soup in the park at the Aplington City Park. Variety of soups and cinnamon rolls will be offered for free will donation. “To go” containers are available. Enjoy the beautifully decorated park for the fall. Times are from 11 to 1.

**Falcon H.O.P.E. FMSC** will be hosting a Burger Night at the Aplington Evangelical Presbyterian Church on Saturday, October 11 from 5 to 7 PM. The meal costs \$10 and will include a burger, fries, drink and a dessert. Carry out orders will be available by calling 319-347-5569. There will be a pie auction at 6 PM. Proceeds from the

meal will go to the Falcon H.O.P.E. Feed My Starving Children mobile pack fund.

**Council was recently** asked about the Van Der Dykes and our support to them through Faith Promise. The Van Der Dykes are still doing their mission work in Nigeria. They are working stateside for now because of the civil unrest in Nigeria.

**If you need** someone to perform pastoral duties, please contact one of the Elders:

Ken Mehmen – (319) 269-1184

Pat Prier – (641) 640-4080

Mike Ascher – (319) 239-0637

Please feel free to contact any Council member with any questions you might have.

### **Upcoming Speakers:**

October 12 – Randy Aalderks

October 19 – Stewart De Jong (communion)

October 26 – Dale Akkerman

### **Heidelberg Catechism Q & A 111:**

**Q: What does God require of you in the eighth commandment?**

A: That I do whatever I can for my neighbor’s good, that I treat others as I would like them to treat me, and that I work faithfully so that I may share with those in need. Don’t steal.

*-HC and ME: The Heidelberg Catechism for Christian Living (2006), Faith Alive Christian Resources*

**The General Fund collection** for September 28 was \$3,823.00. The target amount for each week is \$2,248.10. The collection for World Renew totaled \$129.00.

**Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church**

October 5, 2025 – 9:30 AM

**WE COME NEAR TO GOD**

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

\*God's Greeting

\*Mutual Greeting

Song: TCH 36 **He Is Exalted**  
TCH 526 **The Solid Rock**

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering: 1) General Fund  
2) Faith Promise

**SERVICE OF THE WORD**

Scripture: **Revelation 5:4** (pg. 1918)

Message: **IS ANYONE WORTHY?**

Prayer of Dedication

**RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE**

\*Hymn: TCH 560 **More About Jesus**

\*God's Blessing

\*Closing Song: TCH 166 **Praise God from Whom All  
Blessings Flow**

\*Postlude