Sunday, September 3, 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 |
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| Monday | 7:00 p.m. – Council Meeting |
| Wednesday | 1:00 p.m. – Sunshine Circle |
| Next Sunday | 9:30 a.m. – Morning Worship Service |
| | 10:30 a.m. – Sunday School |

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Congratulations to Marlyn and Marcia Allspach, who will be observing their 61st anniversary on September 7.

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.

There will be no second offering next Sunday.

Council will meet on Tuesday at 7 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

The Sunshine Circle will meet this coming Wednesday, September 6 at 1 pm in our Fellowship Hall. Our featured guest speaker will be Julie Eddy from Taylor Physical Therapy. She has been asked to give us tips on how to keep ourselves as physically strong as we can be with exercises that we can safely do. Following Julie, we will talk about things that Jan learned at Bible Camp this summer.

Sunday School is fast approaching! Thank you for all who have volunteered to teach. We are still seeking at least 1 more teacher for the year. Please let Stacy know if you would be able to help.

WANTED: Fun, loving, energetic individuals who love working with children. Please send a resume and cover letter to <u>kidquest427@gmail.com</u>. You can also stop in at the center and pick up an application. We are located at 427 Nash Street in Aplington. You can call the center at 319-347-6366 and ask for Ann, Kim, or Kristi.

The General Fund collection for August 27 was \$1,004.00. The target amount for each week is \$2,126.68. The collection for Faith Promise totaled \$152.00.

Parkersburg Christian Reformed Church Morning Service September 3, 2023 – 9:30 AM <u>WE COME NEAR TO GOD</u>

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship: Psalm 100:1-3

*Hymn: TCH 670 Make Me a Blessing

*God's Greeting

*Mutual Greeting

Song: TCH 446 We've a Story to Tell to the Nations

Old Testament Reading: Psalm 65 (pg. 900)

*Hymn: TCH 563 Open My Eyes, That I May See

Morning Prayer

Offertory and Offering for the General Fund

*Hymn: TCH 667 Lord, Speak to Me

SERVICE OF THE WORD

Scripture: Ephesians 3:1-13 (pg. 1820)

Message: MESSENGER OF GOD

Prayer of Dedication

RESPONSE OF LOVE, GRATITUDE AND SERVICE

*Hymn: TCH 440 So Send I You - By Grace Made Strong

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: TCH 815 Doxology

*Postlude