

Sunday September 8, 2019

~We welcome all who worship with us today~

Prayer Needs:

- God's blessing on the preached word today.
- For the repentance and full restoration of those who have been placed under the first step of church discipline.
- Those sorrowing the loss of loved ones, those with afflictions of the body, mind and spirit, the lonely, elderly, widowers and widows in our midst.
- Holy Spirit's work, drawing all of us unto the Lord Jesus Christ in saving faith.
- As we begin our fall church classes, and our young people are back in school, may we always seek God's blessing, favor and help in all our learning.

Announcements:

Today: Pastor Elshout serves. Following the morning service there will be coffee and fellowship. Catechism, Sunday School, and the Adult Class will begin. Following our fellowship time all ages please gather in the sanctuary for a meditation with Pastor Elshout before being dismissed to each classroom.

1st Offering: General Fund **2nd Offering:** PRTS Fund

Next Lord's Day: Pastor Elshout serves. **2nd Offering:** Benevolent Fund

The Lord's Supper will be administered next Sunday. All members who are needy sinners and find their hope alone in Jesus Christ are encouraged to remember the death of the Lord at His table. All nonmembers who desire to partake are asked to see a consistory member.

Ladies' Bible Study will begin this Wednesday. We plan to meet every Wednesday at 9:30 am in the Heritage Estates Club Room, Rock Valley.

The Banquet: We are scheduled to serve the evening meal this Friday, please arrive between 5:15/5:30 pm. Approximately 10 more helpers are needed!
The Banquet 900 E.8th St., Sioux Falls SD 57103

PRTS has begun another year of instruction of men who are studying for the ministry. Pray that the Lord will bless each instructor and student, that they will bring honor & glory to God. *Heritage Reformed* congregational students John Byl, Darryl Dedert, Isaac Epp & Martijn Heijbour have now begun their second year of study. Each of them is doing well with their families. Isaac & Lydia are expecting their first child in January. The other families have children attending Plymouth Christian Schools. The Dedert family continues to care for the challenging needs of their son Calvin. Simon Yin is working on completing his studies by May 2020. He is also doing well and is currently serving as an Elder in the Grand Rapids HRC. He preaches in Mandarin several times a month to the Chinese community at the HRC. There is an **urgent and critical need** for funds to support our students. The *Student Support Fund* is currently critically low; by October we may not be able to meet the students needs unless funds come in. Prayerfully consider giving a one-time gift or a regular monthly gift to help meet the obligations we have as a denomination to support our students. Donations can be sent to *HRC Student Support Fund* c/o Ann Dykema 2965 Leonard St., Grand Rapids MI 49525

September:

Wednesday 11th: Ladies' Bible Study 9:30 am, Heritage Estates Rock Valley

Friday 13th: Serving the evening meal at *The Banquet*, Sioux Falls, see note

Sunday 15th: Lord's Supper, morning worship service

Tuesday 17th: Singing at *Whispering Heights*, Rock Valley at 6:30 pm

Wednesday 18th: Ladies' Bible Study, same time and location

Sunday 22nd: Pastor Terry Klaver serves

Wednesday 25th: Ladies' Bible Study, same time and location

Friday 27th, Saturday 28th: Tri-State Bible Conference, see note

Sunday 29th: Rev. Joel Beeke serves

October:

Tuesday 1st: Consistory Meeting, at church at 7:00 pm

Wednesday 2nd: Ladies' Bible Study @ 9:30 am, Heritage Estates Rock Valley

Wednesday 2nd: Church Family Night, Hope Haven at 6:50 pm

Wednesday 9th: Ladies' Bible Study, same time and location

Wednesday 16th: Ladies' Bible Study, same time and location

Thursday 17th: Singing *Royale Meadows/Neighborhood Room*, Sioux Center, 6:30pm

Wednesday 23rd: Ladies' Bible Study, same time and location

Wednesday 30th: Ladies' Bible Study, same time and location

Birthdays:

September 13: Lee Rozeboom

Members and friends with ongoing needs:

Nellie Fintelman Wilma Koedam George & Chris Vonk

Conference: On **Sept. 27 & 28, 2019**, the first *Tri-State Bible Conference* will be held in Northwest Iowa. Speaker: Dr. J. R. Beeke. Conference theme: "**Blessed Assurance: Can I Have It?**" Location: B. J. Haan Auditorium, Dordt University. For further details, see the conference website: www.tristatebibleconference.com

Greeters:

September 8: Pete and Linda Van Beek

September 15: John and Barb Groeneweg

Lunch Schedule:

September 8: Clarice E. and Amber Z.

September 15: Heather VG and Julie P.

Nursery Schedule:

September 8: Morning: Kerri R. and Brynlie Z.

Evening: Amber Z. and Ciana Z.

September 15: Morning: Kenzie Z. and Mylie Z.

Evening: Alexis D. and Madelynn Z.

Grateful acknowledgement is given for the following collections:

8/04/19 General - \$2,546.00 8/04/19 Student Support - \$1,799.00

8/11/19 General - \$858.00 8/11/19 Emeritus - \$1,685.00

8/18/19 General - \$973.00 8/18/19 HRC Mission - \$2,040.00 8/25 General- \$2,261.00

Heritage Reformed Congregation

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*"O come, let us worship and bow down: let us kneel
before the LORD our maker." Psalm 95:6*

A Christian Home

*O give us homes built firm upon the Saviour,
Where Christ is Head, and Counsellor and Guide;
Where ev'ry child is taught His love and favor
And gives his heart to Christ, the crucified:
How sweet to know that tho' his footsteps waver
His faithful Lord is walking by his side!*

*O give us homes with godly fathers, mothers,
Who always place their hope and trust in Him;
Whose tender patience turmoil never bothers,
Whose calm and courage trouble cannot dim;
A home where each finds joy in serving others,
And love still shines, tho' days be dark and grim.*

*O give us homes where Christ is Lord and Master,
The Bible read, the precious hymns still sung;
Where prayer comes first in peace or in disaster,
And praise is natural speech to ev'ry tongue;
Where mountains move before a faith that's vaster,
And Christ sufficient is for old and young.*

*O Lord, our God, our homes are Thine forever!
We trust to Thee their problems, toil, and care;
Their bonds of love no enemy can sever
If Thou art always Lord and Master there:
Be Thou the center of our least endeavor:
Be Thou our Guest, our hearts and homes to share.*

~ Barbara Hart



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Worship Services: 9:30 AM & 6:00 PM

Online services available on hullhrc.com or sermonaudio.com/hullhrc

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