Sunday April 14, 2024

~We welcome all who worship with us today~

Prayers:

- God's blessing on the preached Word today.
- Those sorrowing the loss of loved ones, those with afflictions of body, mind & spirit, the lonely, the widower & widows. All who are unable to worship with us today due to illness, age or infirmities.
- For our nation and its leaders to bow under the lordship of Jesus Christ.
- For the nations of Haiti, Israel, and Ukraine all in severe states of war or unrest.
- For the inception of *Rooted&Reformed*; pray for this ministry to young adults to be mightily blessed to many hearts and minds. (see note)
- Pastor Elijah Anderson, ordained Friday evening at the Sanborn URC, he will work with conservative churches in Sioux County to reach Latino people.
- The family and the Free Reformed Churches in the passing away of Rev. Gerald Procee (father to Rev. John Procee/HRC) from cancer, at 70 years of age.

<u>Today:</u> Pastor van der Hoek serves at 9:30am and 6:00pm. Fellowship and refreshments after the morning service. Catechism, Sunday School and the Adult Class at 11:20am 1st Offering: General Fund 2nd Offering: Local Mission Fund

Next Lord's Day: Pastor van der Hoek serves at 9:30am and 6:00pm Fellowship after the morning service. Catechism and Sunday School at 11:20am Youth Group will meet at the parsonage following the evening service. 2nd Offering: Facilities Fund

Young adults: Are you 18+ and are looking to meet like-minded young adults? We have started **Rooted&Reformed** for you! Once a month we want to get together and watch something or do something that roots you in the Reformed faith. We are planning to start by watching the documentary: *Is Genesis History?* together. We'd love to see you join us on May 3, 2024, at the conference room of the American State Bank in Hull. If you have any questions, please email us at: rootedreformed@gmail.com, or find us at Facebook or Instagram.

<u>Thanks:</u> We would like to thank the members of the Hull HRC for your care and support after the passing away of our little boy Nathan. It's hard to express in words, but your prayers for us, cards, messages, and offers of help have meant so much to us as we go through these difficult days.

~William & Rachel Klok & family

Baby Shower: Saturday, May 4 at 9:30am, at Heritage Estates Community Room, RV for Jen VW, Joanna VM & Shanae VW. Please see RSVP sign up in the narthex.

<u>HRC Youth Camp</u>, Michawana, Michigan is scheduled for July 9th thru 12th. https://heritagereformedgr.org/ministries/youth/youth-conference/ Please let the consistory know if you are willing to drive our young people to Michigan. Parents, let Doug know at doug.post@interstates.com, if you would appreciate transportation and camp fees covered for your young people.

April:

<u>Sunday 21st</u>: *Youth Group* will meet at the parsonage following the evening service. Tuesday 23rd: Ladies' Bible Study, coffee and dessert at church, 1:30pm at church

Tuesday 23rd: VBS planning meeting at church at 7:30pm

May:

Friday 3rd: Rooted&Reformed meeting (see note)

Saturday 4th: Baby Shower, see note.

Saturday4th: Singalong and Prayer, Pete and Linda VB's home at 7pm

Sunday 5th: Youth Group meets following the evening service.

Monday 6th: Consistory Meeting, 7pm at church

Sunday 12th: Pastor vdH will be in Conway, AR to attend Pastor Lipsy's installation.

May 18-20: Heritage Spring Retreat, see note in previous bulletin.

Sunday 19th: Pentecost

Sunday 19th: Last meeting for the season of our instructional classes.

Sunday 19th: Youth Group meets at the parsonage following the evening service.

Sunday 26th: Commemoration of the Lord's Supper, morning service

Birthdays:

<u>April 15</u>: Ellie Post April 18: Maddi Zomer

Remember those who are unable to worship with us:

Deeann Villalobos

Henrietta Van Beek

<u>VBS:</u> We hope to have a VBS planning meeting April 23rd, 7:30 @ church. Anyone willing to help out in the planning process this year is welcome to join us!

<u>Dinner:</u> The annual dinner to benefit the *Alpha Center*, a pregnancy center in Sioux Falls, will be held on <u>Friday</u>, <u>April 26</u>. To sign up or with questions see Linda VB

Church Lunch:

April 14: Paige C. and Misty D. April 21: Mary M. and Becky VDB

Greeters:

April 14: Dean and Mary Maassen April 21: Kip and Annette Maggert

Nursery:

<u>April 14:</u>

<u>AM</u>: Kerri R., Makailyn VW & Myla VM <u>PM</u>: Oliva VV, Alexa Z. & Lois vdH

April 21:

AM: Kyla VW, Brynlie Z. & Tirzah vdH PM: Jen VW, Cianna Z. & Ariel VW

~All the Lord willing~

"Read the Scriptures with reverence, think every line you read, God is speaking to you." ~Thomas Watson

"Why me, Lord?"

"The Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me!" Galatians 2:20

Well may every child of God exclaim with wonder, "What astonishing love is this,

that You have loved <u>me</u> from eternity past, that You should give Your precious Son to redeem <u>me</u>, and Your eternal Spirit to sanctify <u>me</u> by His grace?"

In the review of his own life, he may well add, "Why <u>me</u>, Lord?" Why have You, <u>chosen</u> me,

and redeemed me,

and snatched me as a burning brand out of the fire!

Yes truly, in the review of all these mercies, I must of necessity exclaim: I praise Thee Lord, with all my soul! May I never forget the wondrous things which You have done for me! You have . . .

forgiven all my sins,

and redeemed me from damnation,

and will crown me with Your love and tender mercies forever!"

"Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has <u>blessed</u>
<u>us</u> with all spiritual blessings in heavenly places in Christ! According as He
has <u>chosen us</u> in Him before the foundation of the world, that we should be holy
and without blame before Him in love: having <u>predestined us</u> unto the adoption
of children by Jesus Christ, according to the good pleasure of His will, to the
praise of the glory of His grace, wherein he has made us accepted in the
beloved." Ephesians 1: 3-6

Heritage Reformed Congregation

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"I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go into the house of the LORD." Psalm 122:1



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

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