

HAWARDEN CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

Sunday, January 5, 2025

The Weekly Calendar

Sunday, January 5, 2025

10:00 a.m. - Morning Worship Service

11:15 a.m. – High School Catechism

6:00 p.m. – Evening Worship Service

Tuesday, January 7, 2025

6:30 p.m. – Search Committee meets

Wednesday, January 8, 2025

7:00 p.m. - GEMS

Offering:

January 5: AM, Denominational Shares
PM, Youth Unlimited

January 12: AM, Hawarden Food Pantry
PM, Benevolence Fund

Music:

January 5: Marlene D. Song Leader, Glenda V.W.

January 12: AM, Lisa D. PM, Tricia B.
Song Leader, Dave N.

Greeters:

January 5: Marv & Theresa K., Steve & Lynn B.

January 12: Dave & Judy D., Betty Z.

Sound: Randy

Projectionist: Brian

Coffee Fellowship: (January 5, 2025)

3 dozen cookies & serve: Bill & Nancy K.

3 dozen cookies: Wanda H., Dianna D.

WELCOME

A warm welcome is extended to all who enter this place to worship the King of kings and Lord of lords. A special welcome to all visitors, may God bless you as you spend time worshiping with us today.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

A deep thank you to all for cards, prayers, and visits during the last few weeks after the passing of our mother.

~ Gene and Cheryl Byker

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We welcome Rev. Kevin Muyskens to lead us in worship today as a Classical appointment. Next week, we welcome Rev. Nate Kuperus to lead both services.

The Search Committee has begun meeting to gather names of potential pastors willing to serve the Hawarden CRC. The committee consists of Steve Boersma - Chairman, Jo Obbink - Secretary, Dan Byker, Janna Kingma, Pete Dekkers, and Glenda Van Wyhe. Please be in prayer for them as they begin their work, and if you have any names of pastors who the Search Committee might consider, please contact one of the members.

The Search Committee will meet on Tuesday, January 7, at 6:30 pm.

If you have any new information or changes in phone, address, email, etc. for the Church Handbook contact Tami N. by Sunday, January 19. You can email hcrc@outlook.com or call 712-441-3402.

Groundwork: Learning from the Sins of King David - Complacency and desperation lead David to compound sin upon sin as he unsuccessfully relies on his own power and abilities to right his wrongs. Join Groundwork as we explore 2 Samuel 11 to study David's fall from grace, the consequences of his actions, and how his journey can illuminate our own path toward honesty, repentance, and a life that pleases the Lord. Listen at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails.

*Hawarden Christian Reformed Church
The Lord's Day – January 5, 2025
Morning Worship Service—10:00 a.m.*

“This is the day the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.” - Psalm 118:24

We Rejoice in God's Presence

Prelude

- * Call to Worship
- * God's Greeting
- * We Greet One Another
- * Hymn of Praise: PH #483: 1-4 “How Great Thou Art”

We Are Reconciled to God

Call to Confession
Prayer of Confession
Assurance of Pardon

We Respond with Prayers and Offerings

Hymn of Thanksgiving: PH #479: 1-4 “I Will Sing of My Redeemer”
Guide for Grateful Living
Congregational Prayer
Offering: Denominational Shares
(collected in the back)

We Hear the Word of God

- * Hymn for Illumination: PH #279: 1-3 “O Word of God Incarnate”
Scripture: Luke 15
Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.
Congregation: Thanks be to God!
Sermon: “The Goodness of God”
Prayer
- * Hymn of Application: PH #496: 1-2 “My Lord, I Did Not Choose Thee”

We Go Out to Serve

- * God's Benediction
 - * Closing Hymn: PH #628: 1-2 “Praise God, You Angel Hosts Above”
- Postlude

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Come, Let Us Worship

Prelude

- * Call to Worship
- * God's Greeting
- * We Greet One Another
- * Song Service led by Glenda V.W.

In Prayer and Dedication

Congregational Prayer
Offering: Youth Unlimited
(Collected in the back)

At God's Feet

- * Hymn for Illumination: PH #584: 1-4 “How Shall the Young
Direct Their Way”

Scripture: Psalm 23
Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.
Congregation: Thanks be to God!
Sermon: “Introducing the Good Shepherd”
Prayer
- * Hymn of Application: PH #591: 1-4 “Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us”

With Heartfelt Dedication

- * Apostles' Creed (pg. 813)
- * God's Benediction
- * Doxology: PH #638 “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”

Postlude