

HAWARDEN CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

Sunday, October 13, 2024

The Weekly Calendar

Sunday, October 13, 2024

10:00 a.m. - Morning Worship Service

11:15 a.m. – High School Catechism

6:00 p.m. – Evening Worship Service

7:15 p.m. – Genesis Bible Study

Monday, October 14, 2024

6:30 p.m. – Elders Meeting

7:30 p.m. – Council Meeting

Wednesday, October 16, 2024

7:00 p.m. - GEMS

Offering:

October 13: AM, Building Fund

PM, Classical Ministry Shares

October 20: AM, Hope Haven

PM, Love INC

Music:

October 13: AM, Sharon B., PM, Tricia B.

Song Leader, Dave D.

October 20: Sharon B. Song Leader, Pete D.

Greeters:

October 13: Brian & Donna O., Dave & Judy D.

October 20: Pete & Dianna D., Dan & Sharon B.

Sound: Randy

Projectionist: Emily

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

The sympathy of the congregation is extended to Randy & Glenda Van Wyhe and family as Glenda's father, Melvin Hulshof, passed away last week. May the God of all peace and comfort strengthen them.

We appreciate the kindness, support and love you've all shown us. We want to thank everyone for all the happy wishes, gifts, cards, messages, and calls. Love, Zach & Cheriden Elgersma

Please keep Cheryl and Jo in your prayers as they leave Monday to work and serve in the communities of Hildale, UT/Colorado City, AZ. Pray for safety as they travel as well as prayers for those they minister to and spend time with, and the work they hope to accomplish.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We welcome Mr. Mark Tiemersma to lead our worship services today. Next week, we welcome Mr. Dan Tracy to lead both services.

Handbook Update - New email address for Zach & Cheriden Elgersma is: cheridene3021@gmail.com

Unity Christian High School's Fall Music Concert will be held on Monday, October 21 at 7:00 pm in the Knight Center. This is a great opportunity to hear all the large group ensembles: Chorale, Concert Choir, Orchestra, and Symphonic Band. A free-will offering will be received.

TRIP Orders are due in the *TRIP Orders* mailbox on Sunday, November 3 by 11:15 am.

Ireton Christian School's Rally Day Sale will be held on Friday, November 1. Food begins serving at 5:00 with the Auction beginning at 6:30 PM. Come for a night of good food and Christian fellowship while supporting your local Christian School.

Hawarden Christian Reformed Church
The Lord's Day – October 13, 2024
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: Psalm 8:1-2

* God's Greeting

* We Greet One Another

* Hymn of Praise: LUYH #581:1-3 “*Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee*”

1 Joyful, joyful, we adore thee, God of glory, Lord of love; hearts unfold like flowers before thee, opening to the sun above. Melt the clouds of sin and sadness, drive the gloom of doubt away; giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day!

2 All thy works with joy surround thee, earth and heaven reflect thy rays; stars and angels sing around thee, center of unbroken praise. Field and forest, vale and mountain, flowery meadow, flashing sea, chanting bird and flowing fountain call us to rejoice in thee.

3 Thou art giving and forgiving, ever blessing, ever blest, wellspring of the joy of living, ocean depth of happy rest! Thou our Father, Christ, our brother, all who live in love are thine; teach us how to love each other, lift us to the joy divine.

We Are Reconciled to God

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon – Galatians 3:11-14

We Respond with Prayers and Offerings

Hymn of Thanksgiving: LUYH #613: 1-4 “*Come to the Savior Now*”

1 Come to the Savior now, he gently calls to you; in true repentance bow, let him your heart renew. Christ came that you may know salvation, peace, and love, true joy on earth below, a home in heaven above.

2 Come to the Savior now, all who have wandered far; renew your solemn vow, for his by right you are; come like poor, wandering sheep returning to his fold; his arm will safely keep, his love will ne'er grow cold.

3 Come to the Savior now, he offers all to you, and on his merits you can plead for life anew. No vain excuses frame, respond to Christ today! None who to Jesus came were ever sent away.

4 Come to the Savior, all, whate'er your burdens be; hear now his loving call, “Cast all your care on me.” Come, and for every grief, in Jesus you will find a sure and safe relief, a loving friend and kind.

Guide for Grateful Living – Galatians 5:13-26

Congregational Prayer

Offering: Building Fund

(collected in the back)

We Hear the Word of God

* Hymn for Illumination: LUYH #426: 1-4 “*My Faith Looks Up to Thee*”

1 My faith looks up to thee, thou Lamb of Calvary, Savior divine! Now hear me while I pray, take all my guilt away. O let me from this day be wholly thine!

2 May thy rich grace impart strength to my fainting heart, my zeal inspire. As thou hast died for me, O may my love to thee, pure, warm, and changeless be, a living fire!

3 While life's dark maze I tread and griefs around me spread, be thou my guide. Bid darkness turn to day, wipe sorrow's tears away, nor let me ever stray from thee aside.

4 When life's swift race is run, death's cold work almost done, be near to me. Blest Savior, then in love fear and distrust remove. O bear me safe above, redeemed and free!

Scripture: Ruth 1:1-5

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Sermon: “*Tragedy in a Land Far Away*”

Prayer

* Hymn of Application: PH #452: 1-4 “*He Leadeth Me*”

We Go Out to Serve

* God's Benediction

* Closing Hymn: LUYH #938 “*My Friends, May You Grow in Grace*”

My friends, may you grow in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord and Savior. My friends, may you grow in grace and in the knowledge of Jesus Christ. To God be the glory, now and forever, now and forever, amen. To God be the glory, now and forever, now and forever, amen.

Postlude

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Come, Let Us Worship

Prelude

- * Call to Worship – Psalm 9:1-2
- * God's Greeting
- * We Greet One Another
- * Song Service led by Dave D.

In Prayer and Dedication

Congregational Prayer

Offering: Classical Ministry Shares
(Collected in the back)

At God's Feet

- * Hymn for Illumination: PH #420: 1-3 “*Breathe on Me, Breath of God*”
Scripture: Genesis 11-12
Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.
Congregation: Thanks be to God!
Sermon: “*The Name Game*”
Prayer
- * Hymn of Application: PH #470: 1-4 “*All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*”

With Heartfelt Dedication

- * Apostles' Creed (pg. 813)
- * God's Benediction
- * Doxology: PH #442: 1-2 “*Abide with Me*”
1 Abide with me: fast falls the eventide; the darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide.
When other helpers fail and comforts flee, Help of the helpless, O abide with me.
2 Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day; earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass
away. Change and decay in all around I see. O thou who changest not, abide with
me.

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