

HAWARDEN CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

Sunday, October 27, 2024

The Weekly Calendar

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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

Offering:

October 27: AM, Benevolence Fund

PM, ReFrame Ministries

November 3: AM, Cornerstone Ministries

PM, Denominational Shares

Music:

October 27: Marlene D. Song Leader, Glenda V.W.

November 3: Donna O. Song Leader, Dave N.

Greeters:

October 27: Wilbur & Lucy D., Bill & Nancy K.

November 3: Lou & Gloria K., Dave & Tami N.

Sound: Dan

Projectionist: Brian

Coffee Fellowship: (November 3)

3 dozen cookies & serve: Chad & Jerrienne A.

3 dozen cookies: Glenda V.W., Lynn B.

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 worshipping with us today.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Thanks so much for all the thoughts, prayers, cards, and hugs with the passing of my Dad. We felt extremely blessed by our church family. ~ Glenda & Randy

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We welcome Mr. Mark Tiemersma to lead our worship services this week. He will be leading our services for the remainder of the year.

Handbook Update: New address of Betty Zwart is; 1351 13th Ave NE, Unit 38, Sioux Center, IA 51250

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.

A Congregational Meeting will be held on Tuesday, Nov.12 at 7:30 p.m. Voting will take place to approve the budget and there will be election of new office-bearers. Nominees for Elder are Chris Dekkers and Dave Noteboom to replace retiring Elder, Dave Dorhout. Nominees for Deacon are Chad Abbas and Randy Van Wyhe to replace retiring Deacon, Bob Daale. A Soup Supper will be served before the meeting from 6:00-7:00 p.m.

This year as a way to show our thankfulness for our abundant blessings we are asking for something a little different. We would like to help the Food Pantry with their Christmas Give by asking for some specific items. These include cake mixes, cans of frosting, small jugs of vegetable oil, or boxes of jello. There will be an area in the back to collect these items. Thanks in advance for your generosity.

It's time to start thinking about Operation Christmas Child. Next week Sunday, there will be boxes and some items to help you get started in the fellowship hall. The brochures in your mailbox will help you plan, prepare, and pray. Please return all boxes to church by Sunday, Nov. 17.

*Hawarden Christian Reformed Church
The Lord's Day – October 27, 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 29:1-2

* God's Greeting

* We Greet One Another

* Hymn of Praise: LUYH #604: 1-3 *"To God Be the Glory"*

1 To God be the glory, great things he has done; so loved he the world that he gave us his Son, who yielded his life an atonement for sin, and opened the life-gate that all may go in.

Refrain Praise the Lord, praise the Lord; let the earth hear his voice! Praise the Lord, praise the Lord; let the people rejoice! O come to the Father through Jesus the Son, and give him the glory; great things he has done.

2 O perfect redemption, the purchase of blood, to every believer the promise of God; the vilest offender who truly believes, that moment from Jesus a pardon receives. (Refrain)

3 Great things he has taught us, great things he has done, and great our rejoicing through Jesus the Son; but purer and higher and greater will be our wonder, our transport, when Jesus we see. (Refrain)

We Are Reconciled to God

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon – Psalm 103:1-19

We Respond with Prayers and Offerings

Hymn of Thanksgiving: LUYH #669: 1-3 *"How Blest Are They
Whose Trespass"*

1 How blest are they whose trespass has freely been forgiven, whose sins are wholly covered before the sight of heaven. Blest they to whom the LORD God does not impute their sin, who have a guileless spirit, whose heart is true within.

2 While I kept guilty silence, my strength was spent with grief: your hand was heavy on me; my soul found no relief. But when I owned my trespass and did not hide my sin, then you forgave my guilt, LORD, restored my life within.

3 So let the godly seek you in times when you are near; no whelming floods shall reach them or cause their hearts to fear. O LORD, you are my refuge, you are my hiding place, and you surround me always with songs of saving grace.

Guide for Grateful Living: Reading of the Law (pg. 1017)

Congregational Prayer

Offering: Benevolence Fund

(collected in the back)

We Hear the Word of God

* Hymn for Illumination: LUYH #440: 1-4 *"He Leadeth Me"*

1 He leadeth me: O blessed thought! O words with heavenly comfort fraught! Whate'er I do, where'er I be, still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me.

Refrain He leadeth me, he leadeth me; by his own hand he leadeth me: his faithful follower I would be, for by his hand he leadeth me.

2 Sometimes mid scenes of deepest gloom, sometimes where Eden's flowers bloom, by waters calm, o'er troubled sea, still 'tis God's hand that leadeth me. (Refrain)

3 Lord, I would clasp thy hand in mine, nor ever murmur nor repine; content, whatever lot I see, since 'tis my God that leadeth me. 4 And when my task on earth is done, when, by thy grace, the victory's won, e'en death's cold wave I will not flee, since God through Jordan leadeth me. (Refrain)

Scripture: Ruth 1:6-18

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Sermon: *"When Hope Clings On To Us"*

Prayer

* Hymn of Application: PH #498: 1-3 *"I Sought the Lord,
and Afterward I Knew"*

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 30:1-4
- * God's Greeting
- * We Greet One Another
- * Song Service led by Glenda V.W.

In Prayer and Dedication

Congregational Prayer

Offering: ReFrame Ministries

(Collected in the back)

At God's Feet

- * Hymn for Illumination: PH #278: 1-3 “*Holy Spirit, Mighty God*”

Scripture: Genesis 15

Pastor: This is the Word of the Lord.

Congregation: Thanks be to God!

Sermon: “*Our Great Reward*”

Prayer

- * Hymn of Application: PH #209: 1-3 “*Seek Ye First the Kingdom*”

With Heartfelt Dedication

- * Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 23, Q & A 60 (pg. 886)

* God's Benediction

- * Doxology: PH #638 “*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*”

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