

April 7, 2019

Order of Worship

Song Service - 5:50 PM
Psalter 387:1-4
Psalter 417:1, 2

Evening Worship - 6:00 PM
Silent Prayer
Votum and Salutation*
Psalter* 255
Reading of Scripture
Psalter 357
Apostles' Creed
Pastoral Prayer
Offertory
Psalter* 426:1, 2, 3, 4
Sermon
Prayer
Psalter* 426:7, 8, 9, 10
Benediction*
Doxology - Psalter* 315

Morning Worship - 9:30 AM
Silent Prayer
Votum and Salutation*
Psalter* 87
Reading of the Law
Reading of Scripture
Psalter 400:2, 3
Pastoral Prayer
Offertory
Psalter* 253:7, 8, 9, 12
Sermon
Prayer
Psalter* 161:3, 4, 5, 8
Benediction*
Doxology - Psalter* 183:4

**Please stand if you are able*

Sermon:

A Hard School but a Good School

Series: Joseph (7)

Scripture: Genesis 40
Text: Genesis 40:14-15

Sermon:

Return Unto Thy Rest

Series: Hymns for the Dying Savior

Scripture: Psalm 116
Text: Psalm 116

Church Family

Homebound:

Mrs. Ann Baas
Mrs. Barb Kwekel
Mr. & Mrs. Neal & Jo Markwat
Mrs. Esther Richards

Remember in Prayer:

Mrs. Ann Baas
Mrs. Barb Kwekel
Pastor Al & Dorothy Martin
Mr. Ron Nederveld
Mr. Paul & Laurina VanderSloot

Serving our Country:

Calvin Vlietstra

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Calendar

"The Lord willing" James 4:15

April 9 – (Tuesday) 9:45 AM Ladies Bible Study. Coffee is at 9:45 with study starting at 10 AM. All ladies are welcome.

April 9 – (Tuesday) 6 PM Elders Meeting with full Consistory beginning at 7:30 PM. We will meet in the boardroom at PRTS.

April 10 – (Wednesday) 7 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting. You are encouraged to attend this time of worship.

April 10 – (Wednesday) 7 PM Evening Ladies Bible Study. This will be our final meeting for the season. We will be covering Week 4 of "The Power of Words" study, and will enjoy a time of fellowship afterward.

April 10 – (Wednesday) 8:30 PM Confession of Faith Class.

April 11 – (Thursday) 7 PM All ladies are invited to a baby shower for *Lisa*, daughter of Jeff & Mandy Overduin, and *Zhiyun*, son of Jason & Eunice Zhao. This will be held in our church basement. If you would like to go in on a gift, or would be willing to bring food, please sign up by the podium in the narthex.

April 11 – (Thursday) 7:30 PM Christianity Explored Class.

April 14 – (Sunday) 4 PM Youth Group Meeting at church.
Snack: Dykstra and Haaksma

April 17 – (Wednesday) 7 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting. You are encouraged to attend this time of worship.

April 18 – (Thursday) 7:30 PM Christianity Explored Class.

April 19 – (Friday) 7 PM Good Friday Service.

April 20 – (Saturday) 2 PM Neighborhood Canvassing.

Other News

- **Word & Deed – Africa Flooding Disaster Response**
In the southern region of Africa, the scene is described as an inland sea after an intense tropical Cyclone Idai hit the coast on March 14. With many homes flooded, crops destroyed, and people displaced in Mozambique, Zimbabwe, and Malawi, Word & Deed is responding to this disaster with our local partner, Logos Ministries. An initial relief response will be to provide food aid in the local churches in Malawi, while later relief efforts will be focused on supplying seeds to plant a winter crop. Please pray for those impacted by Cyclone Idai.

And not only so, but we glory in tribulations also: knowing that tribulation worketh patience; and patience, experience; and experience hope: and hope maketh not ashamed; because the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us.

Romans 5:3-5

Congregational Life

- Pastor Macleod will lead our worship services today.
- The Sunday School/Catechism classes (Beginner – 7th Grade) are asked to meet upstairs this morning for a combined opening. A collection will be taken for our sponsor child at this time. The Psalter of the month is **Psalter 232:1-3**.
- *Adult Sunday School Class*: This morning, we will be looking at what the Canons of Dort teach us about the preaching of the Word. Our final two lessons on May 12 & 19 will deal with assurance of faith, and a conclusion to the Canons study. We heartily recommend these informative lessons to all.
- Next Sunday, Pastor Macleod will lead our worship services.
- Middle school students (Grades 5-8) are invited to a laser tag outing this coming **Saturday, April 13 at 4:45 PM**. Please contact Kimberly Kleyn for more details.
- On **Sunday, April 14** following the morning worship service, you are invited to a Come Over and Help mission presentation in the main sanctuary. Mr. Vaidotas Ickys, a Lithuanian student currently enrolled at PRTS, would like to share with you his passion to bring the gospel of Christ to his fellow-Lithuanians who have had almost no exposure to it for many generations. He plans to return home next month for good. In addition to partnering with PRTS to make this valuable theological education possible for Mr. Ickys, Come Over and Help supports several literature and pastor/church development projects in Lithuania.
- There will be a Good Friday service led by Pastor Macleod on **Friday, April 19 at 7 PM**.
- *From the Evangelism Committee*: We are looking for volunteers for VBS (Wednesday evenings from June 26 – August 7). We will need teachers, classroom aides, a pianist, a song leader, kitchen help, registration help, etc. You can find the sign-up sheet on the podium near the handicap bathroom. Please prayerfully consider where you may be able to help out. If you have any questions, please contact Cherise Bergsma or Kim Postma.

Nursery		
Today	Room A	Room B
Morning	Cheryl Moerdyk	Kim Kleyn
	Laura Hults	Maret Haab
Evening	Cherise Bergsma	Ang Joseph
	Josephine Haab	Ella Klaasen
Next Week		
Morning	Gerjanne Otten	Tammy Timmer
	Rene VanderHart	Alyssa Klaasen
Evening	Melanie VanderBoon	Julie Spaans
	Tamara Matze	Anita Wielhouwer

Ushers		
	Morning	Evening
Today	Mark Arnoudse	Steve Kleyn
Next Week	Jerry Phillips	Henry Boven

Offerings			
	First Collection	Second Collection	Collection Boxes
Today	General	Denominational	Home Mission Work
Next Week	General	Building	PRC

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