

October 4, 2015

Church Family

Order of Worship

Morning Worship - 9:30 AM

Silent Prayer
Votum and Salutation*
Psalter* 250
Reading of the Law
Reading of Scripture
Psalter 2:1-3
Pastoral Prayer
Offertory
Psalter* 198
Sermon
Prayer
Offertory
Psalter* 251
Benediction*
Doxology - Psalter* 413

**Please stand if you are able*

Sermon:

Rare Fruits

Scripture: Galatians 5
Text: Galatians 5:22-24
Lord's Day 32

Song Service - 5:50 PM

Psalter 357: all

Psalter 350:2, 3

Evening Worship - 6:00 PM

Silent Prayer
Votum and Salutation*
Psalter* 256
Reading of Scripture
Psalter 259
Apostles' Creed
Pastoral Prayer
Offertory
Psalter* 308:1-3
Sermon
Prayer
Offertory
Psalter* 278
Benediction*
Doxology - Psalter* 196

Sermon:

Comparative Religion

Scripture: Micah 7
Text: Micah 7:18-20

Homebound:

Mrs. Elsie Arnoudse
Mrs. Fran Hekman
Mrs. Dorothy Hitchcock
Mrs. Barb Kwekel
Mrs. Florence Langerak
Mrs. Esther Richards
Mrs. Mina Van't Hof
Mr. & Mrs. Albert Vanden Toorn
Mrs. Gertrude VanderGraaf
Mrs. Marian VerHage

Remember in Prayer:

Mrs. Ann Baas
Mr. Trent Timmer
Mrs. Ruth Wiley

Serving our country:

Dan & Sarah Arnoudse family

Mr. Teunis VanderGraaf is scheduled for surgery this coming Friday, October 9.

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Meditation

ALIENATED

This word is used three times: “ye were aliens from the commonwealth of Israel.” Eph. 2: 12. Alienated from the life of God. Eph. 4: 18, and again here Col.1: 21-23. “And you, who were sometime alienated and enemies in your mind by wicked works,—

The most amazing trial of this that could be, was when God came into this world. God was manifest in the flesh. In him dwelt all the fullness of the godhead bodily. All the perfections of God flowed through his bosom. There was not a feature of God but it was shining through his glorious countenance, yet softened to human eyes by all the perfections of his manhood. Did men love Him when they saw him? Let Isaiah 53. Answer: “He was despised and rejected of men.” Or, hear his own words: “The world cannot hate you; but me it hateth, because I testify of it that the works thereof are evil.” John 7: 7. And again: “He that hateth me hateth my Father also, If I had not done among them the works which none other man did, they had not had sin; but now they have both seen me and hated both me and my Father.” John 15: 23, 24. How did they deal with him? They slew him and hanged him on a tree---they buffeted him, spat on him--scourged and crucified him---they nailed and pierced him. They were no worse than other men---men of like passions as we are; and yet the opportunity showed what is in man.

It is vain for you to conceal it, dear unconverted brethren, that your heart is full of enmity to God---that you are haters of God. Although it is fearful to think of, yet it is true, that all of you who are friends of the world are enemies of God; and though I believe it in my heart there is not one of you here present that would wantonly kill a fly or a worm, yet I fear many of you would kill God.

What is the reason of this enmity? Answer: “By wicked works.” It is the love of their sins that makes men hate God. Jesus himself tells you this; “Me it hateth, because I testify of it that the works thereof are evil.” You could hardly imagine it possible that anyone could hate the Lord Jesus. “He is altogether lovely.” There is no perfection in God, but it dealt in him; there is no loveliness in man, but it shone in him. And then his errand was one of purest love. He came to seek and to save that which was lost. He healed all that came---spoke lovingly to all. Even his threatening was mingled with tears of compassion. How could they hate him? He told them of their sins---that these sins were sinking them to hell.---He offered to save them from their sins---to give them rest---rest from the weary load of guilt--rest from the tossing of a wicked heart . It was this that enraged them. They loved their wicked works—they did not wantonly be saved out of them therefore the hated Jesus. R.M. M’ Cheyne

Welcome

Thank you so much for coming to worship God with us today. We hope and pray that you will be blessed among us and that you also will be a blessing to us. If you have any prayer needs or if you'd like to know more about our church, one of our pastors or elders would be very happy to speak with you.

“Wherefore by their fruits ye shall know them.”

Matthew 7:20

Congregational Life

- Today, Pastor Murray will lead our worship services.
- Next Sunday, Pastor Macleod will lead our worship services, D.V.
- The Sunday School and Catechism classes (beginners-7th Grade) are asked to meet upstairs this morning. The Psalter of the month is #124. Please review with your child(ren).
- With thankfulness to the Lord, the consistory of the Bornholm congregation invites you to attend the *ordination and installation* of Candidate John Procee into sacred ministry on Friday, October 16, at 7:30 PM in the Listowel Christian Reformed Church (345 Elizabeth Street East, Listowel, Ontario). Rev. G.R. Procee will lead the service, DV.
- There will be a *Ministerial Retreat* for our pastors, October 15-16 at Elmhurst Inn, Ingersoll, Ontario.
- *The Office-Bearer’s Conference* will take place on Saturday, October 17, 2015 at Burgessville Heritage Reformed Church, 685 Main Street, Burgessville, ON N0J 1C0. Coffee will be served at 10 AM with the conference starting at 10:30 AM. The topic for this year is “*Obstacles to Church Union.*” The speakers will be Rev. M. Kelderman on “*Scriptural and Practical Considerations;*” Rev. C. Pronk on “*Historical Considerations*” and Dr. J.R. Beeke on “*PRTS Considerations.*”
- *From the Deacons:* We are requesting the congregation’s approval for parsonage updates, as they will be over \$5,000. A detailed letter and ballot has been placed in the mailbox of each male member. Please fill out the ballot and place it in the box marked Parsonage Ballots on the table by the mailboxes. Ballots will be collected after the evening service on Sunday, October 11th.

Nursery		
Today	Room A	Room B
Morning	Rene Vander Hart	Lisa Van Strien
	Jen Pennings	Maddie Prince
Evening	Jen Klaasen	Kim Kleyn
	Annelise Moerdyk	Emma Vander Boon
Next Week		
Morning	Meta Moerdyk	Jamie Sijtsma
	Mary-Jo Haab	Makenna Pronk
Evening	Cheryl Moerdyk	Laura Hults
	Min Kyoung Kim	Josephine Haab
October	Mother in Charge	Betsy Timmer

Ushers		
	Morning	Evening
Today	Ron Vander Boon	Steve Kleyn
Next Week	Mark Arnoudse	Henry Boven

Offerings			
	First Collection	Second Collection	Collection Boxes
Today	General Fund	Seminary Fund	Fellowship Chapel
Next Week	General Fund	Benevolent Fund	Guatemala Mission

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