

“I will extol thee, my God, O king; and I will bless thy name for ever and ever. Every day will I bless thee; and I will praise thy name for ever and ever. Great is the LORD, and greatly to be praised; and his greatness is unsearchable.” Psalm 145:1-3

Peace Protestant Reformed Church

This is the Lord's Day - November 15, 2009

Morning Service - 9:30 AM

“The Human Nature of Jesus”

I. The Reality
II. The Possibility
III. The Profit
Scripture Reading: Matthew 1:18-25
Text: Lord's Day 14
Psalter Numbers: 33, 65, 48, 304
Offerings: General Fund & Benevolence

Evening Service - 5:00 PM

“The Virtuous Wife”

I. Her Spiritual Virtue
II. Her Selfless Industry
III. Her Incomparable Value
Scripture Reading: Proverbs 31:10-31
Text: Proverbs 31:10-12
Psalter Numbers: 318, 268, 125, 360
Offerings: Building Fund
& Heritage Christian High School Building Fund

Offerings

Last Week's Offerings: Benevolence: \$550.60 Reformed Witness Hour: \$259.25 HCHS: \$413.00
Next Week's Special Offerings: Evangelism & Berean Benevolent Fund

Weekly Calendar

Sunday: 11:15 AM - Choir
11:15 AM - Young People's Society
Tuesday: 7:45 PM - Junior Adults Bible Study
Wednesday: OT for Beginners Grades 1-3 - Lesson 9 - Memory Work
NT for Juniors Grades 4-5 - Lesson 9 - Memory Work and Written Work
NT for Seniors Grades 6-7 - Lesson 9 - Memory Work and Written Work, Romans 8:7,8
3:00 PM - Heidelberg Catechism - Lord's Day 10 - Memory and Written Work
4:00 PM - Essentials - Lesson 5 - Memory Work
7:30 PM - Council Meeting

Announcements

The congregation is pleased to welcome any visitors into our fellowship today. Please note that the Order of Worship can be found on the back of the bulletin. We thank our Heavenly Father for the opportunity to gather together as His children to worship Him.

The congregation extends Christian sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Brian and Stacy Bruinsma and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joel and Shanda Houck and family in the death of their grandfather. May they receive comfort from the knowledge that “Death is swallowed up in victory.” I Corinthians 15:54

The Young People's Society meets this morning. Bible discussion begins at Revelation 14:6.

The Junior Adults Bible Study will meet this Tuesday night, the Lord willing. Bible discussion will begin with James 5:1-6. The after recess discussion will be on Article 12 of the Canons. Supplying refreshments will be Stephan & Jennifer, Scott & Beth, Joanna, and Hannah.

The monthly Council Meeting is scheduled for this Wednesday at 7:30 PM.

A newsletter from Rev. A. Stewart in Northern Ireland can be found in the bulletin racks.

Junior Adults Bible Study: Please reserve Friday, December 4 for a Surprise Dinner. More details to follow.

To request your CD or cassette tape copy of a sermon, please complete the “Sermon Request” form located on the bulletin board in the back of church. Copies of sermons can be picked up from off the bookshelf. The audio of today's messages will also be available this week from our website at www.peaceprc.org.

“Preservation of the Saints” was the message heard this morning on the Reformed Witness Hour. Listen to WYLL, 1160 AM, next Sunday at 8:00 AM to hear “Yet Will I Rejoice in the Lord,” from Habakkuk 3:17-19.

Church News

Rev. C. Haak continues to consider the call to serve as the next pastor of Byron Center PRC.

Bethel PRC has formed a trio of Rev. Eriks, Prof. Engelsma, and Rev. Koole.

Rev. Key, Rev. Koole, and Rev. W. Langerak are on the trio of First PRC of Holland, MI.

Cornerstone PRC has called Rev. J. Slopsema to be their pastor. He plans to answer, DV., by December 6.

From the Contact Committee: Synod 2009 has authorized the CC to assist the Berean PRC of the Philippines and Covenant PRC of Northern Ireland in the financial support of Mr. Vernon Ibe and Mr. Martyn McGeown during their time of study at our seminary. Funding for this support comes from collections taken in our churches for the Foreign Student Assistance Fund. Based on collections received so far this year, a \$10,000 shortfall is anticipated. We ask for your prayerful consideration and support of this worthy cause.

Requested Announcements

Women's Bible Study will meet this Wednesday morning at Cornerstone PRC. Refreshments will start at 10:15 AM and Bible Study will begin at 10:30 AM. The discussion will be on Lesson 12 (I Peter 4:1-7) in the study guide by Rev. C. Hanko. The Children's Bible Story will be “Jesus Calms the Storm” and the memory work is John 6:36. Refreshments: Rachel H. & Shelly VDN. Toddler Nursery: Tiffany VB., Bobbi R., & Kate VU. Infant Nursery: Caitlin VM., & Annette O.

The Protestant Reformed Special Education Drive is being conducted the weeks of November 15 and 22 through the mail. Our goal this year is \$104,000. We earnestly pray that with God's gracious help we can attain this goal. If you did not receive a letter, or have any questions, please call Brandon Van Overloop (616) 669-4816 or Bern Zandstra (616) 534-3865.

Covenant Christian School of Lynden, Washington, is selling the remainder of their cookbooks, Home Cookin', for \$10 each. These would make great Christmas gifts to give to family and friends. We have a limited number left, so get your order in now. Please call Rachel at (306) 354-0945.

Faith Christian School in Randolph, WI, is seeking a teacher for either the Upper Room (grades 6-8) or the Middle Room (grades 3-5) starting next school year 2010-2011. Interested individuals should contact Board President Joe Van Baren at (920) 326-6190 or the administrator, Mike Vander Veen at michael.vanderveen@yahoo.com or (920) 296-4406.

Visitors for Katheryn Poortinga: This Week: Mary T. Next Week: Wanda B. & Janelle DJ.

Accompanists: Today: **AM** - Wanda B. **PM** - Lauren Wiltjer Next Week: **AM** - Rachel W. **PM** - Beth V.

Nursery: This Week: **AM** - Carrie B., Liz B., Kristina K. **PM** - Stacy B., Danielle B.
Next Week: **AM** - Wanda B., Jennifer DJ., Beth H. **PM** - Ruth F., Hannah V.

Thanksgiving Day: Shelby H. & Mary Jo T.

Ushers: November: **AM** - David V., Greg B., Justin V. **PM** - Aaron L., Daniel T., David W.
December: **AM** - Michael DJ., Mike V., Joel H. **PM** - Jeremy H., Brian B., Adam B.