

This is the LORD'S DAY – November 5, 2017

Morning Worship - 9:30 A.M.
Scripture: Psalm 104
Text: Heidelberg Catechism, L.D. 50
GIVE US BREAD THIS DAY
I. A Prayer That God Give
II. A Prayer That God Bless

Psalms: 298, 204, 97, 287

Evening Worship - 5:00 P.M.
Scripture: James 3
Text: James 3:3-12
CONTROLLING THE UNRULY TONGUE
I. The Necessity
II. The Possibility
III. The Blessing

Psalms: 9, 26, 21, 90

		Today	Next Week
Offering	AM	General Fund, Eastside	General Fund, Adams
	PM	Benevolence, Biblical Counseling Center	Benevolence, Wingham PR School
Nursery	AM	Molly V.B., Jennie V.D.B., Ruth K.	Erika A., Monica H., Abigail K.
	PM	Amanda V., Becky D., Meghan B.	Stephanie B., Ruthanne F., Kaitlyn V.
Ushers		Garth McKinney & Charlie Hoekstra	David Orzechowski & Nate Pipe
Transportation	Doug	John Flikkema III	Craig Dykstra
	Vivian	Doug Mingerink	Jim Holstege

Mediation: “The hypocrisy of censors is this—that in examining themselves they omit the chief thing, and that is of great moment, even their (own) evil speaking; for they who have reproved others pretend a zeal for perfect holiness, but they ought to have begun with their (own) tongue if they wished for perfection. As they make no account of bridling (their own) tongue, but on the contrary bite and tear others, they exhibit only a fictitious sanctity...and are the most reprehensible of all because they neglect a primary virtue.” (John Calvin)

CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

~**The Young People** Society will meet this AM. Bible discussion will be on Rev. 15-16. The Young Adults Society will meet next Sunday in the PM. Bible discussion will begin on the Marriage Form.
~**Jr. Mr. and Mrs.** will meet this week Wednesday at 8:00. We will continue our study of the life of David by discussing I Samuel 18. Lynn Kalsbeek and Becky Dijkstra will serve, John Kalsbeek will close with prayer. Please plan to join us!
~**The Council** meets this week Thursday at 7 PM with the Consistory meeting to follow. Anyone desiring to meet with either the Council or Consistory please contact the clerk.
~ **Sunday school** Christmas program practice is starting soon, and we would like to do a light coffee while the children are in practice. There is a sign-up sheet in the kitchen for those who are willing to bring snacks for the children and adults.
~ **With many new additions** to our congregation through birth and marriage, the SEPRC birthday/anniversary list needs to be updated! Please send any new birthdays or anniversaries to noormanlydia@gmail.com so they can be added.
~**Southwest Young People:** please pay your dues by December 1. Dues this year are \$20 and will go toward the convention travel subsidy fund, the Scholarship Committee, and the Beacon Lights.

LOCAL/DENOMINATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

~**Denominational News:** First (G.R.) called Rev. B. Huizinga. Southwest calls tonight from a trio of Candidate D. Noorman, Rev. W. Langerak and Rev. J. Engelsma. A special meeting of Classis West is set for Nov. 29 in Lynden to examine pastors-elect S. Regenerus (Lynden) and B. Feenstra (Lacombe).

YOUNG PEOPLE/YOUNG ADULTS

~ **The Young People's** Thanksgiving Mass Meeting will be held at Grandville PRC on November 19 at 2pm with a speech given by Candidate Dave Noorman. All young people are encouraged to attend for a time of fellowship and growth. Refreshments to follow!

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

~ **Adams Christian School** continues its fall deficit drive with a goal of \$120,000. Information has been mailed out. If you did not receive a packet in the mail, you can get one by calling the school office. Please prayerfully consider this need and return your gift or pledge to the school by November 30.
~ **From Heritage Christian** School Board: The 2017 fall deficit drive is currently underway, with 3-4 weeks remaining. We would like to thank those who have contributed to the drive, and would ask that everyone keep Heritage Christian and covenant education in your prayers and giving.
~ **Covenant Christian High School's** annual support drive for the 2017-18 school year began this past week. The budgeted goal for this drive is \$350,000. Please prayerfully consider this need and contribute as you are able to the support of the education of our covenant youth. If you would like a drive letter and did not receive one, please contact the school office at 453-5048.
~ **Adams Tasting Bee** registration is now closed. Due to an overwhelming response, we are unable to take any more registrations. If you have any questions you can contact Melissa Lubbers at 616-583-0015 or Julie Hauck at 616-878-3596.
~ **Adams Auction:** is THIS FRIDAY, November 10! We are serving a delicious Mexican themed dinner from 5-6:30. The silent auction also will be open at 5 and tables will begin to close by 6:40. The live auction starts at 7pm. We have a large variety to bid on at the silent auction and we have a great live auction list too! The preliminary booklet will be available soon to view on our website: adamschristianschool.org and click on the fundraising tab to Boosters...then to School Auction to pull up the link. We have a lot to offer – come bid on overnight packages, meat to fill your freezer, toys, tools, freezer meals, food, and so much more! Hope to see you there!
~ **Stop&Shop** is THIS WEEK Saturday, November 11 from 9 AM - 2 PM. Come out to Eastside Christian School and do some holiday shopping! We offer a variety of vendors as well as a delicious lunch. Take a peek at our vendor list at <https://www.facebook.com/eastsidestopandshop>.
~ **Please help** support Adams Christian School by eating out at BIG BOY (Grandville) on November 14 from 4-8 pm. Don't forget to bring in the flyer found in the church newsletter or at Adams school.
~**Heritage Christian School** Foundation's "Evening of Praise" performers include the Lubbers Family, Heritage Christian School's 3rd graders, the Daling family, Matthew Fisher, the Hope Heralds. And Eric and Crista Phelps. The program will be held at Grandville High School's auditorium on Saturday, November 25 at 7:00 P.M. Sponsor packages or General Admission tickets (\$15) can be purchased by contacting the Heritage Christian School office (receptionist@hchr.org or 669-1773). General admission tickets must be purchased in advance, and include a dessert reception following the concert. Come and join us as God is praised through the gift of music.
~ **The Board of Hope** Christian School in Redlands, California is seeking applicants for 2 full-time teaching positions for high school grades beginning next school year (2018/2019). All interested persons should contact Ron VanVoorthuysen (909-499-2350, ron.revco@me.com) or Scott Gaastra (909-910-2673, Scott.Gaastra@gmail.com).
~**Teacher Need:** Loveland PRCS is accepting applications for a 3rd and 4th grade teaching position to complete the 2017/2018 school year and applications for the same position for the 2018/2019 school year, as one of our teachers has been blessed with expectant motherhood! Interested persons should contact Administrator BJ Mowery bmowery@lovelandprcs.org (970) 218-3420 or Education Committee Chairman Joe Ophoff joe@scotthomeinspection.com (970) 818-6790. Candidates looking to complete the 2017/2018 school year should be available to begin teaching by March 12th, 2018.
~ **The Northwest Iowa** Protestant Reformed School in Doon, IA, is seeking a teacher for grades 3 and 4 for the 2018-2019 school year as well as an Administrator. For more information please contact Brent Wynia - 712-470-2757, brentwynia@hotmail.com or Joey Mantel - 712-470-6493, jsmantel@outlook.com.