

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

(\*Congregation Standing)

Organ Prelude

Silent Prayer

\*Doxology

\*Salutation

\*Votum in Unison

\*Blessing

\*Congregational Singing

Scripture Reading

Reading of the Law (Morning)

Apostles' Creed in Unison (Evening)

\*Congregational Singing

Prayer

Offertory

\*Congregational Singing

Sermon

Prayer

\*Congregational Singing

\*Doxology

\*Benediction

Postlude

## ELDERS

Rev. Maatman, President

Mark Ophoff (2022)

Jim Holstege, Vice-All (2021)

Bill Pipe, Vice President (2021)

Jerry Van Baren, Clerk (2020)

Jim Koerner (2020)

## DEACONS

Tim Kortering, Assistant Treasurer (2022)

Christian Flikkema, Vice-All (2021)

Garth McKinney, Treasurer (2021)

Jared Langerak, Secretary (2020)

Jordan Pipe, President (2020)

## General Information:

-Anyone desiring a pastoral call should notify the pastor or their district elder.

-Regular Consistory and Council meetings are held at 7PM on the second Thursday of the month.

-Deacon meetings are held at 7PM on the first Monday after the last Sunday of the month.

-Baptism requests are to be made in person at the regular Consistory meeting.

-The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper is administered the third Sunday in the months of February, May, August and November. Those who are members of other churches in our denomination who wish to partake of Communion may request this of the Elders just prior to the service. Those who are members of other denominations must present their request at the Consistory meeting prior to Communion.

-Material for public programs must be submitted to the Program Committee for approval.

-Sermon tapes are available from Liz Thompson. elizgriess@gmail.com

-Bulletin Clerk: Jennie VanDenBerg, 821-1270, jennievdb@yahoo.com. Deadline for announcements: Friday at noon.

-See the church directory for various Church committees, Catechism classes, Bible study societies, Etc.

## OPENING DOXOLOGY (AM & PM)

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow,

Praise Him, all creatures here below,

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host,

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

## CLOSING DOXOLOGY (Morning)

Now blessed be the Mighty One,

Jehovah, God of Israel,

For He alone has wonders done,

And deeds in glory that excel.

And blessed be His glorious Name,

Long as the ages shall endure;

O'er all the earth extend His fame.

Amen, Amen, for evermore.

## CLOSING DOXOLOGY (Evening)

May the grace of Christ, the Savior, And the Father's boundless love,

With the Holy Spirit's favor, Rest upon us from above.

Thus may we abide in union, With each other, and the Lord,

And possess in sweet communion, Joys which earth cannot afford.

## THE APOSTLES' CREED (Evening)

I believe in God the Father, Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ, His only begotten Son, our Lord;

Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary;

Suffered under Pontius Pilate; was crucified, dead and buried;

He descended into hell; The third day He rose again from the dead;

He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the

Father Almighty;

From thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost. I believe an holy catholic church;

The communion of saints; The forgiveness of sins;

The resurrection of the body; And the life everlasting. AMEN.

# SOUTHEAST

## PROTESTANT REFORMED CHURCH

Meeting at Adams Christian School

5539 Byron Center Ave. SW, Wyoming, Michigan 49519

[www.southeastprc.org](http://www.southeastprc.org)

**Live Call In Number:** (616) 608-0193

**Live Stream:** <http://www.prca.org:8000/se>

**Pastor:** Rev. Jacob Maatman

[jtmaatman@att.net](mailto:jtmaatman@att.net)

(708) 829-4204

## THIS IS THE LORD'S DAY

**March 8, 2020**

### Morning Service

9:30 AM

Rev. Maatman

Scripture: Matthew 26:1-30

Text: Heidelberg Catechism, L.D. 28

### THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

*I. Christ Given*

*II. Christ Received*

*III. Christ for Me*

Psalters: 187, 60, 422, 310

Offerings: General Fund

Foreign Missions

Next Week: General Fund

CCHS

### Evening Service

5:00 PM

Rev. Maatman

Scripture: Genesis 16

Text: Genesis 16:1-6

### A CARNAL TRY TO REALIZE THE PROMISE

*I. The Plan*

*II. The Result*

*III. The Lesson*

Psalters: 251, 331, 317, 155

Offerings: Benevolence

Faith Christian School (Randolph)

Next Week: Benevolence

Adams

## MEDITATION

"Whoever...desires that the flesh of Christ should afford nourishment to him, let him look at it as having been offered on the cross, that it might be the price of our reconciliation with God...So then, in order that we may feed aright on the flesh of Christ, we must contemplate the sacrifice of it, because it was necessary that it should have been once given for our salvation, that it might every day be given to us" (John Calvin, commentary on Luke 22:19).

## OUR CHURCH HELPERS

	NURSERY		USHERS	TRANSPORTATION
TODAY	AM	Julie P., Maddy R., Ava J., Molly S.	Jed Pipe Carl VanDenBerg	Colin Riemersma
	PM	Jill R., Natalie S., Grace V.		
NEXT WEEK	AM	Judy S., Jennie VDB., Elle J., Carmen V.	Dylan Kamps Ben Noorman	Jerry VanBaren
	PM	Liz T., Amanda V., Adalyn V.		

## CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**-Next Sunday**, Rev. Maatman will be supplying the pulpit at Cornerstone PRC as scheduled by classis. We will have Prof. Kuiper in the AM and Prof. Cammenga in the PM, Lord willing.

**-The consistory calls** the congregation to worship on Wednesday, March 11, at 7 PM, for the Prayer Day service.

**Offering:** Covenant of Grace PRC (Spokane); **Nursery:** Kathi H., Hanna A.; **Ushers:** Vic & Ethan Kuiper.

**Transportation:** Brent Snippe.

**-Council** - The Council and Consistory meetings will be held on Thursday, March 12. The Council will meet at 7:00PM with Consistory following at 8:30PM.

**-Easter Singing at Aurora Pond:** The Evangelism committee invites the church to sing to our neighbors at Aurora Pond prior to the evening service on March 29 for Easter themed singing. We hope to see you there.

**-YOUNG PEOPLE'S PROGRAM:** Please plan on staying after the morning service of Sunday, April 19 for a brief program held by the Young People's Society, with coffee cake and cinnamon rolls provided after the program. There will be a collection taken for the 2020 Young People's Convention. We are currently estimating 10 young people attending this year's convention, at a cost of \$450 per person, or a \$4500 total cost. Your donation to this worthy cause would be greatly appreciated. Thank you for your support of our young people!

### Societies and Committees

**-Young Peoples:** Please meet in the music room immediately after the morning service.

**-Young Peoples:** We will meet **TODAY**. Members are reminded to **PAY YOUR DUES ASAP!**

**-Young Adults:** We will meet **NEXT WEEK** after the evening service for a business meeting to discuss preparations for the planned event.

**- Evangelism:** The Evangelism Committee is looking for two interested professing members to assist in the work of writing letters to the prisoners we keep in touch with. Any interested members should contact the Evangelism secretary, David Ophoff. Email him at [daveophoff@gmail.com](mailto:daveophoff@gmail.com) if interested or if questions regarding this.

### Catechism

- **3:15 - Beginners** - Lesson 23. Memory work and memory verse.

- **3:15 - Juniors** - Lesson 23. Memory work and memory verse.

- **3:15 - Seniors** - Lesson 23. Memory work and memory verse.

- **7:00 - Heidelberg Catechism** - L.D. 23. Memorize Qs/As 59 and 60 and study each article carefully. Written work.

- **8:00 - Essentials** - Lesson 13 memory work. Lesson 12 extra work will be due.

- **9:00 - Canons** - Head 5 articles 5-8, rejection of errors 3, 4, 7, 8. Recommended reading: McGeown, *Grace and Assurance*, 287-303.

## DENOMINATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**-Kalamazoo PRC** and **Cornerstone PRC** have both called Rev. Engelsma (Doon).

**-First Protestant Reformed Church** of Edmonton has released their pastor, Rev John Marcus, under article 11 of the church order with the concurrence of Classis West and the synodical delegates. Rev Marcus is now available for call within the Protestant Reformed Churches. May God bless the decisions of this Classis for the glory of His name.

**-There will be** a special meeting of Classis East on Tuesday, March 17 to give its advice on a decision of Hope PRC to release their pastor from the ministry under Article 12 of the Church Order.

## REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

**-Mar. 10:** The REFORMED WITNESS HOUR will meet on Tuesday, Mar. 10, 2020, 7:30 p.m. at First PRC, Grand Rapids.

**-Mar. 14:** The Byron Center Young People would like to invite you to join them for their fundraising event "Joyful Praise with One Accord". The program will be held on Saturday, March 14 at 7 PM at Byron Center PRC. The feature of the night is the male quartet, One Accord, and there will be a few special numbers by the young people as well. A freewill offering will be taken to help offset the costs of the YP convention to be held this summer at Lake Williamson (Carlinville, IL). Refreshments will be served after the program. We hope you can join us!

**-Mar. 14:** The Young Calvinists will be hosting a Talking Points Lecture on Saturday, March 14 from 2-4pm at Georgetown PRC. Seminarian Josiah Tan will speaking on "Evangelism & The Covenant: How these two doctrines come together in the PRC's Sister church in Singapore." This interactive workshop will be live-streamed to our churches in and out of state! We encourage you to Facebook message us with any questions on local evangelism that you would like addressed by our speaker.

**-Mar. 16:** 2020 PRYP Convention - Registration for the 2020 Young People's Convention opens on Monday March 16! Chaperone registration is open until the end of March so please register now if you would like to serve as a chaperone this year. The convention is planned for August 10-14, 2020 at the Lake Williamson Camp in Carlinville, IL. To register as a chaperone, go to [www.prcconvention.com](http://www.prcconvention.com), and follow the instructions under the Chaperone tab. If you have any questions, email us at [Chaperone@prcconvention.com](mailto:Chaperone@prcconvention.com).

**-Mar. 25:** The Reformed Doctrines Class will *not* meet this Wednesday on account of the annual Prayer Day worship service. The class will meet next the fourth Wednesday of the month, March 25, God willing.

**-Mar. 27:** Adams Christian School will present their all-school program on Friday, March 27, at 7:30 p.m. at Friendship Christian Reformed Church. Please join us as we listen to our students sing praises to our God.

**-Mar. 28:** The Holland Young People will have a Breakfast fundraiser on Sat March 28 from 7:00-10:00 am. Breakfast will be served "restaurant style" from a variety of popular menu options, and served hot to your table. Please mark your calendars and plan to join us! Donation proceeds will be used for our 2020 convention costs.

**-May 23:** SW Young Peoples Softball Tournament: Sign your team up now to play in our annual softball tournament on May 23rd, 2020. It will once again be held at Whistlestop Park in Byron Center. We are looking for youth (14-18) and men's teams to participate. Cost is \$275 for men's and \$100 for youth teams. Deadline to sign up is April 20th. Email [southwestsoftball@gmail.com](mailto:southwestsoftball@gmail.com) to sign up or text Sarah Stange at 616-432-0276 with any questions that you may have. We look forward to another great turnout this year!

## SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**- Mar. 10 & 17:** Adams Christian School will conduct Kindergarten testing for next year on Tuesday, March 10 and Tuesday, March 17. If you are planning on sending a child to Adams' kindergarten next year and have not received a letter for testing, please contact the school office at 531-0748.

**-Apr. 25:** The area Christian schools will host an open house for Mr. Andy Kamper for his 44 years of faithful teaching service. The open house will be at Covenant Christian High School on **Saturday, April 25**, from 3-5 PM. All are welcome to stop by and thank Mr. Kamper for his dedicated work teaching music in our schools.

**- Eastside Christian School** Kindergarten testing is currently being scheduled. If your child did not attend Eastside's Preschool and you plan to send your child to Eastside's Kindergarten, please contact Jim Holstege. 616-942-2939 or [jim.holstege@eastside-christian.org](mailto:jim.holstege@eastside-christian.org)

**- Eastside Christian Preschool** is accepting enrollment for the 2020-21 school year. Your child must be 4 years old by September 1. To enroll your child please contact Jim Holstege at 616-942-2939 or [jim.holstege@eastside-christian.org](mailto:jim.holstege@eastside-christian.org)

**- Covenant Christian High** (GR) is seeking applicants for a 9th grade girls Volleyball Coach this fall. Season begins August 12, 2020. Those interested in applying for this position, or those seeking more information should contact Travis VanBommel, Athletic Director, via email at [covenantad@yahoo.com](mailto:covenantad@yahoo.com).