

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

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Pastor: Rev. Jacob Maatman

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THIS IS THE LORD'S DAY

November 29, 2020

Morning Service

9:30 AM

Rev. Maatman

Scripture: I John 1-2:17

Text: Lord's Day 51

THE FIFTH PETITION

I. Forgive us our Debts

II. For Jesus' Sake

III. As we Forgive our Debtors

Psalters: 412, 363, 140, 233

Offerings: General Fund

Foreign Sem. Student Assistance

Next Week: General Fund

Adams

If unable to attend please mail your General and Benevolence offerings to:

Southeast Protestant Reformed Church - P.O. Box 9558, Wyoming, MI 49509.

Evening Service

5:00 PM

Rev. Maatman

Scripture: Isaiah 7

Text: Isaiah 7:14

THE SIGN OF IMMANUEL'S BIRTH

I. The Giving of It

II. The Content of It

III. The Fulfillment of It

Psalters: 424, 127, 353, 401

Offerings: Benevolence

Ref. Witness Hour

Next Week: Benevolence

Sioux Falls PR School

Greeters: Doug M. & Josh P.

Nursery AM: Reka, Joanna, Elaina

Nursery PM: Deanna, Jennie, Adalyn

Next Week: Jason J. & Johnny K.

Next Week AM: Erika, Audrey, Quinn

Next Week PM: Annie O., Monica, Kinley

QUOTE

“Q. 194. What do we pray for in the fifth petition?”

A. In the fifth petition (which is, Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors), acknowledging that we and all others are guilty both of original and actual sin, and thereby become debtors to the justice of God; and that neither we, nor any other creature, can make the least satisfaction for that debt: we pray for ourselves and others, that God of his free grace would, through the obedience and satisfaction of Christ, apprehended and applied by faith, acquit us both from the guilt and punishment of sin, accept us in his Beloved; continue his favor and grace to us, pardon our daily failings, and fill us with peace and joy, in giving us daily more and more assurance of forgiveness; which we are the rather emboldened to ask, and encouraged to expect, when we have this testimony in ourselves, that we from the heart forgive others their offenses” (Westminster Larger Catechism, Q/A 194).

CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

-**The annual** congregational meeting is scheduled for Monday, December 7 at 8:00PM. The nominees for Deacon are David Dijkstra, Alex Kaiser, John Kalsbeek, and Eric Pastoor; for Elder are Tim Hoving, Doug Mingerink, Tim Pipe Jr, and Matt Velthouse. Retiring are Jared Langerak, Jordan Pipe, Jim Koerner and Jerry Van Baren.

-Catechism-

Beginners: Lesson 11. Memory work and memory verse.

Juniors: Lesson 11. Memory work, memory verse and written work.

Seniors: Lesson 11. Memory work, memory verse and written work

Heidelberg Catechism: Lord's Day 35. Qs/As and written work.

Essentials: Lesson 22. Memory work. Lesson 21 extra work will be due.

Church Order: Articles 28-31.

-Societies-

-**Young Peoples:** The next meeting of Young People's is scheduled for December 13. Scripture to study: Genesis 24. Reading to discuss as time permits: *Dating Differently*, chapters 5 and 6.

-**Young Adults:** The next meeting of Young Adults' is scheduled for December 6. To study: Nehemiah 13.

- **Jr. Adults:** We will meet next on Dec. 9, at 7:30 PM, Lord willing. We will discuss II Samuel 20. Dan Ophoff will lead. Joanna Koerner and Deanna Langerak will serve.

DENOMINATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

-**Cornerstone PRC** – They have called **Rev. Spriensma** (Home Missions).

- **Kalamazoo PRC** – They have formed a trio of **Revs. D. Holstege** (Philippines), **D. Kleyn** (Philippines) and **Laning** (Hull).

- **Hudsonville PRC** – They have called **Rev. Spronk** (Faith).

- **Wingham PRC** – They have formed a trio of **Revs. N. Langerak** (Crete), **Engelsma** (Doon) and **Laning** (Hull).

-**Our sister church** in Singapore, the CERC, recently contacted our Contact Committee for pulpit supply and pastoral help in light of their lengthy vacancy. In response to this request, the TSC has approved releasing Prof. Dykstra from his seminary duties next semester so that he can supply our sister church with pastoral help in their time of need. The Singapore officials have approved the Employment Pass

needed by Prof. Dykstra to labor in the CERC during the pandemic. Plans are for the Dykstras to leave as soon as the seminary's first semester ends in early December. Once in Singapore, they will be quarantined for two weeks before they can worship with the congregation and begin working. Prof. Dykstra's seminary classes will be covered by the other professors. The Dykstra's plans are to return to the States sometime in May. May the Lord use Prof. Dykstra's labors for the encouraging, strengthening, and preservation of our sister church in Singapore.

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

-**The Heritage Christian School** Herald was sent electronically by way of email to those families who receive memo emails from us each week. The email was sent out this past Wednesday. If you would like to see a paper copy, please email (receptionist@hchr.org) or call (616-669-1773) the school and we will get one to you. May God bless all of our schools as we work at educating His covenant children.

- **Adams Christian School** continues its fall deficit drive with a goal of \$167,000. 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 December 7.

- **Covenant Christian High School** is accepting applications from members of the Protestant Reformed Churches for teaching positions in the 2021-22 school year. There is a particular need in the areas of English and Mathematics but applications will be accepted from those with secondary certification in other subject areas. We are also in need of a full or part-time English teacher for the second semester of this year (2020-21). Those who are interested in either position are encouraged to contact Mr. Rick Noorman, Administrator at ricknoorman@gmail.com or call 616-453-5048 or Mr. John DeVries, Education Committee at westmichiganrealestate@gmail.com for more information.

-**The Protestant Reformed** Christian School of Dyer, IN is seeking applicants for a 4th grade position during the second semester of this school year. Interested applicants are asked to contact the administrator, Ryan Van Overloop at ryan.vanoverloop@dyerprcs.org.

- **Loveland Protestant Reformed** Christian School (Loveland, CO) is seeking a full-time grade school or high school teacher for the 2021-2022 school year. Interested applicants should contact school Administrator BJ Mowery (970) 218.3420 bmowery@lovelandprcs.org or Education Chairman Jordan Kamps (970) 566.2329 jordan@bedrockslingers.com

-**The Sioux Falls** Protestant Reformed Christian School Board is seeking one more teacher to start our new school for the '21-22 school year. This open position is to teach K-2nd grades. If you are interested in this exciting opportunity or have any questions, please email the Board at assocpredusf@gmail.com, or you can call Andon De Boer at 605-212-3084.

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

Missing out on events? Stay to date on news and events with the Young Calvinists by subscribing to our newsletter at <https://youngcalvinists.org>, or by filling out the following form: <https://tinyurl.com/youngcalvinists>. We'd love to hear your suggestions for new events!

ALL THIS, THE LORD WILLING.