

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
Doug Mingerink, Clerk (2023)
Tim Pipe Jr., Vice-All (2023)
Mark Ophoff (2022)
Jim Holstege (2021)
Bill Pipe, Vice-President (2021)

DEACONS

David Dijkstra, Vice-All (2023)
John Kalsbeek, Secretary (2023)
Tim Kortering, Assistant Treasurer (2022)
Christian Flikkema, President (2021)
Garth McKinney, Treasurer (2021)

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 David Dijkstra, 558-9043, david@kleynelectric.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

THIS IS THE LORD'S DAY

May 23, 2021

Morning Service

9:30 AM

Rev. Maatman

Scripture: Acts 2

Text: Acts 2:33

THE OUTPOURING OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

I. His Reception by the Exalted Christ

II. His Outpouring upon the Church

III. The Eschatological Significance

Psalters: 287, 141, 29, 303

Offerings: General Fund

Building Fund

Next Week: General Fund

Faith Christian School (Randolph)

Evening Service

5:00 PM

Rev. Maatman

Scripture: I Timothy 1

Text: II Timothy 1:13-14

GUARD THE DEPOSIT

I. The Good Deposit

II. The Call to Guard It

III. Guarding it by the Holy Spirit

Psalters: 402, 334, 341, 43

Offerings: Benevolence

Eastside

Next Week: Benevolence

Seminary Student Aid

Live Call In Number: (616) 608-0193

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

Website: www.southeastprc.org

Pastor: Rev. Jacob Maatman

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Church Helpers

Transportation: Matt Velthouse

Greeters: Charlie & Eric

Nursery AM: Katrina, Amanda J., Kinley

Nursery PM: Monica, Ava, Elaina

Next Week: Tim Hoving

Next Week: Tyler & Jordan Pipe

Next Week AM: Jennie, Annie O., Carmen

Next Week PM: Erika, Lauren R., Chloe

QUOTE

“Understand that if we cherish earthly treasures, we should cherish still more spiritual treasures which have as their aim God’s honour, the advancement of his kingdom and Christ’s rule among us, so that great and small may do him homage and all redound to our salvation. When we see something so precious which should kindle such zeal within us, should we not forsake all else which might prevent us from doing our duty? But since none of us can safeguard the precious things which God has committed to us unless he gives us his power, and since we can do nothing of ourselves, Paul adds, ‘by the Holy Spirit who dwells in us’” (John Calvin, *Sermons on 2 Timothy*, sermon 6).

CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Junior Adult Bible Study** will hold a business meeting after the morning service **TODAY** in the library.
- **Council met this** past Thursday, reports were heard from the standing committee’s and Censura Morum was conducted. The June Council and Consistory meetings are rescheduled to Thursday, June 24. At the Consistory meeting following, reports were heard of the family visits conducted, the Sunday School teachers were approved for the coming year, the Consistory encourages parents to avail themselves of this for the coming season. We granted the request of Jed & Heidi Pipe to transfer their membership to Unity PRC, we wish them God’s blessing in their new church home. With sorrow we granted the request(s) of Brent & Alissa Snippe, Sophia and baptized children, Connor, Charlie, Molly and Lauren for their membership papers, (Certificates of Dismissal), be sent to their home. The Consistory and Council covets your prayers as we labor along with you. 1 Corinthians 15:58 – “Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord”.
- **The lecture** series continues this Tuesday, May 25, at 7:30 PM in Adams’ gym. The congregation is encouraged to attend.
- **We extend our** Christian condolences to Dan and Judy Schimmel and Daniel and Kristen Schimmel upon the death of Judy’s father, Andy Dykema, who was delivered from this valley of tears this past Tuesday at the age of 91. Let us remember the Schimmels in prayer and comfort them with the hope of the resurrection of the body and the life everlasting.
- **Attention College Graduates:** If you graduate(d) this year, and would like your name announced in the bulletin with the grade school and high school graduates please contact the bulletin clerk this week.
- **There will** be a Ladies Night painting activity at the home of Lindsay Kerkstra on Thursday May 27 at 7:30pm, the Lord willing. If you would still like to sign up please contact Lindsay.
- **The evangelism committee** would like to encourage the congregation to attend another door-to-door event on May 29, 2021 Sign-up sheet will be located at gym entrance, please contact an evangelism committee member with questions or concerns. We plan to meet at Adams school at 4:00 pm and go into the community near there. Post event refreshments will be provided.
- **The diaconate** invites all the elderly and widow/ers in the congregation out for dinner at Wyoming Russ’ (28th St) on Thursday June 3rd, 5:30pm. If you would like to attend please contact David Dijkstra. Transportation can be arranged upon request.
- **A discussion** of Paul Tripp's book *Parenting; 14 Gospel Principles That Can Radically Change Your Family* will be taking place at the home of Jared and Lisa Langerak on July 11 at 8pm. All members including young and old are encouraged to read and participate! A sign up sheet will be coming soon.

- Family Visitation:	Family	Date	Time	Elders
	Alex Kaiser	5/24	6:30 PM	Rev. Maatman/B.Pipe
	Bernie Kamminga Jr.	5/24	8 PM	Rev. Maatman/B. Pipe

DENOMINATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Byron Center PRC:** has called **Prof. Dykstra** (Seminary).
- **Hudsonville PRC:** has called **Rev. Bruinsma** (Pittsburgh).
- **Wingham PRC:** has formed a trio of **Revs. Barnhill** (Peace), **Regnerus** (Lynden) and **De Boer** (Edgerton).
- Kalamazoo PRC: has formed a trio of **Revs. Lee** (Bethel), **Barnhill** (Peace) and **De Boer** (Edgerton).
- **Pre-Synodical Service** will be held on Monday evening, June 7, at 7:00 P.M. in Georgetown PRC. Rev. R. VanOverloop will preach the sermon Synod will begin its 2021 meetings on June 8, at 8 A.M. in Georgetown PRC. Seminary graduation will take place, D.V., on Thursday, June 10 in Georgetown PRC, at 7:30 P.M. Prof. D. Kuiper will give the address.

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Adams Christian School’s** June *Announcer* is available today in the back of church.

- **Adams Christian School** continues its annual support drive with a goal of \$345,000. 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 remember this need and send your gift or pledge to the school by May 28. Thank you!

- **Thank you** to all who have given to the Hope Protestant Reformed Christian School spring drive! Hope PRCS has collected \$306,038 towards the deficit drive goal of \$315,000 by June 1, 2021. Please prayerfully consider giving as you are able to help us reach our budgeted goal.

- **CCHS 2020-21 Support Drive Update:** We are thankful to report that \$449,000 has been collected toward our yearly support drive. This has surpassed our goal of \$410,000. The Board is grateful for the steady financial support of CCHS.

- **COVENANT CHOIRS** (Chorale and Chamber) will perform a concert on **Monday, May 24 at 7:00 PM** in the Jenison Center for the Arts! The concert will be live streamed, and a limited number of tickets have been allocated to these choir members. Current guidelines will be followed.

- **Covenant Christian High School Band** will perform a band concert on **Tuesday, May 25 at 7:30 PM** in the CCHS gym following current guidelines. The concert will be live streamed, and a limited number of tickets have been allocated to each band member. If you would like to attend, please contact a CCHS band member to receive your free ticket for entrance to the concert.

- **The School Board** of Adams Christian School will meet on Thursday, May 27 at 7:00 PM

- **With thankfulness** to God, Hope PR Christian School announces graduation exercises to be held on Wednesday, June 2 at 7 pm at Grace Protestant Reformed Church. Prof. Huizinga will address the graduates. Attendance will be limited, so please check with your graduate’s family.

- **Heritage Christian School’s** graduation will take place on Thursday, June 3 at 7 PM at Fellowship Reformed Church (6610 36th Ave, Hudsonville, MI 49426). Due to current restrictions, attendance will be limited to those invited by the graduates’ families. Prof. Gritters will be speaking. We pray that God will lead and guide the graduates in the years ahead, a sentiment emphasized by their class text: “For this God is our God for ever and ever: He will be our guide even unto death.” (Psalm 48:14)

- **Covenant Christian High School** commencement will take place, weather permitting, on Friday, June 4, at the Grandville Middle School football field located at 3535 Wilson Ave. in Grandville. The Graduation will begin at 7:00 p.m. and Rev. Garrett Eriks will deliver the commencement address. Due to current COVID-19 regulations, attendance will be limited to 1000 people. Each graduate will be given 9 tickets to distribute to their families and friends. A ticket will be needed to enter. If capacity at outdoor venues for high school graduations is increased, we will adjust our policy and communicate that to everyone. If the weather is not conducive to being outdoors, the ceremony will be moved indoors to the CCHS gymnasium where capacity is much smaller and only parents will be allowed to attend.

- **Adams Christian School’s** graduation ceremony will be held on Tuesday, June 8 at 7:30 PM outside behind the school, with Prof. Cammenga speaking. Chairs will not be provided, so please bring your own. If rain, the ceremony will be held in the gym.

- **ADVANCE NOTICE:** The annual Heritage Christian School Foundation Golf Outing is scheduled for Saturday, July 17 at 7AM at The Meadows at GVSU. Look for more information to follow in the coming weeks.

- **Hope PR School** (Walker) is in need of a bus driver for the Coopersville route for the 2021-2022 school year. If you are interested, or need help getting a bus driver’s license, please contact Scott Moelker at 616-293-0753 or scott.moelker@speedwrench.com.

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **The Southwest YPS** Softball Tournament is planned for Saturday, May 29 at Whistlestop Park in Byron Center. A delicious lunch of hamburgers & hotdogs will be available. This year we are offering a FREE hotdog lunch to kids 10 yrs old and younger. Bring your family to enjoy the ballgames. See you there!

- **The Hope Heralds** will begin meeting, Lord willing, on Sunday, June 6. Members are asked to check their email in the next week or so for attendance and location details. If you would like to sing this year, and are not on the HH email list, please email Dan VanDyke at dvandyke@hchr.org.

- **The Young Calvinists** is hosting a speech on “Personal Evangelism,” given by Seminarian Josiah Tan at Hudsonville PRC on June 30, 7pm . Refreshments to follow. Bring a friend, and enjoy this important message!

- **Dear beloved brothers and sisters in Christ-** *We would like to express our gratitude for your love that was shown us in many different ways as God led and continues to lead us through the sorrows and joys of our trial. A trial not unlike what we are going through together in our churches today. We experienced being part of a body that cares for one another and lifts each other up in prayer to a Father who loves us so much that He gave His only Son for us. Isaiah 26:3 & 4 has been a source of strength and peace for us and it is our prayer that you are encouraged and strengthened with it as well. “Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee; because he trusteth in thee. Trust ye in the LORD forever; for in the LORD Jehovah is everlasting strength:”* In Christian love- Jeremy and Heidi Meulenberg and family

ALL THIS, THE LORD WILLING.