

**Hospers Christian Reformed Church**  
**January 21, 2024 - 9:30 A.M.**

**We Are Gathered By God**

Welcome/Announcements

Silent Prayer

\*Call to Worship - Psalm 146:1,2,3,5

Pastor - Praise the Lord, O my soul. I will praise the Lord all my life.

**People - I will sing praise to my God as long as I live.**

Pastor - Do not put your trust in princes, in mortal men who cannot save.

**People - Blessed is he whose help is in the God of Jacob, whose hope is in the Lord his God.**

Pastor - Grace, mercy and peace be to you from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

**People - Amen**

\*Opening Hymn: #174 (R) "I Stand Amazed"

**We Renew Our Fellowship With God**

Preparatory Exhortation for Communion (G-976)

\*Hymn of Preparation: #739 (R) "I Surrender All" OCCS Hymn of the Month

**We Listen to God's Word**

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: Genesis 18:1-5 (p. 24) II Corinthians 13:11-14 (p. 1808)

Catechism - Lord's Day #7 & 8 (Q & A #22,23,24,25) Page 867

Message: **"The Triune God"**

Prayer of Application

**We Respond With Commitment**

\*Song of Response: \* 538 (R) (1,2,4). "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"

Congregational and Offertory Prayer **Offerings - Classical Quotas/Benevolence and General Fund**

Closing Hymn: #659 (R) "I Nearer, Still Nearer"

**We Go Out To Serve**

\*Benediction

\*Doxology: #637 (G) "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

\*Postlude

\* All who are able may stand

Organist - Sheila Zevenbergen

**Hospers Christian Reformed Church**  
**Evening Worship**  
**5:00 P.M.**

**Continuing Our Worship**

Prelude: "Take My Life and Let It Be"

Welcome

Silent Prayer

\*Hymn of Adoration: #351 (R) "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

**Praying And Praising God**

Congregational Prayer

\*Apostles' Creed (pg 813)

\*Hymn of Adoration: #292 (R) "Living For Jesus"

\*Song of Preparation: #676 (R) "Oh, How I Love Jesus"

**Listening To God**

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: Joshua 24:1-33 (p. 368)

Message: **"Serve In Reverence"**

Prayer of Application

**Dedication To God**

\*Song of Application: #896 (R) (x2) "Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying"

**Concluding Our Worship**

\*Benediction

\*Doxology: #638 (G) "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

\*Postlude "Living for Jesus"

\*All who are able may stand

**Offering is for the Genesis House**

Pianist - Teresa Van Sloten

**Hospers Christian Reformed Church  
Hospers, Iowa**

	<b>Today</b>	<b>Next Week</b>		
<b>Offerings:</b>	Classical Quotas/Benevolence General Fund World Hunger	Genesis House  Family Crisis Center		
<b>Sound System;</b>	Mike Klynsmas	John Klynsmas		
<b>Projection:</b>	Deets Bosma	Ed Vander Wilt		
<b>Prepare:</b>	Sue Klynsmas	Becky Vander wilt		
<b>Video:</b>	Phil Zeutenhorst	Justin Klynsmas		
<b>Ushers:</b>	Dave B. Jay K.	Dave B.Jay K.		
<b>Greeters:</b>	Elders	Janice Poppema, Julie Stuit		
<b>Library:</b>	Jo Goslinga	Harriet Van Kalsbeek		
<b>Coffee:</b>	Al & Freddy Vande Kamp	Jerry & Ruth Boyer		
	<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>	<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>
<b>Nursery:</b>	William G. Mag VW.	Tracy W.	Helen Z. Deb VW.	Rina K.

**Our Church Calendar**

<b>Sunday</b>	9:30 A.M. Our Morning Worship - Pastor Gonzalez
	10:45 A.M. Sunday School & Catechism
	10:45 A.M. Coffee and Fellowship
	5:00 P.M. Our Evening Worship - Pastor Gonzalez
<b>Monday</b>	7:00 P.M. GEMS - Craft/Praise and Worship
<b>Wednesday</b>	7:00 P.M. Golden hour Society - Hostess is Kris Kooistra
<b>Thursday</b>	2:00 P.M. Priscilla Society - Hostess is Connie Rusche

**Our Church Family**

**Our offerings this morning** are the ones designated for today plus doing the General Fund that was designated for last Sunday when we had no church.

**Welcome to worship.** Paul wrote wise words to the Colossians that seem quite appropriate for all Christians to consider as we enter the New Year: "Bear with each other and forgive..as the Lord forgave you. And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity. To our visitors we extend a special welcome and invite you to join us for coffee and fellowship this morning.

**From the Priscilla Society** - We will be having our meeting of January 18 on January 25. We will also be meeting on February 1.

**Please remember to pray daily** for any sick and or sorrowing people in the church

**Remember our shut-ins**—Ruth Roetman, Nelva Vander Wilt & Arlene Van Otterloo.

**Happy Birthday** - Harlyn Jasper (15), Alan Woudstra (18).

**Harlyn Jaspers** are asked to visit the shut-ins in Prairie Ridge Care Center and Landsmeer.

**From the Deacons** - For the 4th quarter of 2023 the General Fund met its quarterly goal. Thank you so much for your continued generosity.

**Unity Christian** is looking to hire a Track throws coach. Please contact Terry Schouten at [tschouten@unitychristian.net](mailto:tschouten@unitychristian.net) or 712-737-4114 for more information.

**The sophomore class of Unity** will be hosting their annual soup supper on Thursday, February 1 from 4:30-7:30pm. The soup supper will take place in the Unity cafeteria. Free-will donations will be taken. Come and enjoy food and fellowship, while supporting the sophomore class!

**Join us for the annual Reach Out Event** sponsored by Unity Christian and MOC-FV on Friday, Feb 2. MOC-FV is hosting the event this year. Basketball games between MOC-FV and Unity begin at 4:30 starting with JV girls and boys followed by the varsity teams. All proceeds from this community event will benefit local families with high medical costs.

**Requested Announcements**

**We would like to express our sincere thanks** to your church for the prayer support and the generous financial gifts you have given to us again over this past year. We are so grateful for you and are so privileged to serve as your missionaries. For the next three weeks we will be teaching another online media course to national students from Nigeria. Pray that God will enable them to learn the skills necessary to dub Scripture videos into the languages in their country. Thank you for being a vital part in this ministry. **-Lauren and Connie Runia**

**Today is Sanctity of Human Life Sunday.** All human life is created by and from the hands of God and is therefore precious. All have a right to life which should be protected and valued at every stage. All are created in the image of God and as a result are holy unto Him. This is a belief that all life is sacred and a gift from God.

## “The Triune God”

- I. To understand humanity, you must understand it with “m\_\_\_\_\_,” “w\_\_\_\_\_,” “c\_\_\_\_\_.” Similarly, to understand d\_\_\_\_\_ you must understand it with “Father,” “Son,” and “Holy Spirit.”(H.C. 24&25)
- II. When God p\_\_\_\_\_ reveals himself to Abraham (The founder of God’s people), God does so as a t\_\_\_\_\_ (Gen 18:2).
- III. Normally, the head answers. But this t\_\_\_\_\_ answered as o\_\_\_\_\_ (v5).
- IV. The O.T. blessing always blessed on the h\_\_\_\_\_ a\_\_\_\_\_ (Num 6:22-27). For Paul, this is the t\_\_\_\_\_ (2 Cor 13:14).
- V. In the O.T. when God sent his Son and his Spirit down (Gen 18:21) the people were d\_\_\_\_\_. In the N.T. when God sends his Son, the people are d\_\_\_\_\_, and with his Spirit they are s\_\_\_\_\_ (H.C. 24).

## “Serve in Reverence”

- I. Ch. 24 is divided into t\_\_\_\_\_ p\_\_\_\_\_;
  - 1) First is a r\_\_\_\_\_ of the “i\_\_\_\_\_” of God (v1-13).
  - 2) Second is the c\_\_\_\_\_ to f\_\_\_\_\_ (v14-22).
  - 3) Third is the s\_\_\_\_\_ of a\_\_\_\_\_ (v23-27).
- II. In the first part we are called to r\_\_\_\_\_ and b\_\_\_\_\_ in f\_\_\_\_\_ (John 20:24-29).
- III. In the second part we are called to b\_\_\_\_\_ i\_\_\_\_\_ by God’s calling (Mark 8:34-38).
- IV. In the third part we are called to s\_\_\_\_\_ the oath and w\_\_\_\_\_ the t\_\_\_\_\_ (Matt 5:10-12).

