

**Hospers Christian Reformed Church
January 28, 2024 - 9:30 A.M.**

We Are Gathered By God

Welcome/Announcements

*Mutual Greeting

Silent Prayer

*Call to Worship - Psalm 147:11-14

Pastor - The Lord delights in those who fear Him.

People - He delights in those who put their hope in His unfailing love.

Pastor - O Jerusalem, let us extol the Lord, let us praise the God of Zion

People - For He strengthens His people and has blessed us with peace.

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

People - Amen

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

We Renew Our Fellowship With God

Celebration of the Lord's Supper (G - 973-975)

*Hymn of Preparation: #561 (G) "Rejoice, O Pure in Heart"

We Listen to God's Word

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: Psalm 104:5-14 (p. 940) Matthew 6:25-34 (p. 1505)

Catechism - Lord's Day #9 (Q & A #26) Page 870

Message: "**A Good Father**"

Prayer of Application

We Respond With Commitment

*Song of Response: #899 (R) "Seek Ye First"

Congregational and Offertory Prayer **Offerings - Genesis House/Benevolence**

Closing Hymn: #699 (R) "Like a River Glorious"

We Go Out To Serve

*Benediction

*Doxology: #633 (G) "He Is Lord"

*Postlude

* All who are able may stand

Organist - Sheila Zevenbergen

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

Continuing Our Worship

Prelude

Welcome

Silent Prayer

*Hymn of Adoration: #696 (R) "Marvelous Grace"

Praying And Praising God

Congregational Prayer

*Apostles' Creed (pg 813)

*Hymn of Adoration: #772 (R) "My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"

*Song of Preparation: #690 (R) "I Know Not Why God's Wondrous Grace"

Listening To God

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: Judges 1:19-36 (p. 372)

Judges 2:1-15 (p. 373)

Message: "**Compromise Is Futile**"

Prayer of Application

Dedication To God

*Song of Application: #407 (R) "If You But Trust in God to Guide You"

Concluding Our Worship

*Benediction

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

*Postlude

*All who are able may stand

Offering is for the Family Crisis Center

Pianist - Helen Zeutenhorst

**Hospers Christian Reformed Church
Hospers, Iowa**

	Today	Next Week		
Offerings:	Genesis House/Benevolence Family Crisis Center	Building Fund Christian Education		
Sound System;	John Klynsma	Alan Woudstra		
Projection:	Ed Vander Wilt	John Klynsma		
Prepare:	Becky Vander Wilt	Mike Klynsma		
Video:	Justin Klynsma	Kurt Zevenbergen		
Ushers:	Dave B. Jay K.	Ted VB. Al Vande Kamp		
Greeters:	Janice Poppema, Julie Stuit	Ed & Becky Vander Wilt		
Library:	Harriet Van Kalsbeek	Freddy Vande Kamp		
Coffee:	Jerry & Ruth Boyer	Dave & Deets Bosma		
	AM	PM	AM	PM
Nursery:	Helen Z. Deb VW.	Rina K.	Janet G. Anna DG.	Sheila Z.

Our Church Calendar

Sunday

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

Wednesday

7:00 P.M. Men's Bible Study

Thursday

2:00 P.M. Priscilla Society

Our Church Family

Welcome to Worship - Remembering that we are brothers and sisters in the Lord, we welcome each of you. May this worship service fill us all with confidence and hope as we prepare for the week ahead. We extend a special welcome to our visitors and invite you to join us for coffee and fellowship this morning.

Our Church Offerings - World Hunger (\$720.00), Classical Quotas (\$711.00) and General Fund (\$3,806.00)

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 - Mike Schoonhoven (28).

Jay Kleinwolterinks are asked to visit the shut-ins in Prairie Ridge Care Center and Landsmeer.

Men's Bible Study will begin on Wednesday. If you are interested in joining please contact Pastor Gonzalez.

Mary Bosma has been placed in hospice care at Crown Point Estates. Her room number is #813 in the Birch Neighborhood. We ask for prayers for peace and comfort for Joe and Mary in this new life change. **Joe** will remain in their independent living apartment in room #1120 in the Maple Neighborhood. Joe & Mary appreciate your prayers and visits.

The annual OCCS Tiger PAWS Soup Supper will be held on Thursday, February 8, 2023 from 5:00-7:00 pm in the OCCS gym. Soup, tavern, hot dogs/coneys, and homemade desserts and pies will be served. Please come out and support OCCS with this fundraiser!

Unity Christian is looking to hire a Track throws coach. Please contact Terry Schouten at 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

Groundwork: Generosity - Giving generously of our time, money, and ourselves does not always come naturally. Join Groundwork as we study Mark 6:35-44, Titus 3:3-7, 2 Corinthians 9:6-15, and 1 Timothy 6:17-19 to discover why generosity is an important virtue for Christ's followers to cultivate, what it looks like to be generous people, and how we can nurture generosity in our everyday lives. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com

On Friday, February 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the B.J. Haan Auditorium, the Dordt University Music Department will present a Music Faculty Recital. Performers include Carrie Groenewold on organ, Onsby Rose on trombone, Pam De Haan on alto saxophone and voice, accompanied by Carrie Groenewold, and Darren Van't Hul on voice, accompanied by Pam De Haan.

“A Good Father”

- I. We are told that creation has one creator and it b_____ his s_____ of o_____ and g_____ (Ps 104:7-11)
- II. In light of God’s g_____, we are called to l_____ as if there is t_____ not t_____ in the created order.
- III. Because of God’s character, Jesus calls us h_____ f_____ and not s_____ (The opposite of f_____ v30).
- IV. God can and will do this because he is a_____ and as f_____ as a father (H.C. 26).

“Compromise is Futile”

- I. As soon as the previous generation passed away, Israel g_____ started c_____ (v28).
- II. We must hold the next generation to a higher standard because c_____ is like g_____, always p_____ at our souls (ch.2:10).
- III. The greatest compromise is w_____ we choose as f_____ and f_____. This is different from who will call us f_____ and f_____ (“Covenant” ch.2:2).
- IV. Therefore do not n_____ or c_____ on the standards of the Lord. And teach your children in the middle of your u_____ actions.

