

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

We Are Gathered By God

Welcome/Announcements

Mutual Greeting

Silent Prayer

*Call to Worship - Psalm 146:6,7,8

Pastor – The Lord is the maker of heaven and earth, the sea and everything in them.

People – The Lord is forever faithful, He upholds the cause of the oppressed and gives food to the hungry.

Pastor – The Lord sets the prisoner free, He gives sight to the blind.

People – The Lord gives sight to the blind, he lifts up those who are bowed down.

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

All – Amen

*Opening Hymn #604 I “To God Be the Glory”

We Renew Our Fellowship With God

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Responsive Reading of God’s Law – (G) – page 1017

*Hymn of Preparation #363 I “Blessed Assurance”

We Listen to God’s Word

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: I Peter 1:1-9 p.1886-1887

Message: **“Our Joy in Christ”**

Prayer of Application

We Respond With Commitment

*Hymn of Response #685 I “I Sought the Lord & Afterward I Knew”

Congressional and Offertory Prayer **Offering World Hunger**

*Closing Hymn #770 I “In Christ Alone” verses 1 & 4

We Go Out To Serve

*Benediction

*Doxology #946 I “Go, My Children, with My Blessing” verses 1 & 3

*Postlude

*All who are able may stand

Pianist – Helen Zeutenhorst

Hospers Christian Reformed Church
Evening Worship- 6:00 P.M.

Continuing Our Worship

Prelude

Welcome

Silent Prayer

*Hymn of Adoration: #5 I “Let All Things Now Living”

Praying And Praising God

Congregational Prayer

*Apostles’ Creed (p. 813 G)

*Hymn of Praise: #365 I “I Serve a Risen Savior”

*Song of Preparation: #322 I “I Need Thee Every Hour”

Listening To God

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: Psalm 119:33-40 p. 958-959

Message: **“Make Me to Learn”**

Prayer of Application

Dedication To God

*Song of Application: #329 I “Lead Me, Guild Me”

Concluding Our Worship

*Benediction

*Doxology: #334 I “May the Mind of Christ, My Savior”

*Postlude

*All who are able may stand

Offering is for Building Fund

Pianist – Sheila Zevenbergen

**Hospers Christian Reformed Church
Hospers, Iowa**

	Today	Next Week
Offerings:	World Hunger Building Fund	Building Fund Alpha Center
Sound System:	Alan Woudstra	Randy Van Kalsbeek
Projection:	Ed Vander Wilt	Stan Van Otterloo
Prepare:	Becky Vander Wilt	Mike Klynsma
Video:	Justin Klynsma	Kurt Zevenbergen
Ushers:	Ed VW & Gerald VDV	Kelly K. & Kyle W.
Greeters:	Janice P. & Julie S.	Dave & Deets Bosma
Library:	Julie Struit	Katie Rouse
Coffee:	Dave & Deets Bosma	Al & Sandy Woudstra
	AM	PM
Nursery:	Liz K. Becky VW.	Deb VW. Katelyn Z. Anna D. Rina K.

Our Church Calendar

Sunday

9:30 A.M. Our Morning Worship – Pastor Dave Smit
 10:45 A.M. Coffee and Fellowship
 6:00 P.M. Our Evening Worship- Mr. Matt Dengler

Leading our worship next week will be Pastor Duane Tinklenberg for AM service and Pastor Bob Drenton for PM service.

Our Church Family

Welcome – In Matthew 18:20, Jesus says, ‘For where two or three gather in my name, there am I with them.’ Today, we gather in the great name of Jesus and know that He is here with us. We rejoice in your presence as we welcome everyone today.

Amanda (Woudstra) Seidl’s membership was transferred to Our Savior Lutheran Church in Brookings, SD.

We extend our Christian sympathies to Dorothy Vander Wilt following the passing of her sister Anita Weg of Worthington.

Our Church Offerings –Classical Quotas (\$1,175), Benevolence (\$196), & Bible League (\$620)

Happy Birthday to Al Vande Kamp (27), Randy Van Kalsbeek (31), Sue Klynsma (2) & Lola Van Kalsbeek (2)

Happy Anniversary to Joseph & Ashley Vander Wilt (28) and Kale & Viki Kramer (3)

Jerry Boyer is asked to visit the shut-ins in Prairie Ridge and Landsmeer.

Janice Kuiper is asked to visit the shut-ins in Crown Pointe in Sioux Center

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 & Mary Bosma.

NEEDED – we are still looking for people who would be willing to prepare the screen for our church services.

From the Deacons – Our General Fund offerings for the 2nd Quarter was short \$3,660. Please consider this in your giving for the upcoming General Fund offerings.

The Sunday school year is quickly approaching! We are in need of 3 Sunday school teachers. Sunday school will run from September-April. The grades range from preschool-fifth grade. Please contact Anna DeGroot if you are willing to teach or if you have any questions.

Hospers GEMS will be hosting a bake sale on Saturday, August 10 at the vendor fair during Hosper’s Celebration Days. If anyone is willing to donate for the GEMS to sell please contact Rina at 712-230-0212. All proceeds will go to the Hospers GEMS club.

Requested Announcements

Please join us for the Bible League’s annual Christmas in July. It will be held at First Christian Reformed Church in Sioux Center on Monday, July 29 beginning at 1:30 p.m. Donations to the silent auction are appreciated. Learn more about Bible League International and Legacy Thrift Store. Every \$5.00 raised at this event will put a Bible in the hands of those who are desperate to read the word of God in their own language.

Orange City Christian is hosting a Dessert Dash and Trivia Night on Tuesday, August 6 starting at 6pm. The evening will include a meal, entertaining trivia and delicious desserts. All money raised from this evening will go towards the Phase 23 Building Project. Please email Travis De Jong at tdejong@orangecitychristian.net if you have any questions or to sign up by July 31.

Groundwork: God Creates - The theme of creation echoes throughout the Bible. Join our Groundwork conversation as we study Genesis 1, Revelation 21:22-24, Psalm 139:13-14, Hebrews 1:1-3, and Colossians 1:15-17 to discuss what this theme reveals to us about God’s character, love, and intentions. Then we’ll consider our call to reflect God’s creativity with our own as bearers of his image. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork’s weekly emails for future episodes.

OUR JOY IN CHRIST

I Peter 1:1-9

I. WE KNOW _____

A. We are _____

B. We are _____

C. We are _____.

II. WE KNOW _____.

A. We have _____

B. We Have _____

III. WE RESPOND _____

A. _____

B. _____

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