

**Hospers Christian Reformed Church**  
**March 17, 2024 - 9:30 A.M.**

**We Are Gathered By God**

Prelude: "Jesus Cares Medley"

Welcome/Announcements

\*Mutual Greeting

Silent Prayer

\*Call to Worship - Psalm 139:1-3

Pastor - O Lord, you search me and you know me!

**People - You know when I am resting; you know when I am working; you see my thoughts from afar.**

Pastor - You know when I go out; you know when I come back.

**People - You know everything I do; you know everywhere I go.**

Pastor - Grace and peace to you from him who loves us and has freed us from our sins by his blood; and made us to be a kingdom and priests to serve our God and Father, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**People - Amen**

\*Opening Hymn: #696 (R) "Marvelous Grace"

**We Renew Our Fellowship With God**

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Reading of God's Law

\*Hymn of Preparation: #170 (R) "Man of Sorrows, What A Name"

**We Listen to God's Word**

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: Matthew 26:31-35, 69-75 (p.1544)

Luke 22:54-65 (p. 1639)

Message: **"Were You There When Jesus Said, "You Will Deny Me?"**

Prayer of Application

**We Respond With Commitment**

\*Song of Response: #175 (R) "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

Congregational and Offertory Prayer **Offering - Classical Quotas**

Closing Hymn: #513 (G) "Christian Hearts in Love United" OCCS Hymn of the Month

**We Go Out To Serve**

\*Benediction

\*Doxology: #833 (R) (vs. 1) "There Is a Redeemer"

\*Postlude: "Little Is Much"

\* All who are able may stand

Organist - Ruth Boyer

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

**Continuing Our Worship**

Prelude

Call To Worship: Psalm 33:1-5

Welcome

Silent Prayer

\*Hymn of Adoration: #43 (R) "Guide Me, O My Great Redeemer"

**Praying And Praising God**

Congregational Prayer

\*Affirmation of Faith - Apostles' Creed (pg 813)

\*Hymn of Praise: #772 (R) "My Hope is Built on Nothing Less"

\*Song of Preparation: #366 (R) "My Jesus, I Love thee"

**Listening To God**

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: Psalm 32:1-11 (p. 869)

Message: **"Blessed And Forgiven"**

Prayer of Application

**Dedication To God**

\*Song of Application: #696 (R) "Marvelous Grace"

**Concluding Our Worship**

\*Benediction

\*Doxology: #944 (R) (1) "God Be with You Till We Meet Again"

\*Postlude

\*All who are able may stand

**Offering is for Laotian Ministries**

Pianist -Sheila Zevenbergen

**Hospers Christian Reformed Church  
Hospers, Iowa**

	<b>Today</b>		<b>Next Week</b>	
<b>Offerings:</b>	Classical Quotas Laotian Ministries		World Hunger Zestos	
<b>Sound System:</b>	Alan Woudstra		Randy Van Kalsbeek	
<b>Projection:</b>	Randy Van Kalsbeek		Ed Vander Wilt	
<b>Prepare:</b>	Sue Klynsma		Becky Vander Wilt	
<b>Video:</b>	Kurt Zevenbergen		Phil Zeutenhorst	
<b>Ushers:</b>	John K. Kyle W.		John K. Kyle W.	
<b>Greeters:</b>	Jo Goslinga, Sharon Van't Hof		Al & Phyllis Schoonhoven	
<b>Library:</b>	Deets Bosma		Sharon Van't Hof	
<b>Coffee:</b>	Jerry & Ruth Boyer		Ed & Becky Vander Wilt	
	<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>	<b>AM</b>	<b>PM</b>
<b>Nursery:</b>	William G. Sheila Z.	Val K.	Avery Z. Jennifer B.	Cheryl J.

**Our Church Calendar**

**Sunday**

9:30 A.M. Our Morning Worship - Pastor Al Kuiper  
 10:45 A.M. Sunday School & Catechism  
 10:45 A.M. Coffee and Fellowship  
 5:00 P.M. Our Evening Worship - Mr. Matt Dengler

**Monday**

7:00 P.M. Council Meeting

**Wednesday**

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

**Thursday**

2:00 P.M. Priscilla Society - Lesson #6, Naomi. Hostess is Lola Van Kalsbeek

**Our Church Family**

**Welcome** - This is the day that the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it. To everyone worshipping with us on this Lord's Day, we extend a hearty welcome. May the Lord richly bless us as we worship and fellowship together, and may His name be praised. Please join us after the morning worship service for a time of fellowship and coffee.

**Today we extend a special welcome** to Rev. Kuiper who will lead our morning worship and to Mr. Matt Dengler who will lead our evening worship.

**Our Church Offerings** - General Fund (\$3761.00) & Christian Education (\$586.00).

**Advance - Household of Faith** of Randy Van Kalsbeek and Justin Klynsma will go to the Prairie Ridge Care Center on Sunday, April 7 at 2:30 P.M. The Chairman is Kent Rusche, Speaker is Hank Coulander and Program/Pianist is Mike Klynsma

**Happy Birthday** - Connie Rusche (22).

**Happy Anniversary** - Al & Phyllis Schoonhoven (20) and Kelly & Liz Kooistra (22).

**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.

**The Building and Grounds Committee** would like to thank Janice Kuiper and Jo Goslinga for all the work they have put in over the years with the flowers, their dedication is much appreciated! After many years Janice and Jo will be stepping down from their service.

**The Building and Grounds Committee** is looking for volunteers to help Gerald do things like maintaining the planter beds, landscaping and plants outside of church. The committee is also looking for volunteers to help with things like parsonage and building maintenance. Please prayerfully consider serving in one of these ways. If you are willing, please call Caleb De Groot 605-251-4899.

**Mary Woudstra** is asked to visit the shut-ins in Prairie Ridge Care Center and Landsmeer.

**From the Council..**On Easter Sunday we will have a Breakfast at 8:15 A.M.

**Requested Announcements**

**Groundwork - The Complete Sufficiency Of The Cross** - Christ's sacrifice is completely sufficient to satisfy God's wrath, and yet, sometimes we forget. Join Groundwork as we study Isaiah 53:6; Galatians 2:20-21, 3:1-3, 3:24-27, & 6:14-15; and Romans 5:9-11 & 6:1-4 to discuss the source of this truth, how we can keep our fears at bay, and how we can keep a right perspective about our salvation and our deeds. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com

**SAVE THE DATE: Love INC Sioux County** invites the community to our Spring Share Event on April 27th at the Parkview Event Center in Rock Valley. Get ready for a fun night of food, fellowship, and sweet treats. Hint: It also might be time to brush up on your stored knowledge of random facts! Information on how to purchase tickets is coming soon!

**Community Health Partners**, along with Sioux County healthcare systems, are partnering to offer an 8-session weight loss and diabetes prevention program, "Choose Health NW Iowa," with the goal of preventing diabetes in NW Iowa and promoting healthy and informed lifestyle choices. Classes will be on Thursdays from 5:30-6:30 P.M. at the Hull Public Library. Cost is \$40. To register: call Community Health Partners at 712-737-2971 or email [chp@siouxcountychnp.org](mailto:chp@siouxcountychnp.org).

**WERE YOU THERE WHEN JESUS SAID,  
“YOU WILL DENY ME THREE TIMES!”**

Matthew 26:31-35, 69-75

**Introduction:** Peter might have said to himself, “It’s just a little thing. A little denial won’t harm anyone, will it?” The story of Peter’s denial reminds us that there is no such thing as a “little” sin. Every sin, big or little, is enough to separate us from God – forever. But thankfully, Jesus calls us by name, and says, “I have prayed that your faith may not fail.”

**Peter responds to Jesus with \_\_\_\_\_ denials (26:31-35)**

“Even if all fall away on account of you, I never will!” (vs. 33)

“Even if I have to die with you, I will never \_\_\_\_\_ you!” (vs. 35)

**Peter responds to accusations with \_\_\_\_\_ denials (26:69-74)**

Peter says, “I don’t know what you are talking about.” (vs. 70)

Peter responds with an oath, “I do not know the man!” (vs. 73)

He curses & swears, “**I DO NOT KNOW THE MAN!**” (vs. 74)

**Peter is devastated with his \_\_\_\_\_ denials (26:75)**

“Immediately, a rooster crowed.” (vs. 74)

“The Lord \_\_\_\_\_ straight at Peter.” (Lk. 22:61)

“Peter went outside and wept bitterly.” (vs. 75)

**Peter’s faith is sustained by the Savior’s prayer:**

“I have prayed that your faith may not fail.” (Luke 22:31)

“\_\_\_\_\_, I have prayed that your faith may not fail.”



