

Hospers Christian Reformed Church
April 5, 2026 - 9:30 A.M.

We Are Gathered By God

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements

*Call to Worship: Romans 6:8, 14:9

Leader: O Come, let us worship for if we have died with Christ,
We believe that we will also live with him.

**People: For to this end Christ died and lived again,
That He might be Lord both of the dead and of the living.**

*Opening Hymns: #186 (R) "Low in the Grace He Lay"
#181 (R) "See What a Morning"

*Mutual Greeting

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

People: Amen.

We Renew Our Fellowship With God

*Hymn of Praise: #182 (R) "Christ the Lord Is Risen Today"

Children's Message

*Hymn of Praise: #598 (R) "You are Holy" *OCCS Hymn of the Month*

*Hymn of Preparation: #762 (R) "Ancient Words"

We Listen to God's Word

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: Romans 5:12-21 (p. 1753)

Message: "What About Second Adam?"

Prayer of Application

We Respond With Commitment

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

Congregational and Offertory Prayer **Offering** – Building Fund

*Closing Hymn: #859 (R) "Be Thou My Vision" vs. 1-3

We Go Out To Serve

*Benediction

*Doxology: #859 (R) "Be Thou My Vision" vs. 4

*Postlude

* All who are able may stand

Pianist – Sheila Zevenbergen

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Our Evening Worship
6:00 P.M.

Continuing Our Worship

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Welcome

Silent Prayer

*Hymns of Praise: #590 (R) "Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing" vs. 1-4
#224 (R) "Rejoice, the Lord is King"

Praying And Praising God

Congregational Prayer

Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 83, 84, & 85 (p. 899-900 G)

*Apostles Creed (p. 813 G)

*Hymn of Praise: #695 (R) "And Can It Be"

Hymn of Preparation: #747 (R) "Breath on Me, Breath of God"

Listening To God

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: Ephesians 2:1-10 (p. 1818)

Message: "Finding Our Identity at Easter"

Prayer of Application

Dedication To God

*Song of Application: "I Am Not My Own"

Concluding Our Worship

*Benediction

*Doxology: "Nearer, My God, to Thee"

*Postlude

*All who are able may stand

Offering is for **Sioux City Gospel Mission**

Pianist – Ruth Boyer

**Hospers Christian Reformed Church
Hospers, Iowa**

	Today	Next Week		
Offerings:	Building Fund Sioux City Gospel Mission	General Fund Bible League		
Sound System:	Alan Woudstra	Mike Klynsma		
Projection:	Randy Van Kalsbeek	Deets Bosma		
Prepare:	Mike Klynsma	Liz Kooistra		
Video:	Kurt Zevenbergen	Joe Vander Wilt		
Ushers:	Harlyn J. & Ed VW.	Kelly K. & John K.		
Greeters:	Al & Phyllis Schoonhoven	Jay & Sharla K.		
Library:	Katie Rouse	Jo Goslinga		
Coffee:	Joe & Ashley VW	Dorothy VW & Mag VW		
	AM	PM	AM	PM
Nursery:	Val K. Cheryl	Sheila Z.	Becky V Brooke	Jen B.

Our Church Calendar

Sunday

8:00 A.M. Easter Brunch Potluck
 9:30 A.M. Our Morning Worship – Mr. Matt Dengler
 10:45 A.M. Coffee and Fellowship
 6:00 P.M. Our Evening Worship – Mr. Matt Dengler

Wednesday

7:00 P.M. Golden Hour – Hostess is Deb Vander Wilt
 7:30 P.M. Young Ladies

Our Church Family

Welcome to all worshipping here today. We extend a special welcome to those visiting with us and invite you to join us for coffee and fellowship this morning

Our church family is going to have a night of fellowship and welcome home for Phil and Helen on April 17 at the town shelter house, we invite the whole church family to join us. Meat and potatoes will be provided, if it works please bring a side or dessert to share. Supper will start at 6:30.

Remember our shut-ins –Nelva Vander Wilt & Mary Bosma.

Arnie Vander Wilt is asked to visit the shut-ins in Crown Pointe in Sioux Center. **Hank Coulander** is asked to visit the shut-ins in Prairie Ridge and Landsmeer in Orange City.

For those in need of pastoral care, prayer, or a visit, please reach out to the elders or council members of your household of faith.

Our Church Offerings – Alpha Center (\$577.00) and Atlas (\$304.00)

Happy Anniversary to John & Val Klynsma (3)

We are in need of a Sunday School Superintendent, if interested please contact Kevin or Matt.

All ladies of the church are invited are invited to a bridal shower for Gracie Schoonhoven and Katelyn Zevenbergen on Saturday April 25 at 9:30am in the church fellowship hall. Both girls are registered at Target and Amazon.

All grandparents of freshmen students at Unity Christian High School are invited to attend Freshmen Grandparent Day on Thursday, April 16 at the school. The event is scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m. and will finish at lunch with your grandchild. Please call 737-4114 or email aobbink@unitychristian.net to make a lunch reservation.

Unity Christian 8th Grade Day will be held on Tuesday, April 14, 2026. All interested 8th grade students are invited to visit Unity from 11:15am until 2:40pm. Students will experience a tour of the school, participate in a chapel, and learn about courses and co-curricular programs. An evening event designed for the parents of incoming freshmen will be held that same evening, April 14th from 7:00 - 8:30pm. This evening meeting is a critical parent orientation meeting to learn about course selection, athletics, transportation, and enrollment. Call the school with any questions at 712-737-4114.

OCCS Associates, Tiger PAWS needs your help in what is always our biggest event of the year—the Tulip Festival! If you are willing to help out OCCS families with your time, please sign-up on the OCCS Associates Tent/Straat/Baking Pigs Sign Up which will be coming out on Monday or call Jen Platter at 701-240-8248 to see where your gifts can be used. We thank you in advance for helping us out with your time and talents!

“The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few...” Has God been pulling your thoughts toward his harvest fields? Do you have questions about what that might look like? Explore some possibilities for vocational ministry on April 14 in Sioux Falls, or April 16 in Orange City, from 6:15-9:00 pm. Reflect on God’s calling, and how to discern your calling. Learn about what it looks like to be a local pastor; cross-cultural missionary; chaplain in the military, hospital, or prison; staff at a non-profit; or a shepherd for others into ministry. The event is free and open to all ages high school and up, with snacks provided. It would be helpful if you can register by April 10 with this form <https://forms.gle/WiQ9qcfuwfpAZHbv8>, which has more details about the events, but feel free to come even if you don’t register.

As you begin your spring cleaning, please consider donating your gently used items to the **Bargain Alley Thrift Store** and the **Bargain Alley Furniture Outlet**. The Thrift Store is especially in need of children’s clothing and home décor. Thank You!

