

August 23, 2020

**Welcome to the Peoria Christian Reformed Church.** We are thankful for another opportunity to gather for worship, to hear God's Word, and to fellowship together.

	TODAY	NEXT SUNDAY
Greeters	Dale & Davona Fynaardt Keith & Sue Van Ee	Glen & Sandy Fynaardt Dennis & Donna Van Wyk
Missionary Correspondents	Gifford - Lawrence Roose; Huyser - Judy Rozenboom; Le Mahieu - Joyce Star; Vander Wal - Nancy Terpstra	
Morning Prayer Team	Norman De Jong Mark Franje	Tim Franje Mike Vander Hart
Nursery Attendants	<b>a.m.</b> Stacie Fynaardt, Kora Kruid <b>p.m.</b> Angie Vander Molen, Ben Van Wyngarden	<b>a.m.</b> Erin Fynaardt, Adrienne Vander Molen <b>p.m.</b> Kelli Kruid, Alyson De Bruin
Offering	<b>a.m.</b> Christian Education Fund <b>p.m.</b> Lake View Camp	<b>a.m.</b> Missionary Support <b>p.m.</b> Pella Christian High School

TODAY

Please join us as we **fellowship** outdoors over a cup of coffee or lemonade after the morning worship service (weather permitting).

A time of **prayer** will be held on the Council room following the evening worship service.

CALENDAR

- Tuesday Church League Softball Tournament in Sully (see website calendar)
- Thursday Church League Softball Tournament in Sully (see website calendar)

NEXT WEEK

In the morning we will conclude our "Songs and Prayers for the Journey" series with **Psalm 150**, "A Taste of Heaven".

In the evening, Pastor George will continue our series through Paul's letter to the Romans, looking at **Romans 6:1-14**.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

In your church mailbox today is a **2020-2021 Church School schedule** and a **family visiting schedule**. Please contact your visiting elders if you reschedule. Thank you.

This is the final day to return the **deacon and elder nomination forms** to a box in the entryway. Please participate in this important process, as the Council very much appreciates the congregation's input in this task of choosing leadership for the Peoria CRC.

Parents and/or students, please inform Kathy Franje of addresses (please include e-mail address) for your **college students** or **young adults** living away from home so a new **address list** can be made.

FROM THE DEACONS: Our offering next Sunday morning will be for **Missionary Support**, the second of what are typically three offerings. The congregation approved a commitment of \$12,400 to our missionaries at the November 2019 congregational meeting, and so far \$4,066 has been collected. Please prayerfully consider this cause as our small country church strives to assist in Kingdom work in faraway places.

All **Church School teachers and helpers** for the 2020-2021 season are asked to meet in the basement after the morning service next Sunday, August 30.

We are thankful for all who serve in various ways. A couple of reminders about procedures during the current COVID-19 situation:

- **Greeters** are also functioning as door openers. Depending on weather, please prop the door open or open for each person arriving. Door keeping is highly valued! See Psalm 84:10.
- As we return to offering **nursery** service, attendants who serve in the morning are asked to disinfect (spray or wipe) any toys used and all door knobs before leaving the nursery. This step is not necessary in the evening because a week will pass until its next use.

The **Classis Central Plains** meeting scheduled for September 18-19 has been canceled.

#### CHURCH FAMILY

We give thanks to God with **Thressa Deur** on the occasion of her 90<sup>th</sup> birthday on August 25.

#### SCHOOL NOTES

Praise God with us for supplying all our staffing needs! Thank you for your prayers on behalf of **Peoria Christian School!** Please continue to pray for the board, staff, students, and volunteers as we begin a new school year on Tuesday, August 25. You are invited to join us for chapel at 8:30 a.m. at Peoria Church. Pastor George will be the speaker.