

October 17, 2021

Welcome to the Peoria Christian Reformed Church. We are glad you have joined us for worship today. "This is the day the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it." Psalm 118:24 (NIV)

	TODAY	NEXT SUNDAY
Greeters	Gary & Carol Jochems Byron & Carla Vander Molen	Terry & Nicole Fopma Doug & Barb Vande Voort
Missionary Correspondents	Gifford - Esther Roose; Huyser - Lawrence Roose; Le Mahieu - Judy Rozenboom; Vander Wal - Joyce Star	
Morning Prayer Team	Tim Franje Frank Reitsma	Kathy Franje Carm Reitsma
Nursery Attendants	a.m. Kelli Kruid, Lily Lefevre p.m. Krystal Lefevre, Greta Vos	a.m. Carm Reitsma, Ben Van Wyngarden p.m. Paige Roos, Mack Veenstra
Offering	a.m. Christian Education Fund p.m. Pella Christian High School	a.m. Teen Challenge of the Midlands p.m. Dordt University

TODAY

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

Church School classes will meet after the morning service and dismiss at 11:30. Preschool class meets in the church basement; classes for grades K-8 meet in the school; high school class meets in the youth building. Visitors are welcome! Offering: Siem Reap Children of Promise Orphanage (Cambodia)

Home Builders will meet in the basement at 7:30 p.m. (Lesson 11)

CALENDAR

Monday 7:00 p.m. Elders' Meeting
Tuesday 7:00 p.m. Bible Searchers, Lesson 1 (Day 5)
Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Cadets Game Night
7:00 p.m. GEMS
7:00 p.m. Youth Group, Snack ~ Becca

NEXT SUNDAY

Next Sunday **Pastor George** has a classical assignment to preach both services at Sully CRC. **Royce Spoelstra** will lead our morning worship, and **Pastor Dan Vos** will lead our evening worship service.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please prayerfully consider the gifts God has given and how you can serve the church. The Council asks that you fill out a 2022 **committee preference survey**, which was available in your church mailbox last week for 5th graders through adults (extras in the bulletin racks). Please return completed sheets to the boxes in the hallways by October 24.

ANNUAL REMINDERS:

- Do you enjoy the **photos** that are posted on the church web site or used in the end-of-year video? If so, please snap some photos occasionally at church activities in which you are involved and send them to Deb Bruxvoort (rdbrux@bruxvoortag.com). Thank you for your help with this!
- **PRIVACY NOTICE:** Photos of church activities are occasionally posted on the church web site, on the home page or under various group photo galleries. Perhaps it is your desire to not be included in web site displays of group photos and/or photos of you or your family (with or without names attached). If so, please contact Deb Bruxvoort (637-2324) with your preferences.
- Each week, the **church website calendar** is e-mailed to all with e-mail addresses. If you have mistakenly “unsubscribed” from this service and would like to continue receiving these weekly reminders, or if you would like to be added to this list, please contact Kathy Franje.
- All **prayer requests** are shared through the church website. If you do not have Internet access and wish to receive an e-mail when prayer requests are posted; or if you don’t have computer access and wish to receive a phone call; or if you are willing to help make phone calls to pass along prayer requests, please contact Helen De Jong and the proper arrangements will be made.

SCHOOL NOTES

The **Pella Christian High School PC Link** was e-mailed to all members. A limited number of print copies are available in the bulletin racks.

PCHS FALL MUSICAL: Save the Date! The Pella Christian 2021-22 theatre season opens with Broadway's 2013's Best Musical Revival, *Pippin*. This updated circus-inspired version of Pippin continues to captivate audiences throughout the world. The musical is filled with special effects, dazzling lighting, lots of energetic choreography and aerials, and colorful costumes. Production dates are October 28, 29, and 30 with tickets available for purchase on the PCHS website home page beginning October 18. Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$8 for students (\$2 more at the door) which includes credit card and handling fees charged to the school. All sales will be final.

The **Peoria Christian School Annual Bazaar** will be on Friday, November 12, 2021, at the Peoria Christian School Gym. This year’s theme is “A Thrill of Hope” and Matthew 12:21, “In His name the nations will put their hope.” Please plan to join us for a fun-filled evening. Bake Sale/Browse-n-Buy will be held 3:00-6:30 p.m., Coffee Time at 3:00-4:30, Supper at 5:00-6:30, and Live Auction and free childcare at 7:00 p.m. Like Peoria Christian School on Facebook for more information and to see items that will be auctioned. Thank you for supporting Peoria Christian School!

Peoria Christian School is seeking a full-time **1st/2nd grade teacher**. This position is available immediately. We are also seeking a **5th/6th grade teacher** for the 2022-2023 school year. If you are interested in these positions, please contact Jeremy Copenhaver (principal@peoriachr.org) for more details. Please continue to pray for the right individuals to come forward to fill these positions.

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW THRIVING ESSENTIALS COURSE: Be one of the first to experience and shape a new course for people who are actively involved in their local congregation. Developed with funding from Lilly Endowment Inc., this online four-session course explores key paradigms about mission, discipleship, discernment, and leadership. Each session is just one hour, and new groups start each week. For details and sign-up, visit www.crcna.org/Thrive.

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION TIP: Reflection and Discussion Starter – the Practice of Gratitude: Read Luke 7:36-38 and ponder or discuss the following questions. If you can’t remember a time when you didn’t believe in God, it might be difficult to feel deeply what Jesus has done for you. How might you and other Christians recover a sense of wonder and gratitude for the sacrifice of Jesus’ life? (Faith Formation Ministries: www.crcna.org/FaithFormation)