

**NOVEMBER 9, 2025**  
**9:30 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE**

Prelude

Opening Prayer

\* Call to Worship                      Psalm 96:7-13 (p. 584)

\* God's Greeting

\* Song of Praise                      *Sing to the LORD, Sing His Praise*                      **Gray 96**

Call to Confession                      Psalm 95:7b-11 (p. 584)

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon                      Psalm 130:3-8 (p. 606)

God's Will for Our Lives                      1 Thessalonians 5:5-22 (p. 1148)

\* Song of Response                      *Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing*                      **Gray 501**

Congregational Prayer

Offering                      The Well

\* Song of Preparation                      *O Word of God Incarnate*                      **Gray 279**

\* Scripture                      Ruth 4:1-12 (p. 259)

Sermon                      **Savior of the Nations**

\* Song of Dedication                      *Jesus Shall Reign*                      **Gray 412**

\* Benediction                      1 Thessalonians 5:23-24, 28

\* Doxology                      *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*                      **Gray 638**

\* Postlude

*\* Please stand, if able*

**NOVEMBER 9, 2025**  
**5:00 P.M. WORSHIP SERVICE**

Prelude	<i>Praise the Lord!</i>	
Opening Prayer		
* Call to Worship	Psalm 150 (p. 615)	
* God's Greeting		
* Song of Praise	<i>To God Be the Glory</i>	<b>Gray 473</b>
* Confession of Faith	Heidelberg Catechism Lord's Day 9 (Gray p. 870)	
Responsive Reading	Psalm 119:33-48 (p. 599)	
* Song of Response	<i>That I May Live and Keep Your Word</i>	<b>Song Sheet</b>
Evening Prayer		
Offering Offertory	Resonate Global Mission <i>Behold, the Lord Will Come</i>	
Heidelberg Catechism	Lord's Day 4 (p. 864)	
* Song of Preparation	<i>We Give Our Thanks to You, O God</i>	<b>Gray 75</b>
* Scripture	2 Thessalonians 1 (p. 1149)	
Sermon	<b>The Justice and Mercy of God</b>	
* Song of Dedication	<i>Rejoice, the Lord Is King</i>	<b>Gray 408</b>
* Sending	Galatians 5:19-26	
* Benediction	Psalm 115:12a-15	
* Doxology	<i>Glory to the Father</i>	<b>Gray 636</b>
* Postlude	<i>Rejoice, the Lord Is King</i>	

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**Welcome to the Peoria Christian Reformed Church.** We are glad you have joined us for worship. "Ascribe to the LORD the glory due his name; bring an offering and come into his courts. Worship the LORD in the splendor of his holiness; tremble before him, all the earth." Psalm 96:8-9 (NIV)

	TODAY	NEXT SUNDAY
Greeters	Harlan & Michele De Boer Ernie & Esther Roose	Carl & Melody De Jong Lawrence & Helen Roose
Missionary Correspondents	Gifford - Sandy Fynaardt; Ippel - Grant Fynaardt; Mark & JinHee - Marge Fynaardt; Vander Wal - Russ Fynaardt	
Morning Prayer Team	Carm Reitsma Sarah Vande Voort	Kathy Franje Sandy Fynaardt
Nursery Attendants	<b>a.m.</b> Stacie Fynaardt, Mack Veenstra <b>p.m.</b> Carm Reitsma, Gerrit Vos	<b>a.m.</b> Nicole Vos, Quinten Veenstra <b>p.m.</b> Paige Roos, Greta Vos
Offering	<b>a.m.</b> The Well <b>p.m.</b> Resonate Global Mission	<b>a.m.</b> The Growing Place <b>p.m.</b> Sheepgate

### 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 and adult classes meet 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: Christian school tuition for children of Tesoros de Dios director (Andrew & Ruth Ippel, Nicaragua)

### CALENDAR

Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Cadets  
7:00 p.m. GOLD

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Highlights of the November Council meeting and other newsletters are available in your **church mailbox** today.

Please prayerfully consider the gifts God has given and how you can serve the church. The Council asks that 5<sup>th</sup> graders through adults fill out a 2026 **committee preference survey** (extras in the bulletin racks). Please return completed sheets to the boxes in the hallways TODAY.

Please check for accuracy and make additions or corrections by November 24 to the **birthday/anniversary calendars** and the **church directory**. Corrections should be made to the lists on the west basement table.

Our **congregational meeting** will be held on Monday, November 24, at 7:00 p.m. Nominations for elder are Daryl Bouwkamp, Frank Reitsma, Lawrence Roose, and Bernie Veenstra; retiring elders are Glen Fynaardt and Henry Vande Voort. Nominations for deacon are Harlan De Boer, Andrew J. Veenstra, Dennis Veenstra, and Randall Vos; retiring deacons are Carl De Jong and Doug Vande Voort.

### CHURCH FAMILY

We give thanks to God with **Vera Franje** on the occasion of her 95<sup>th</sup> birthday on November 14. Vera's family invites you to enjoy cookies during our fellowship time following the morning worship service today.

"We thank our church family and Council for all the support that you have shown us in this journey the past four years. We appreciate all the love and prayers, words of encouragement, gifts, financial support, and overall love of Christ that has been showered over us. We are so very thankful to be part of this church family and the family of God." ~ **Todd & Angie Vander Molen**

### SCHOOL NOTES

#### **PEORIA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL:**

- Join us on Friday, November 14, for a **Wild West Bazaar!** Events are as follows:

3:00-6:30 p.m.      Bake Sale & Browse-n-Buy  
3:00-4:30 p.m.      Coffee Time  
5:00-6:30 p.m.      Supper  
6:45 p.m.            Childcare in the school  
7:00 p.m.            Live Auction in the gym

Be sure to follow the Peoria Christian Bazaar Facebook page for auction sneak peeks! We look forward to seeing you there! *"Behold, I am doing something new; now it springs forth, do you not perceive it? I will make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert."* Isaiah 43:19

- We need your delicious baked goods and confections for the annual **Peoria Christian School Bazaar & Bake Sale** on November 14! Cookies, bars, pies, bread, rolls, cupcakes, fudge, Christmas cookies and candy, jelly, jam, home canned fruit, vegetables, salsa, gluten free and/or dairy free items, etc., are all welcome. Your items must be in the gym by noon on November 14. Please label your items. Styrofoam trays, bags, and labels will be available at school and in the Peoria CRC basement a few weeks before the bazaar. Questions? Please contact Clarice Meinders (641-780-0126; [glenmeinders@iowatelecom.net](mailto:glenmeinders@iowatelecom.net)).
- Are you willing to help serve or clean up at the **Bazaar Supper** on November 14? We are also looking for help to shred roast on Wednesday afternoon, November 12. A sign-up sheet for all these opportunities is available on the east basement table. Please contact Suzy Veenstra (641-780-8856) with questions.

All veterans and their families are invited to join us at **Peoria Christian School** on Tuesday, November 18, at noon for a **Veterans Day lunch** and brief program. We would be honored by your presence as we take a moment to reflect and express our appreciation for your service to our country. Everyone is welcome to join us for lunch, but RSVPs are requested. Please RSVP by Thursday, November 13, to [office@peoriachr.org](mailto:office@peoriachr.org).

### REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Resonate Global Mission** is providing an opportunity for you to join an online conversation with Resonate leaders and missionaries worldwide! Join us for an hour of **Ministry Amplified** on Wednesday, November 12, beginning at 11:00 a.m. (CST). Register at [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdcpTbWiP3\\_ClkeTsge8owddKf03P5ofZzDojqGgWPiZtWXFQ/viewform?pli=1](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdcpTbWiP3_ClkeTsge8owddKf03P5ofZzDojqGgWPiZtWXFQ/viewform?pli=1)