

SEPTEMBER 20, 2026
9:30 A.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude	<i>We Sing the Mighty Power of God</i>	
Opening Prayer		
* Call to Worship	Psalm 68:32-35 (p. 565)	
* God's Greeting		
* Song of Praise	<i>God Is Our Refuge and Our Strength</i>	Gray 46
Call to Confession	Psalm 5:1-8 (p. 528)	
Prayer of Confession		
Assurance of Pardon	Psalm 36:5-9 (p. 546)	
God's Will for Our Lives	Deuteronomy 5:1-22 (p. 177)	
* Song of Response	<i>Children of the Heavenly Father</i>	Gray 440
Congregational Prayer		
Offering Offertory	World Renew Disaster Response Services <i>Lord, I Want to Be a Christian</i>	
* Song of Preparation	<i>I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say</i>	Gray 488
* Scripture	Luke 6:37-45 (p. 999)	
Sermon	Good Judgment	
* Song of Dedication	<i>O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee</i>	Gray 573
* Sending & Benediction		
* Doxology	<i>Now Thank We All Our God</i>	Gray 454:3
* Postlude	<i>Psalm 68</i>	

* *Please stand, if able*

SEPTEMBER 20, 2026
4:55 P.M. WORSHIP SERVICE

Song Service	<i>Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing</i> <i>Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise</i> <i>To God Be the Glory</i>	Blue 11 Blue 33 Blue 56
Opening Prayer		
* Call to Worship		
* God's Greeting		
* Song of Praise	<i>Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above</i>	Gray 465
* Confession of Faith	Apostles' Creed (in unison, Gray back cover)	
Evening Prayer		
Offering Offertory	Safe Water International Ministries <i>To the Hills I Lift My Eyes</i>	
* Song of Preparation	<i>Father, Long before Creation</i>	Gray 464
* Scripture	Psalm 121 (p. 603)	
Sermon	The God Who Keeps	
* Song of Dedication	<i>I Lift Up My Eyes to the Mountains</i>	Gray 448
* Benediction		
* Doxology	<i>All Praise to You, My God, This Night</i>	Gray 441
* Postlude	<i>Abide with Me</i>	

* *Please stand, if able*

September 20, 2026

Welcome to the Peoria Christian Reformed Church. We are glad you have joined us for worship today. "Sing to God, O kingdoms of the earth, sing praise to the Lord, to him who rides the ancient skies above, who thunders with mighty voice. Proclaim the power of God, whose majesty is over Israel, whose power is in the skies. You are awesome, O God, in your sanctuary; the God of Israel gives power and strength to his people. Praise be to God!" Psalm 68:32-35 (NIV)

	TODAY	NEXT SUNDAY
Greeters	Adam Fynaardt family Henry & Sarah Vande Voort	Bret Fynaardt family Dennis & Donna Van Wyk
Missionary Correspondents	Gifford - Ken Vander Linden; Ippel - Byron Vander Molen; Mark & JinHee - Angie Vander Molen	
Morning Prayer Team	Tim Franje Frank Reitsma	Mark Franje Glen Fynaardt
Nursery Attendants	a.m. Maria Fynaardt, Luke Fynaardt p.m. Pam Vander Linden, Quinten Veenstra	a.m. Erin Fynaardt, Beau Van Wyngarden p.m. Carmen Reitsma, Kees Vos
Offering	a.m. World Renew Disaster Response Services p.m. Safe Water International Ministries	a.m. Peoria Christian School General Fund p.m. Focus on the Family

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; adults meet in the Upper Room. Visitors are welcome! Offering: World Renew for the purchase of animals to help families of least developed countries provide a sustainable food source/income.

A **fellowship dinner** will be held today beginning at noon in the gym. Visitors are welcome! Please join us for good food and fellowship.

CALENDAR

Monday 7:00 p.m. Elders' Meeting
Tuesday 1:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study, Intro & Chapter 1
Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Cadets
7:00 p.m. GOLD
7:00 p.m. Youth Group
Thursday 7:00 p.m. Men's Bible Study, Intro & Chapter 1

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Family visits scheduled for this week follow. All calls will begin at 7:00 p.m. and last approximately one hour.

- Sep 28, Bouwkamp & Franje: Ernie Roose, Sue Van Ee

At our family visits, the elders will be focusing on Romans 12:9-13. Thank you for taking the time to reflect on this passage. Topics for discussion may include one or more of the following questions:

- While Paul endured several afflictions, even one which God would not take away, he viewed God as the source of ultimate comfort. Have you found that to be true? Have you had opportunity to offer comfort to others?
- Is it difficult to be joyful in trials, even when God requires it?
- Which of these admonitions are easiest to put into practice? Which ones take more effort? In what ways could our church family encourage one another to carry out these admonitions?

SUPPORT THE PEORIA YOUTH GROUP! You can drop off your pop cans and bottles at the Pella Redemption Center at any time and tell them they are for the Peoria Youth Group. We get the credit for them, and your donations help fund our youth activities and SERVE projects. If you need help delivering to the Redemption Center, Please contact Spencer Fynaardt or Suzy Veenstra. Thank you for your continued support!

The committee for the **Siem Reap Children of Promise Orphanage** in Cambodia thanks the congregation for your continued gracious support. We are planning a trip to Cambodia for March 2027. Several of you have expressed interest in participating. If you are seriously considering, please contact Russ Fynaardt by September 27.

ANNUAL REMINDERS:

- Do you enjoy the **photos** that are posted on our church's Facebook page 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 or Facebook page. Perhaps it is your desire to not be included in displays of group photos and/or photos of you or your family (with or without names attached). If so, please contact Deb Bruxvoort 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 via e-mail. If you do not have e-mail access and wish to receive a phone call when prayer requests are shared; 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.
- Some of you may wish to update your picture in our church's **website photo directory**. If you have forgotten how to access, see instructions on page 1 of your print church directory. If you have a newer photo you wish to share, please e-mail to Deb Bruxvoort or Kathy Franje, or place a print in their church mailbox (it will be returned). If you would like help from a "resident photographer", we can arrange for a quick picture of you after a worship service.

CHURCH FAMILY

Wyatt Roos had skin graft surgery on Thursday. Please pray for successful grafting and relief from pain.

"A sincere thank you for all your thoughts, prayers, cards, and visits during my surgery and stay in the hospital in Des Moines. May the Lord continue healing. Praise His Name!" ~ **Marge Fynaardt**

SCHOOL NOTES

Peoria Christian School 7th/8th grade students are once again selling **value cards**. These cards contain discounts from a 18 Pella area businesses. Cost is \$15 for one card or \$40 for three cards. Contact a 7th/8th grade student or stop in the office to purchase your value cards.

CHRISTIAN COLLEGE FAIR: Meet admissions personnel, gather important financial aid information, and explore a wide variety of Christian colleges and universities. Join us at Pella Christian High School on Monday, September 21, 6:30-8:30 p.m. All college-bound students and their families are welcome. Admission is free. Registration in advance is highly recommended. Visit <https://www.findyourchristiancollege.com/college-fairs/pella-area-ia-christian-college-fair> or contact Trixanna Wang (wangt@pcealges.org) with questions.

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cary Christian Center needs your help! CAN WE FILL A SEMI-TRAILER IN ONE DAY? We are planning a "Fill the Cary Truck" on October 10. Needs include furniture, appliances in working order, clothes, and household items (including seasonal decorations). These can be good used items, but no broken items, please. We do not want to send donations that we would not want to use ourselves. Some of these items will be used by people that are still rebuilding from a tornado three years ago. We will be collecting your donations on October 9, 4:00-7:00 p.m.; and October 10, 8:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. at Pella Faith CRC (please use the west door). Volunteers will collect your items and pack them on the truck. Contact Jean DeWaard (jeandewaard4@gmail.com) with questions.

PAUL'S MISSIONARY JOURNEYS IN GREECE: Join us April 2-12, 2027, as we travel by motor coach (6 days) and cruise ship (3 days) to sites connected with Paul's second and third missionary journeys, as well as visit other major sites of biblical, archaeological, and cultural interest. Jeff Weima, professor at Calvin Theological Seminary and leading Pauline scholar, hosts this inspirational tour. For more information, contact Dr. Weima (616-328-3110; weimje@calvinseminary.edu).