February 11, 2024

Order of Worship

Song Service - 5:50 PM
Psalter 79: all
Psalter 322: all

Morning Worship - 9:30 AM Silent Prayer	Evening Worship - 6:00 PM Silent Prayer
Votum and Salutation*	Votum and Salutation*
Psalter* 420:1, 2, 5	Psalter* 134
Reading of the Law	Reading of Scripture
Reading of Scripture	Psalter 112:1, 2
Psalter 40	Apostles' Creed
Pastoral Prayer	Prayer
Psalter* 255	Psalter* 1:1, 4, 5
Sermon	Sermon
Prayer	Prayer
Psalter* 291:1, 2, 3, 4, 5	Psalter* 250:1, 2, 5
Benediction*	Benediction*
Doxology – Psalter* 197	Doxology - Psalter* 195:3, 4

*Please stand if you are able.

Text: Numbers 20:2-12

Sermon:Sermon:The Waters of MeribahHow Can We Be Righteous?Scripture: Numbers 20Scripture: Romans 10:1-15

Text: Romans 10:9-10

Church Family

Homebound:

Remember in Prayer:

Mr. Bob Timmer

Mrs. Rieka Bouwer Mrs. Marilyn Gaunt Mr. & Mrs. Paul & Betty Kooyers Mrs. Esther Richards Mrs. Lorraine Slopsema Mr. Teunis VanderGraaf

Dear children who have been sending letters and artwork to our shutin members, please know that your kindness is deeply appreciated as you bring joy to their rooms with your love and reminders of the Lord's goodness to them.

Consistory Members

Elders:	William McQuade (Chairman) Jason Beeke (Vice-Chair) Henk Kleyn (Clerk) Ron Rittner Larry Roelofs Dick Spaans	District 1 District 5 District 3 District 3 District 4 District 2
Deacons:	Ty Joseph (Chairman) Jim VanderGraaf (Vice-Chair) Rob Baum (Secretary) Tyler Prince (Treasurer) Kenny Remijn	District 3 District 1 District 5 District 4 District 2

Calendar

"The Lord willing" James 4:15

February 13 (Tuesday) 9:45 AM Morning Ladies Bible Study.

February 13 (Tuesday) 6:45 PM Consistory Meeting. We will meet in the boardroom at PRTS. Please contact Henk Kleyn if you have items for consideration.

February 13 (Tuesday) 7 PM Evening Ladies Bible Study.

February 14 (Wednesday) 7 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting led by Mr. Henry Turnbull.

February 16-17 (Friday – Saturday) Office Bearer Conference.

February 17 (Saturday) 2 PM Neighborhood Outreach.

February 18 (Sunday) 2 PM & 3 PM Jail Services at Kent County Jail.

February 18 (Sunday) 4 PM Youth Group Meeting at church.Lesson: John 7Snack: Remijn

February 21 (Wednesday) 7 PM Weekly Prayer Meeting led by Rev. Jack Schoeman.

Other News

You are invited to attend an Office Bearers Conference held in our church on the evening of Friday, February 16 and the morning of Saturday, February 17. More information regarding the topics and speakers is posted on our bulletin boards. Refreshments and lunch will be provided. Please RSVP to office@redeemerfrc.org.

Welcome

We welcome you to our worship services today. May the Lord bless His Word to each one of us. If you have any prayer needs, or if you would like to know more about our church, the elders would be glad to speak with you.

Let God arise, let his enemies be scattered: let them also that hate him flee before him. As smoke is driven away, so drive them away: as wax melteth before the fire, so let the wicked perish at the presence of God. But let the righteous be glad; let them rejoice before God: yea, let them exceedingly rejoice.

Psalm 68:1-3

Congregational Life

- Today, Rev. Michael Ives will lead our morning worship service, and Student Dan Schipper will lead our evening worship service.
- Rev. Ives is a pastor in the Presbyterian Reformed Church, with which our Free Reformed Churches have an ecclesiastical relationship. He is a graduate of PRTS and serves the recently constituted Presbyterian Reformed Church in Corbin City, New Jersey. He and his wife Aubrey have four children and recently became grandparents.
- After our morning service, Rev. Ives will be giving a presentation during our Adult Sunday School time. He will be speaking about his 'Parish Mission' efforts among minorities, immigrants, and especially Hispanics. More information can be found at westportexperiment.com/rpm.
- Next week, Student Floris Visser will lead our worship services.
- The Sunday School/Catechism Psalter of the month for February is **Psalter 195:1 & 2**.
- *From the Dorcas Guild:* Our project for the month of February will be collecting items for Edison Christian Life Services. A list of items needed is in your mailbox today. You may place your donations in the bin in the narthex. Thank you!
- **Save the Date:** The Evangelism Committee is currently planning for our annual Vacation Bible School, scheduled for June 24-28 from 6-8 PM. We hope to have a volunteer sign-up available soon.

Meditation

GOD JUSTIFIES

Who shall lay any thing to the charge of God's elect? It is God that justifieth. Romans 8:33

Behold the eternal security of the weakest believer in Jesus. Once passed under the great seal of the resurrection of Christ, God can never revoke the act of justification without denying Himself. Here is our safety. Here is the ground of our dauntless challenge, "Who shall lay anything to the charge of God's elect? It is God that justifieth" (Romans 8:33). What can I want more? What more can I ask? If God, the God of spotless purity, the God of inflexible righteousness, justifies me, "who is he that condemneth?" Sin may condemn, but it is God that justifieth! Satan may accuse, but it is God that justifieth! Death may terrify, but it is God that justifieth! "If God be for us, who can be against us?" (Romans 8:31). Who will dare condemn the soul whom He justifies?

How gloriously will this truth shine forth in the great day of judgment! Every accuser will then be dumb. Every tongue will then be silent. Nothing shall be laid to the charge of God's elect. God Himself shall pronounce them fully and forever justified: "And whom he justified, them he also glorified" (Romans 8:30).

Octavius Winslow

Sermon Notes

Nursery			
Today	Baby	Toddler	Helper
Morning	Melanie VanderBoon	Maybel Oliver	Aubrey Klaasen
Evening	Courtney Prince	Naomi Ramos	Maret Haab
Next Week	Baby	Toddler	Helper
Morning	Margaret Kleyn	Mary Jo Haab	Emma Prince
Evening	Aileen Rittner	Leah Kranendonk	Constance Haab

Ushers			
	Morning	Evening	
Today	Greg Oliver	Corbin Prince	
Next Week	Bill Moerdyk	Josh Scholten	

Offerings			
Today	General	Education	
Next Week	General	Denominational	

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