

Welcome to all visitors on this Lord's Day. We pray that God's Word may save and build up all God's people. You are welcome to tune into our services online at trinityprc.org.

Trinity Church News

Pulpit Supply: This morning, Prof. Kuiper will lead us in worship and Rev. Haak this evening. Next week, Lord willing, we will have Prof. Kuiper in the morning and Rev. J. Holstege in the evening.

Trinity's Call: Rev. Eriks intends to answer our call on or before January 6. His contact information is as follows: phone-616-481-8505 and email gjeriks@sbcglobal.net.

Call to Worship: The consistory calls the congregation to worship tomorrow evening, January 31, at 7:00 PM for our Old Year's Service. Matt Kortus will lead us in worship. Collection will be taken for Major Expenditure Fund. Ushers will be Pete H., Mike H., John K., Noah K., and nursery attendants will be Missy K., Nicole S. and Marissa S.

Call to Worship: The consistory calls the congregation to worship Tuesday morning, January 1, at 9:30 AM for our New Year's Service. Rev. den Hartog will lead us in worship. Collection will be taken for the Foreign Seminary Student Assistant Fund, ushers will be Elliot E., Bob E., Wes F., Shon G., and nursery attendants will be Katelyn V.O., Abby V.S., Abby M. D., and Morgan K.

Office Bearer Installation: Installation of the newly elected office bearers will take place next Sunday morning, January 6.

Catechism: There will be no catechism classes this week. Classes will resume on January 7.

Membership: The membership papers of **Mason Van Bommel** have been transferred to Georgetown PRC. We pray a blessing on the brother as he takes up his membership there with his wife. The membership papers of **Alaina Kuiper (Ondersma)** have been received from Byron Center PRC. We welcome this sister into our fellowship. At her request, the membership papers of **Nichole Vink** have been sent to her home.

2019 Usher List: If you would like to be added to or removed from the usher list, please contact Joel Engelsma or sign up on the sheet in the narthex.

Denomination News

Covenant ERC (Singapore): Prof. R. Cammenga is filling their pulpit. Rev. S. Key (Loveland, CO) declined the call to be Missionary-on-Loan. Grandville (calling church) formed a trio of Rev. G. Eriks (Hudsonville), Rev. E. Guichelaar (Randolph, WI), and Rev. J. Engelsma (Doon, IA).

Immanuel PRC (Lacombe): Rev. W. Langerak (Southeast) declined their call.

Synod 2018 approved Rev. and Sharon Kleyn taking an extended furlough in 2019. The purpose of the furlough is to give Rev. Kleyn time to take some courses with a view to obtaining an advanced degree, to prepare classes to be taught in the PRCP seminary in the future, and to give both Rev. and Sharon opportunity to be refreshed and to reconnect with family. Their plans are to leave the Philippines on January 1 and stay in the States until June 18.

Requested Announcements

The Voices of Victory Old Year's Concert is TOMORROW NIGHT, at Grandville First Reformed Church. You are invited to come and go as you please between 8 and 11 PM. Refreshments will be served. A freewill offering will be taken for Georgetown Harmony Homes. Join the Voices of Victory and their guests, the Sacred Harmonies quartet, and participate in joyful audience singing throughout the evening!

Prof. Dykstra's Bible Class will not meet on Monday. The next scheduled meeting is January 7, D.V.

Seminary Interim Course on Heidelberg Catechism Preaching." Members of the PRCA are invited to Prof. Gritters' interim class at seminary, from January 4 - 15. The class meets for 8 mornings, from 9-11:30. Among other things, included will be instruction on why catechism preaching is required by the Church Order, proper and improper methods of preaching the catechism, and discussion on ways to preach the Heidelberg Catechism well. Area ministers have been invited. Others are welcome to attend. If you are interested, please call the seminary secretary at 531-1490. The class will be live-streamed on the seminary's YouTube channel. See the link on the seminary website.

School Announcements

CCHS Annual Support Drive Update: We have collected \$172,491 toward our goal of \$385,000. Thank you for your donations. Anyone who desires to provide additional support may send a gift to CCHS marked "support drive".

"Songs of Thy Salvation" CD Fundraiser: The 8th grade class of HCS Redlands, CA has recorded a CD entitled "Songs of Thy Salvation." Cost is \$12 per CD. Please email orders to lorianne.karsemeyer@hcsredlands.org. Thank you for your support!

Loveland Protestant Reformed Christian School is seeking applicants for an additional High School teacher for the 2019-20 school year. Interested candidates may contact the Administrator, BJ Mowery at (970) 218-3420 or bmowery@lovelandprcs.org or the Education Chairman, Joe Ophoff at (970) 818-6790 or joe@scotthomeinspection.com.

The Protestant Reformed School of Wingham is in need of a full time teacher for the second semester of the 2018/19 school year and for the 2019/20 school year. Our need is in the middle school grades and especially for math and science teachers, but all applicants are encouraged to apply. Class assignments and grades are flexible. We ask that you prayerfully consider our need, and above all, we entrust all things unto our Lord and Saviour.

Adams Christian School (Wyoming, MI) is seeking to hire two teachers for the 2019/2020 school year: an additional Kindergarten teacher to work 3 days/week and an additional full time classroom teacher. Any interested candidates should contact the school administrator, Rick Mingerink, 531-0748 or rmingerink@adamschristianschool.org

Faith Christian School of Randolph, WI is seeking one full-time teacher for a high school position in 2019-20. There is the possibility of teaching some 7th & 8th grade classes depending on the applicant's abilities and preferences. All interested individuals should contact Jack Regnerus (jackbuiltregs@gmail.com or 920-296-3529) or Mike Vander Veen (mvanderveen@randolphfcs.org or 920-296-4406) for more information or to apply.

Trinity Christian High School of Hull, IA, is looking to fill a full-time position for 2019-2020. There is some flexibility in the teaching assignment. Interested persons should contact the education committee chairman, Craig Hoksbergen at 712-441-6139 or crghoks@outlook.com, or the administrator, Jim Regnerus, at 712-470-0424 or jregnerus@trinitychs.org.

Hope Christian School (Redlands, CA) is seeking applicants for a 6-8th grade teacher, a High School teacher, and a Kindergarten for the 2019-20 school year. Interested candidates may contact the administrator, Shaun Karsemeyer at (909) 553-3385 or shaun.karsemeyer@hcsredlands.org or the Board secretary, Dan Howerzyl at (951) 536-1996 or danielhowerzyl@gmail.com.

Heritage Christian School (Hudsonville, MI) has 2 elementary job openings for school year 2019/2020. To apply or ask questions, please contact Brian Kuiper, Administrator (616-350-1830, bkuiper@hchr.org) or Paul Vink, Education Committee Chairman (616-446-9832, pvinkbpi@hotmail.com). Applications should be received by January 25, 2019.

~ All this, the Lord Willing ~

Opportunities to Serve

Nursery	Today:	AM - Renae Vander Kolk, Andrea Velthouse, Charlotte Vander Waal, Gracia Vander Waal PM - Beth Van Singel, Patricia Van Baren, Amber De Vries, Abby R. Dykstra
	Jan. 6:	AM - Kristin Dykstra, Lyndsay Essenburg, Amber Dykstra, Grace Mulder, Natalie Van Bommel PM - Carli Engelsma, Ronda Fisher, Ashley Dykstra, Andria Dykstra
Ushers	Today &	
	Jan. 6:	AM - Elliot E., Bob E., Wes F., Shon G. PM - Pete H., Mike H., John K., Noah K.

AM Doxology - Psalm 195 stanza 3 & 4

Blest be the Lord, our fathers' God, eternal King of kings, Who only is omnipotent, performing wondrous things.

Order of Worship
 Silent Prayer (Unison)
 *Doxology - "Praise God"
 *Invocation
 *Congregation Singing
 Reading of the Law – AM
 *Apostles' Creed – PM
 *Congregation Singing
 Prayer
 Offertory
 *Congregation Singing
 Scripture Reading
 Sermon
 Prayer
 *Congregation Singing
 *Doxology
 AM: #195 - 3&4
 PM: #199 – 4&5
 *Benediction
 Postlude
 ***Congregation Standing**

Blest be His great and glorious Name for evermore, Amen, and let His glory fill the earth from shore to shore. Amen.

PM Doxology - Psalter 199 stanzas 4 & 5

Now blessed be the Mighty One, Jehovah, God of Israel, for He alone has wonders done, and deeds in glory that excel.

And blessed be His glorious Name, long as the ages shall endure; o'er all the earth extend His fame. Amen, Amen, for evermore.

Apostles Creed

I believe in God, the Father, Almighty, Maker of Heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ, His only begotten Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; on the third day He rose again from the dead, He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; I believe an holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

Elders

Terry Dykstra – Asst. Clerk
 Stefan Engelsma - Clerk
 Chuck Engelsink
 Rick Gritters
 Dave Hiemstra – Vice-All
 Dave Pohler
 Dan Van Baren
 Kurt Van Overloop
 Jerry Vander Kolk – Vice Pres.

Deacons

Todd DeBoode
 Jordan Dykstra – Ben. Treasurer
 Paul Engelsma – Vice-All
 Patrick Lenting - Secretary
 Corey Terpstra - President
 Phil Van Baren
 Marc Velthouse - Treasurer

Consistory Committees

Catechism
 Communion
 Congregation Needs
 Counseling
 Instruction
 Music and Program.....
 Pulpit Supply.....

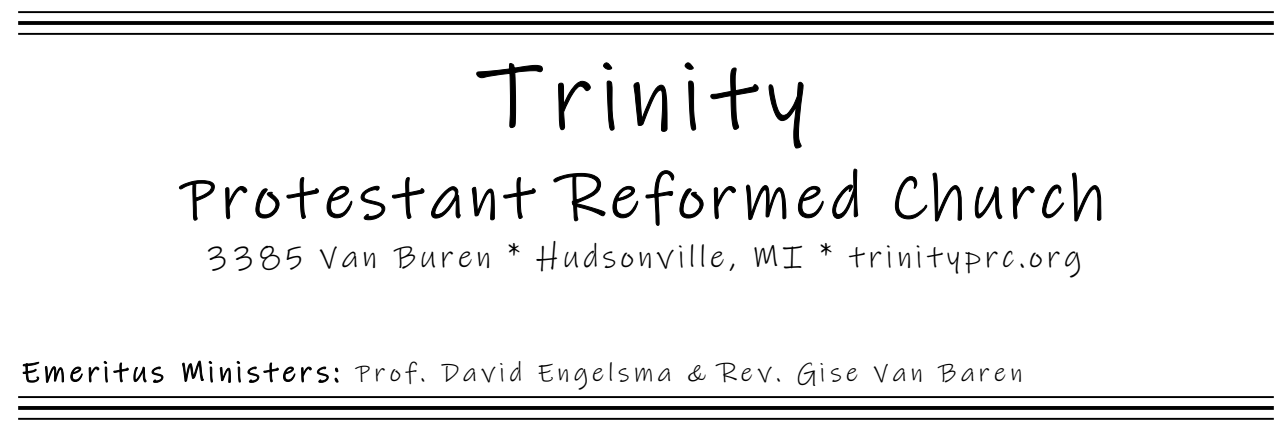
Council Committees

Activities
 Building.....
 Caring and Sharing.....
 Evangelism.....
 Finance and Insurance.....
 Library.....

Consistory-Appointed Committees

Activities	Brett & Kaitlyn B., Todd & Bethany D.B., Dave & Susan K., Jason & Kimberly S.	Evangelism.....	Jon D. (Pres.), Pete H. (Sec.), Nate R. (vice all), Adam V.D. (Treas.) Chuck E., Aaron G. Doug H., Justin H., Ryan K., Kyle T.B.
Archives	Terry Dykstra	Kitchen	Lois D. & JoAnn P.
Building.....	Dan V.B. (chair) Exterior Sub..... Joel E. (chair), John D.B., Phil M. Interior Sub Clint K. (chair), Shon G., Brad K., Tedd V.S. Audio/Video Sub Phil V.B. (chair), Pete H.	Library	Terry D., Corey T., Sheryl V.B.
Caring & Sharing	Michelle D., Katie H., Carrie K.	Nursery.....	Cassie D.V. & Jill E.
Coffee Servers.....	JoAnn P.	Security/Emergency	Chuck E. & Corey T.
		Trinity Times.....	Alyssa Kuiper
		Ushers.....	Joel E.

Bulletin Announcements: Ronda Van Bommel - rondavanbommel@sbcglboba.net or 401-8851



Emeritus Ministers: Prof. David Engelsma & Rev. Gise Van Baren

**9:30 am ~ Prof. D. Kuiper
 "Infant Baptism"**

I. Grounded in the Covenant
 II. Defended Against Opposition
 III. Effective as a Means of Grace
 Text: Lord's Day 27
 Reading: Romans 4:10-17, Colossians 2:1-15
 Psalter Nos.: 406, 281, 186, 425
 Doxology: Psalter No. 195, 3&4

Offerings:
Today
 1) General Fund 2) PR Scholarship Fund
January 6
 1) General Fund 2) Heritage Christian School

**5:00 pm ~ Rec. C. Haak
 "Why Jesus Came"**

I. A Trustworthy Saying
 II. A Glorious Purpose
 III. A Personal Confession
 Text: I Timothy 1:15
 Reading:
 Psalter Nos.: 311, Song of Mary (tune, 264), 71, 426
 Doxology: Psalter No. 199, 4&5

Offerings:
Today
 1) Benevolence
January 6
 1) Benevolence 2) Domestic Missions

REFORMED WITNESS HOUR: Sunday 8 AM on WFUR FM 102.9 and 4 PM on AM 1570.
Today's message: God's Faithfulness - I Thessalonians 5:24 by Rev. W. Bruinsma

This is the Lord's Day, December 30, 2018