

Sunday, January 6, 2019

Give thanks to the Lord, call on his name; make known among the nations what he has done. Sing to him, sing praise to him; tell of all his wonderful acts. Psalm 105:1

THANK YOU to those who are serving us during worship today.

MUSICIANS: Jan Johnson, Jodi DeBerg, & Angie Meester

GREETERS. Today – North Door – Delbert & Sharon Cordes

South Door – Pastor Rus & Mary Boersma

Next Sunday: North Door – Mark & Lanae Kramer

South Door – Ryan & Stacy Edeker

USHERS. Today – Gerald Haan

Next Sunday – Ken Meester

VALET PARKING. Today – Kevin Meester

Next Sunday – Mike Stirling

COFFEE SERVERS. This week – Kevin & Shelly Meester

Next week – Ryan & Stacy Edeker

SUNDAY SCHOOL. This week – Kay & Amy

Next week – Stacy & Kamie

Please note: If there are any differences between the schedule in the bulletin and the schedule in the Shepherd's Staff, please follow the schedule in the Shepherd's Staff.

THIS WEEK AT PARKERSBURG CRC

Today	9:30 a.m. – Worship Service
	10:45 a.m. – Sunday School
Monday	7:00 p.m. – Council Meeting
Tuesday	1:30 p.m. – Knitting and Crochet Group
Wednesday	6:15 p.m. – Life Plus
Next Sunday	9:30 a.m. – Worship Service

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Congratulations to Mel Riebkes, who observed his 87th birthday on January 2.

We extend our sympathy to Betty and Pastor Frank Pott in the passing of Betty's sister Lola in North Carolina. May God comfort those who mourn.

Don and Annie Allspach were involved in a car crash this past week. Don's injuries were minor but Annie was admitted to the hospital, with a stay in ICU for her injuries. She was released from the hospital on Friday.

Pastor Rus and Mary wish to thank the congregation and Council for the thoughtfulness shown this Christmas. We are blessed to have such a family in Christ our Lord.

Chelsea Meester continues to recuperate at home.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Everyone is invited for coffee and fellowship following the worship service this morning.

There will be no second offering next Sunday.

Council will meet on Monday, at 7 PM in the Fellowship Hall of church.

Hook and Needles is scheduled to meet on Tuesday, at 1:30 PM in the Fellowship Hall

It is time to start the Care Groups! Group 1 is up for the month of January. For a list of group members, see the table in the Fellowship Hall.

SPEC'N DICKEN / PANCAKE MEAL: Please join Timothy Christian School for an authentic German pancake meal served with applesauce and drink at the Parkersburg Veterans Building (101 Colfax Street) on Monday, January 7, 2019. Serving from 4:30-7 pm. Sugar-free syrup available. Free will donation. New this year, we are also offering regular pancakes. We hope to see you there!

The General Fund Collection for December 30 was \$776.00. The target amount for each week is \$2,411.00.

Next Sunday, January 13, Care Group 1 will meet after Sunday School for our first meal, consisting of a baked potato bar, ham, Oreo salad, and cake. If you are in Care Group 1 and have not yet been contacted by Kathy DeGroot, please check your mailbox or call Kathy to find out which potato toppings you are responsible for. We look forward to getting to know you better!

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*God's Greeting

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*Hymn: TCH 691 **Surely Goodness and Mercy**

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