~ SERVING ~

GREETERS & COFFEE SERVERS

(After the morning service)

TODAY: 6B – Gary & Sandy W OCT 06: 1A – Doug & Judy B

SOUND/PROJECTION

TODAY: Jerry V & Dave E

OCT 06: Caleb dB & Evan W

USHERS FOR SEPT
Matt B, Drew H, Martin N
USHERS FOR OCT

Heath O, Bruce H, Josh H

NURSERY

TODAY: AM - Allie VK, Miranda TP, Ian H, Alexis H PM - Mandy H, Isabella B

OCT 06: AM - Andrea W, Amber V, Nicole VDZ, Tucker H PM - Dar F, Japen B

*If you are unable to be in nursery, you are responsible to find your own replacement. (If in high school find another high schooler, and if in grade school find another grade schooler) This is important so we can meet our safe church policies. Thank you!

CHILDREN & WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Children (3yrs old – PK) will be dismissed for C & W following the prayer of confession Your child(ren) will meet the helpers in the back of the sanctuary and walk together to the classroom. Please pick up your child(ren) at Room 9 after the service. If your child is not ready to participate right when they turn three, they are welcome to join anytime throughout the year. To avoid distractions during our worship time, please have your child(ren) leave their personal belongings with you. We ask that your child is potty trained before they attend class. If this is a concern for you, please talk to Rachel Verwolf and she will work with you to make a plan that is best for your child.

TODAY: #7 Creation (pg 92) Leader/Maggie – Helpers/Summer & Kelli

OCT 06: #8 Noah (pg 96) Leader/Maggie – Helpers/Summer & Kelli

OFFERING SCHEDULE

Offerings can be mailed to: Hope CRC, PO Box 580, Hull, IA 51239

TODAY: AM 1st – Building Fund 2nd – Benevolent Fund PM – Hope Youth Group

OCT 06: AM 1st – Hope Education 2nd – K & K Steigers PM – SC Gospel Mission

Hope Council Members 2024-25

ELDERS: Dar Boer, Shawn De Stigter, Randy Ten Pas, Joe Dirksen, Cal Van Der Zwaag,

Craig Stiemsma, Brad Driesen

DEACONS: Matt Roetman, Mike Van Otterloo, Scott Westra, Brian Fykstra

Jacob Van Ginkel, Nate Van Kley

Hope Christian Reformed Church



Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus.

1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

Pastor's Office: 439-1201 Church Office: 439-1279 1407 6th St, Hull IA www.hullhopecrc.org

September 29, 2024 Morning Service: 9:30am Evening Service 6:00pm

Morning Worship Service

Leading Worship: Rev. Leroy Christoffels~ Accompanist: Melissa Boer

God Gathers Us for Worship

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship - Psalm 145:17-21

*Song of Praise: "I Will Call Upon the Lord" (CH 530)

*God's Greeting - 2 Corinthians 1:2 & 3

*Mutual Greeting

*Song of Praise: "Forever" (LUYH 578 All)

God Reminds Us Who We Are in Him

Guide for Grateful Living - Romans 12:1-2 (read by an elder)

Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.

We Respond in a Silent Prayer of Repentance

Song of Gratitude: "Be Still For the Presence" (LUYH 532 1 & 3)

(Children ages 3-PK are invited to exit during the singing to attend Children in Worship at the back of church)

We join in congregational prayer for one another

God Speaks to Us Through His Word

*Song of Preparation: "O Word of God Incarnate" (PH 279)

Scripture Text: 1 Corinthians 2 1-5

Prayer of Preparation

Message: *A Demonstration of the Spirit and of Power* Prayer of Application and Blessing on the Offering

We give our offerings for God's Work

*Song of Application "In the Cross of Christ I Glory" (PH 474)

God Sends Us to Serve With His Blessing

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: "Lead On, Oh King Eternal" (PH 555 1 & 3)

*Postlude

Evening Worship Service

Leading Worship: Pastor Tim Ouwinga ~ Accompanist: Breanna Ten Pas

God Prepares our Hearts for Worship

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Hope Family Favorite Song Selected by: Shawn Steiger

* "Only A Holy God" (song sheet)

God Draws Us to Himself

*Call to Worship

*God's Greeting

*Profession of Faith: Apostle's Creed

Song of Repentance and Strength- "Jesus Paid It All" (CH 305 1,2 & 4)

Congregational prayer

God Speaks to Us through His Word

*Song of Preparation "The Fruit of the Spirit" (PH 224 - twice)

Scripture Passage: Proverbs 25:28; Titus 2

Prayer of Preparation

Message: The Wall of Self-Control

Prayer of Application and on the offerings

God Sends Us to Serve and Bless

Offering given for God's Work

*Song of Application: "Just As I Am" (LUYH 627 1-3)

*God's Blessing

*Closing Song: "Lord Dismiss Us With Your Blessing" (LUYH 933 1 &2)

*Postlude

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Notes for the evening worship service

The Wall of Self-Control

Proverbs 25:28, Titus 2

Intro. The significance of a wall for an ancient city serves as an illustration for the fruit of self-control.

- I. The Necessity of Self-Control
 - A. Bodily Concerns
 - 1. Sexual Sins
 - 2. Drinking/Drugs
 - 3. Eating
 - B. Spiritual Concerns
 - 1. Anger
 - 2. The Tongue
 - 3. Coveting
- II. The Nurture of Self-Control
 - A. Acknowledgment of Sinful Inclinations
 - B. Repentance
 - C. Yielding to God
 - D. Practice Self and Mutual Discipline
- III. Whom will we serve?

Welcome to Hope Christian Reformed Church!

- ❖ You may view our Sunday church services on YouTube beginning at 9:25 am and 5:55 pm and anytime thereafter.
- ❖ Nursery is available for ages 0-2yrs during the morning and evening services.
- ❖ Coffee Fellowship takes place after the morning service.
- ❖ We have Sunday School for grades K−12 immediately following the service (Sept April).
- ❖ Please send bulletin announcements to hopecrchullsecretary@gmail.com by Thursday morning.
- ❖ If you would like to receive church emails, please contact hopecrchullsecretary@gmail.com
- ❖ If you have any prayer requests, email them to hopecrchull@gmail.com or contact Pastor Keith or another elder.
- ❖ If you wish to use the church building for an event, please contact the office secretary by email: hopecrchullsecretary@gmail.com with the details. Thank you

WORSHIP NOTES

We praise God that today we can join in worship and spend time together as the body of Christ! This morning we are grateful to be led in worship by Pastor Leroy Christoffels as he brings us a message from 1 Corinthians 2. Pastor Christoffels will direct us toward God as our source of power and strength, through the working of the Holy Spirit.

What a privilege and opportunity we are given to come, once again, to worship and gather together in the evening service. Pastor Tim Ouwinga will bless us with a message entitled, "The Wall of Self-control". He will be guided by passages from Proverbs 25 and Titus 2. We will learn more about the necessity and nurture of self-control.

We are thankful for these two gentlemen and their willingness to lead us in worship today!

THIS WEEK

Paradise Bound Guatemala Trip: There will be an informational meeting on Sunday, September 29th at 3:00pm. Anyone interested in going is invited to join us. We have 6-8 spots available yet. Any questions, please contact Cal Van Der Zwaag.

Ladies of Hope CRC - We would like to invite you to join us in celebrating and welcoming William and Shaina Aranas with a church shower on Monday, September 30th at 7:00 pm. This will be a grocery gift card shower with a chance to get to know Shaina and her daughter Jazi while enjoying cupcakes and fellowship together. William is a 2nd year teacher at Western Christian and we are thanking God that Shaina and Jazi were able to join him from the Philippines several months ago. Ladies, come and enjoy a time of fellowship to meet and welcome the Aranas family!

Coffee Break: Wednesday, October 2^{nd} @ 9:50-11:00am here at Hope. Discover Micah – Lesson 1 It is not too late to still come and enjoy fellowship with community ladies as we open The Word together and a nursery and story hour is provided for the children.

Widow/Widower Supper has been scheduled for Wednesday, October 2nd at 6:00pm here at Hope.

Council Meeting: Wednesday, October 2nd at 7:00pm

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Apple Pie Project – Christian Education Fundraiser will be on Wednesday, October 16th.

- There are sign up sheets on the kitchen counter for both volunteering to make pies, and to provide lunch for the volunteers. This takes place at the Community Building.
- Pie orders should be placed by October 9th by going to the **Hope CRC Apple Pie Sales** Facebook page OR by the link that was sent to your email OR filling out the form on the kitchen counter.
- Monetary donations for supplies are appreciated and can be placed in the offering collection marked for the Apple Pie Project. Thank you!

Building Project: Thanks to the Ad-Hoc and finance committees for presenting the proposed building project Wednesday night at church. The next step will take place on Sunday, **October 6th** with a congregational vote after the morning service. The council is requesting that all members of Hope CRC vote on the proposed building project. If you are unable to attend the morning service, absentee ballots are available on the tables in the fellowship room. Absentee ballots can be turned into the collection plate or to any elder or deacon before the October 6th vote. May also be put in the red "Office" mailbox slot.

Operation Christmas Child brings hope and joy to kids worldwide through a simple gift-filled shoebox. But a shoebox is only the beginning! It also gives the children an opportunity to have a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ through a Bible Study. Watch for information in your mailboxes! Boxes will be provided in the kitchen (you can also purchase your own container or use a shoe box). You can choose to pack a box for a girl or a boy, or both! This is a great project to do with your kids too! Please have your filled boxes in church by November 17. If you have any questions please contact Rebecca Te Slaa or Vanessa Vink

HOPE CRC FAMILY PRAISE AND PRAYER CONCERNS

- Continue to keep Taylyn Vander Schaaf in your prayers as she goes through her weekly treatments. Pray for comfort for the whole family.
- We pray for those who have ongoing health concerns, including cancer treatment and recovery from surgery. We pray for healing, care, pain relief, and recovery.
- Pray for those who mourn, who have lost those whom they loved and miss.
- Pray for all who are struggling with an addiction, emotional hurt, depression, anxiety, and mental illness.
- Pray for our families, our marriages, that God would strengthen them, guide them, and be honored in them.
- Pray for those who cannot join us in worship, that they would be comforted and feel close to the congregation. We pray for Bill Heynen in Crown Point at Sioux Center.
- We pray for those serving our communities in law enforcement, emergency services, fire department, and those who serve our country in the armed forces.

NEW ONLINE GIVING OPTION

We are excited to announce that Hope CRC is upgrading our giving platform to better serve our congregation and community. As part of this upgrade, we are adding to our current giving platform Servant Keeper Online Giving. A letter with instructions was placed in your mailbox and was emailed to you as well.

For future reference the following link will take you to your personal portal after sign-in. This link is also on our church website if you scroll down to the giving section. https://giving.servantkeeper.com/hopecrchull/

If you prefer, here is a QR code that you can scan with your mobile device instead. This code will also be on the bulletin and in the giving section of the church website.

