

Sunday Worship Service
9:30 am ~ May 5, 2019
Pastor Andy DeKorte

Welcome and Invitation to Worship

“Lead Me, Guide Me” Gray 544

“I Love Your Church, O Lord” Gray 510

Opening Prayer

“How Firm a Foundation” Gray 500

Confession and Assurance

“How Great Thou Art” Gray 483

Offering: General Fund

Little Lambs Prayer – Children Age 3-Preschool Dismissed

Congregational Prayer

Scripture: **Titus 1:1-5**

Sermon: **Establishing a Church**

“I Know Not Why God’s Wondrous Grace” Gray 495

God’s Blessing

“My Friends May You Grow in Grace”

GOOD MORNING! We pray that the worship service will be a source of hope, inspiration, and encouragement. Large print orders of worship and hearing devices are available. There are also children’s bulletins and a nursery for little ones and. Please ask a Greeter for help with these items.

We invite you to fill out a **“Communication Card”** from the book rack in front of you. You may use it to make a prayer request or to let us know that you were our guest today. Please place them in the offering bag as it passes.

CDs of the sermons are available. **To request one, fill out a yellow card** on the table in the foyer or fellowship hall and drop it in the “secretary” mailbox by our nursery.

Everyone is invited to stay after the worship service for coffee, cookies, and refreshments in the social hall.

Everyone is invited to attend the **Congregational meeting**, immediately following this morning’s worship service, to discuss and vote on our ministry plan (aka, the budget) for the coming fiscal year which will start June 1, 2019.

Next week is **Cadets Sunday**. We will highlight many of the activities of our Cadet Boys Club.

From the Operations Committee: We have received word that **Paul Frieling would like to retire after 30 years of dedicated service as our church Bookkeeper.**

Paul will continue to fill these duties until fall or earlier if a replacement candidate is found. Anyone interested in this position can see **Marv Faber** for a job description.

Calling All Campers: Everyone interested is invited to camp with people from PCRC on Memorial Day weekend.

Several people will head north to Forest Road 237 off Highway 260 near Forest Lakes on May 23 or 24 and stay until May 27 or May 28. It is free to camp and the facilities match the price. Of course, the scenery, the temperature, and the company are priceless!

Please talk to **Marv Faber** or **Jeff Kraker** for details.

Please join the celebration of **Elaine De Hoogh’s** 24 years of faithful service to Phoenix Christian School PreK-8! A **Retirement Open House** will be held on **Saturday, May 11, from 1pm-3pm** in the PCS gymnasium.

From Faith Formation Ministries:

An anonymous wise person said, “It is through repetition that possibility becomes ability.” Making space for God in your family’s busy schedule can be hard. But creating regular family faith habits and practices will have a life-changing impact on your kids—and on you!

The new resource **Everyday Family Faith** (available at FaithAliveResources.org), **a pocket-sized family faith formation guide, can help you get started.** (Faith Formation Ministries; crcna.org/FaithFormation)

For more resources visit: CRCNA.org/Library
Launched in April 2016, the Digital Library provides free access to hundreds of Faith Alive Christian Resources titles – including curriculum, Bible studies, and more – to all CRCNA member and ministries.

Church Schedule for 5/5-5/11

SUNDAY	8:45 am	Prayer in Council Room
	9:30 am	Worship Service
	10:30 am	Sunday School
MONDAY	6:00 pm	Worship & Arts
TUESDAY	10:00 am	Ladies Bible Study
	6:00 pm	Operations
WEDNESDAY	6:30 pm	Prayer Group

This Week's Birthdays

Kate the 5th, Julia & Hadley the 6th, Anneliese the 8th,
Richard & Henry the 11th

Next Week's Offering: Cadets National

Volunteer Schedule

Greeters – Holly & Brent

Library Today – Beth **Next Week** – Jodie

Nursery - Andrea R., Tom, Charlotte, Linda, Ella (Kaley)

Next Week – Mary, Andrea M., Norma, Holly, Lance (Elise)

Little Lambs Teacher – Nicole **Helpers** - Jenifer, Avery

Next Week Teacher – Nicole **Helpers** – Rebekah, Joshua

Cookies Today – Erin & Carol

Next Week – Who would like to sign up?

Sound & Video – Alan & Phil

Next Week – Paul & Steve

Parking Lot Roamers – Phil S. & Steve VP

Next Week – Mother's Day – No Roamers

Phoenix Christian Reformed Church

We Call Ourselves...

Christian...

because we belong to Jesus Christ and we want to follow Jesus.

Reformed...

because we're part of the branch of the Christian church which follows the teachings of the leaders of the Protestant Reformation who struggled to return Christianity to its biblical roots.

Church...

because God has called us to be a fellowship of his people in the world.

Our Mission

"We exist to glorify God
by loving Him and serving our neighbors
as we continue the work Jesus began on earth."

Our Vision

"Being changed by God's love,
we move ahead in His grace...
lifting our hands to worship the Lord,
joining our hands to nurture one another
and extending our hands to serve our neighbors
...as we walk together in freedom,
joy and faithfulness."

You are welcome to contact a council member or Pastor Andy.

Elders

Mike Bremer

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