

Sunday Worship Service
9:30 am ~ October 20, 2019
Pastor Andy DeKorte

Welcome and God's Invitation

"O Worship the King" Gray 428

Opening Prayer

"That's Why We Praise Him"

"Refiner's Fire"

Confession and Assurance

"Lord, My Petition Heed" Gray 86, vv. 1, 5-6

Offerings: **General Fund**

Little Lambs Prayer – Children Age 3-Preschool Dismissed

Congregational Prayer

Scripture: **Romans 2:17-29** page 1113

Sermon: **Overcoming Us and Them**

"God of Mercy, God of Grace"

God's Blessing

"Sanctuary" Green 655

GOOD MORNING! We pray that you will find the time we spend together with God in worship to be a source of hope, inspiration, and encouragement. Large print Bibles, orders of worship, and hearing devices are available. For children, we also provide a nursery and children's bulletins. Please talk to 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 are our guest. Please place the card in the offering.

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

Adult Sunday School Opportunity:

Starting today, everyone is invited to a five-week study through the **Canons of Dort** – a Reformed confession of biblical interpretation that is 400 years old this year. Beyond benefitting from a deep dive into God's Word, you'll be able to encourage and be encouraged by PCRC High School students in this intergenerational study.

We'll start at 11am in the church library. **See you there!**

Holly Zoe's dad, Leonard Zoe, died in MI on Oct. 13. His health had declined to the point that he was unable to travel to Holly and Brent's wedding in AZ on Oct. 12.

However, Len's death was still a shock. Holly and Brent are in Michigan. May God give them peace and strength. May we as their brothers- and sisters-in-Christ also pray for them and encourage them as we are able.

Fellowship Lunch on November 3: We would love to have our retirement age singles join the East Valley TNT Small Group for a Fellowship Lunch after church on Sunday, November 3. We will serve ham buns and sides. We invite all of our retirement age singles to have lunch with us and share in a time of fellowship and small group prayer around each table.

Please plan to join us starting at 11:45 on November 3.

Notes from the October Council meeting:

- The Council is pleased to report that Elise Groen will make public profession of her faith on November 10.
- The Council began arranging for 2020 Council nominees.
- Progress has been made toward forming a Youth Group and a broader strategic plan for youth faith formation.

Trunk or Treat

October 31, 5:30 – 7:30pm

Only 11 more days until Trunk or Treat!



Have you signed up?

We need more cars!

Sign up TODAY!

Join us for an evening of fun, food, and fellowship while meeting our church neighbors! Set up and decorate your car, parking space, grab a hot dog for dinner, and get ready to pass out candy. If you cannot make it, please consider bringing 'extra' candy ahead of time for the Social Committee to 'stash' away to use as people run out!

Church Schedule for 10/20 – 10/27

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

This Week's Birthdays

Carol the 21st, Harry the 23rd,
Aidan & Isaac the 24th

Next Week's Offering: CRC Disability Concerns

Volunteer Schedule

Greeters – Justin & Tami & Family

Library Today – Beth *Next Week* – Marsha

Nursery – Nicole, Emily D., Eve (Zach)

Next Week – Deb G., Lynola, Cabot (Lance)

Little Lambs Teacher – Katrina *Helpers* – Jenifer, Ella

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Cookies Today – De Hoogh & Irvine

Next Week – Anyone want to volunteer?

Sound & Video – Daniel & Doug

Next Week – Paul & Jonathon

Parking Lot Roamers – Steve VP & Paul F.

Next Week – Zach & Tom

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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

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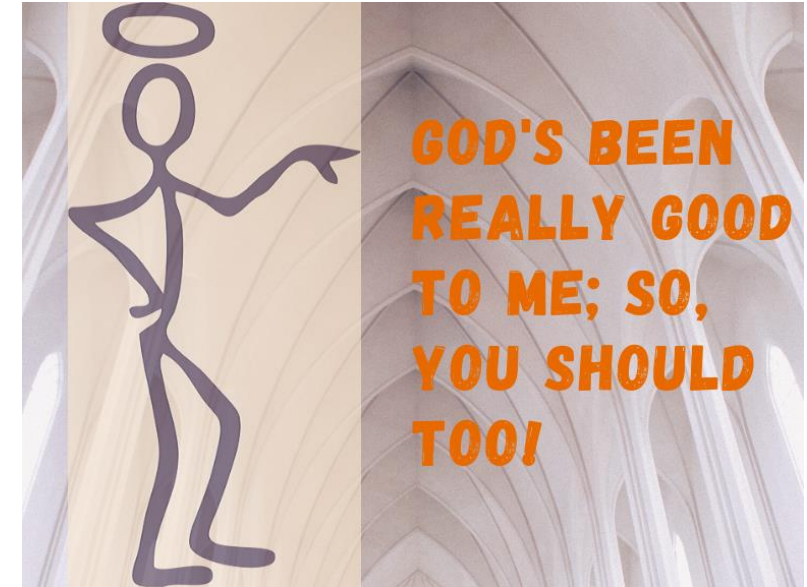
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