

SALEM REFORMED CHURCH
September 27, 2020

Little Rock, IA
9:30 a.m.

Prelude
Announcements
Call to Worship
*Gloria Patri
*Invocation
*Hymn
Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer
Hymn
Scripture Reading:
Message:
*Praise Song
*Benediction
*Doxology
Postlude

***Please stand as able**

We welcome all who have joined us in worship today!

*We pray you may be blessed by the preaching of God's Word
and by the fellowship with his believers.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please follow social distancing guidelines, wash your hands frequently and stay home if you are feeling ill. THANK YOU!

Due to continued Covid cases in our community, Salem's Consistory has decided to extend the suspension of our in-person worship services for another 3 weeks. **NO IN-PERSON WORSHIP SERVICES OR ACTIVITIES AT SALEM ON SEPTEMBER 27, OCTOBER 4 AND OCTOBER 11.**

Adam Sieff has graciously agreed to virtually lead our worship with pre-recorded sermon videos for the next couple of weeks. Pastor Barry will provide a video sermon on October 11th. These will be available on YouTube, and the link will be emailed out as well as placed on the church Facebook page.

We are now looking at a start date of Sunday, October 18th for our education classes to resume.

WANTED(NEEDED): We are in need of catechism teachers for the upcoming education season. The pay is minimal but the reward is eternal!! Contact Kent Peters if you would be willing to volunteer.

Pastor Barry & Margot plan to arrive in Little Rock on Saturday, October 3rd. They will then need to self-quarantine for 2 weeks and during that time will work on getting settled in the parsonage and the church office. We hope to have the church open again by October 18th which is when Pastor Barry plans on preaching his first sermon from Salem's pulpit. We are looking at having his installation service sometime that afternoon. More information will follow when details are set.

The Bread of Life Food Distribution was again held this past Wednesday evening. 11 families (19 adults and 13 children) were served.

Lil' Mustangs Child Care Center in George is seeking employees with a passion for working with children. We have full time, part time, and substitute positions available. This would also be a great opportunity for retired people who love spending time with children. If you would like an application, please email directorlilmustangsgccc@gmail.com or call the center at 712-475-6088 and ask for Brooke. Thank you!

PRAYERS & PRAISES

Greg Venenga continues to improve and has been able to return home. He would still appreciate your prayers as he continues to be on oxygen and is working to regain his strength.

Congratulations to Marty and Katie VanPeursem on the birth of their son, Crosby Gene VanPeurse born on Sunday, September 20th. Congratulations also to Grandparents Randy & Hope Wiertsema and Great-grandparents Everon & Joyce Kanengieter and Ronnie & Vernetta Wiertsema.

- **Pray for Pastor Barry and his wife Margot** as they close the chapter of their current ministry and prepare for their transition to Salem.
- **Pray for our school staff, students and parents** as the new school year begins. Please pray for guidance and safety during a very challenging time.
- **Pray for our nursing home residents:** Dwight Leemkuil, Lyle Gerken, Inez Haken, Marlene Christians, Bernita Klaassen, Herman Voss, Betty De Berg, Verna Schneiderman
- **Pray for our shut-ins and those battling health concerns:** Craig Block, Zach Voss, JoAnn Gerken, Sheryl Schneekloth, Mabel Voss, Everleigh Wheeler, Lena Olivier, Melissa Olivier, Tommy Skarlis, Miriam Cunningham, Betty Zevenbergen, Mitchell Wagner, Korissa Kramer
- **Pray for our missionaries:** Rowland and Jane Van Es in Kenya and Brad & Robin Kautz in Dulce, New Mexico, CEPAD in Nicaragua

If you have a pastoral need, please contact any elder. Also, please contact Kim if you have a prayer concern that you would like included in the bulletin and email.

Bart De Boer has graciously agreed to minister to our congregation through prayer and visitation with our members. Please feel free to contact him with any prayer concerns or if you would like him to stop by for a- visit.

Bart's contact information:

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BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Greg Venenga – Sept. 27

Ryan Lonneman – Sept. 27

Bradley Schroeder – Sept. 30

Joann Block – Sept. 30

Logan Koedam – Oct. 1

Ronda Pottebaum – Oct. 2

Taylor Metzger – Oct. 2

Aldon Klaassen – Oct. 3

Virgil & Janice Venenga – Sept. 28

LeRoy & Phyllis Buss – Oct. 2

OUR LEADERSHIP TEAM

Sacraments: Melvin Winter Ch., Tom Lonneman

Pulpit Supply: Clayton Schilling Ch., Kent Peters

Worship Committee: Dana Kruse, Terrence Clark

Property: Cory Peters Ch. and all Deacons

Missions: Scott Kruse Ch., Arden Kopischke

Education: Kent Peters, Darwin Klaassen

Stewardship: Terrence Clark

Staff Relations: Dana Kruse, Cory Peters

Consistory Clerk: Arden Kopischke

Consistory Vice President: Tom Lonneman

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***Please have all bulletin announcements in by noon on Thursday.*

Bulletins are printed on Friday morning.

Our weekly bulletin and a recorded video of the Sunday Service are available on the church website www.salemreformed.com. You will also find a link to our YouTube channel where you can access past services.

STEWARDSHIP & GIVING

Offering for the week of September 20th – September 27th : \$200.00

2020 Total Offering (thru 9.27.20): \$90,581.00