

**AMERICAN REFORMED CHURCH
PRIMGHAR, IOWA
OCTOBER 28, 2018**

**9:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE
APPROACH TO GOD**

Prelude: Praise Team

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship: Heb. 13:5-6; 15-16

*Praise Song: "Build Your Kingdom Here"

*Praise Song: "Oceans"

*Passing of the Peace

May the peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Contemporary Affirmation of Faith

Missions Moment

Ministry in Music: ARC Adult Choir

"We Sing So All Can Hear the Story"

WORD OF GOD

Prayer for Illumination:

Scripture: Matthew 6:19-34

Sermon: **The Greatest Sermon (Act 7)**

RESPONSE TO GOD

Congregational Prayer & Lord's Prayer

Offering (General and Mission Funds)

* Doxology

* Offertory Prayer

*Hymn of Response: #537 "Day by Day and with Each Passing Moment" (Linda)

*Benediction

*Closing Hymn: #404 "God Will Take Care of You" (Linda)

*Postlude

6:30 PM MOVIE NIGHT
Please join us for Movie Night tonight; Pop and popcorn will be served.

TODAY AT ARC

10:30 AM, COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

10:45 PM, CHILDREN'S MUSIC

11:00 AM, SUNDAY SCHOOL

Last week: Attendance: 27

Offering: \$32.00

6:30 PM, MOVIE NIGHT

NURSERY

TODAY: Shonda & Jillian

NEXT WEEK (Oct 28): Lori & Elijah

THIS WEEK AT ARC

MON, OCT 29, 4:45 – 6:45 PM,

SECRETARY'S OFFICE HOURS

WED, OCT 31, 3:20 PM, KBC

7:15 PM, RCYF & PROJECT YOUTH MEET

8:15 PM, PT 2 PRACTICE

NEXT SUNDAY AT ARC- NOV 4

9:30 AM, WORSHIP SERVICE

Worship Leader: Praise Team 2

Organist: Alyda

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10:45 PM, CHILDREN'S MUSIC

11:00 AM, SUNDAY SCHOOL

6:30 PM, WORSHIP SERVICE

Pianist: Alyda

OCTOBER SERVERS

GREETER: Aimee J

USHERS: Marv P

COFFEE SERVERS: Larry & Connee

NOVEMBER SERVERS

GREETER: Tracy & Shonda

USHERS: Jason W

COFFEE SERVERS: Robert & Janet



ARC is on social media! Please LIKE and SHARE our Facebook page.

Search Primghar American Reformed Church! ARC also has a new website:

www.americanprimghar.rcachurches.org

The website will be a work in progress, as four of us learn how to make updates to it.

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The new JH Youth group has a new name: PROJECT YOUTH. They also have a YouTube channel called "PYGMY Productions." There is a link on our Facebook page to access the YouTube channel.

The Mission Fund offering will be taken today.

Congratulations to Scott & Sarah (Koel) Rohlfen, who were united in marriage last night. May God bless them with many years together.

An elder/deacon nomination letter and ballot(s) have been placed in your mailbox. Please follow the letter's instructions. Ballots can be placed in the ballot box in the Fellowship Hall by Nov 11. If you need more ballots please see Ro

Movie Night will be held tonight at 6:30 PM. We will be showing *The Miracle Season*. This film is based on the inspiring true story of the Iowa City West High School girls' volleyball team. After the death of star player Caroline "Line" Found, the team must step up their game under the guidance of their tough-love coach and Caroline's father in hopes of winning the state championship. Together they regain their strength and spirit in order to "Live Like Line"! This movie is rated PG.

TREASURERS: The church's fiscal year ends Oct 31. Please close out your books and turn them in to Ivan, Betty, or Karna before Nov 11. A report will be compiled for the Congregational meeting on Dec 2.

MISSION COMMITTEE NEWS
Bible Give-Away challenge.

**This challenges each congregational member to give a bible (or two!) to someone who doesn't have a bible or may need a new one. See the flyer that was laced in the mailboxes for more information.

**The Committee is also trying to Identify persons from the community who may need help with house repairs. Please see a Missions Committee member for more details, or if you know someone in need.

**Houston Mission Trip
Opportunity January 19-26, 2019
The Committee is looking to put a group together to go down to the Houston, TX area and help do some home repairs to homes damaged in Hurricane Harvey. Mostly interior work will be done: insulating, dry walling, floors and doors, cabinets and vanities, trimming, painting, etc.
Registration fee is \$50 and sign-up deadline is Nov 11. See a committee member for more information. Mission Committee members are: Ric H, Robert VB, Amanda V, Jeff G, and Josh H.

We are celebrate with Lee & Daisy Nieuwenhuis' with the birth of a new daughter, Ava Marie, who was born on October 9th.

Daylight Saving Time ends Nov 4 at 2 AM. Be sure to turn your clock back an hour (fall back in the fall) Sat night.

The annual Thanksgiving Supper will be held on Nov 14 at 6:30 PM. A traditional Thanksgiving meal will be served and the cost will be \$8.75 per person. Please sign-up on the reservation sheet on the bulletin board so we can give the caterer a head count. Musical entertainment will follow.

More announcements are located on the back

LOOKING AHEAD

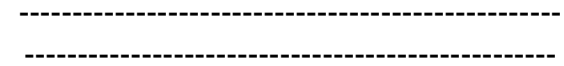
- Nov 5, Secretary office hours,
- Nov 5-11, Pastor Cory – week of education
- Nov 7, KBC, RCYF, PROJECT YOUTH, PT 1 practice
- Nov 11, AM-Pulpit supply: Pastor Dennis, Choir potluck & practice. PM – Bible Studies meet
- Nov 12, PM-Secretary office hours Deacon/elder mtgs, consistory mtg
- Nov 14, Thanksgiving supper
- Nov 21, Thanksgiving Eve service
- Nov 22, Thanksgiving Day
- Nov 25, PM –Hanging of the greens.

PRAISES AND PETITIONS

Pray for:

- Those under a doctor's care: Haley Hofmeyer, ankle; Connee Jenness, back pain; Ivan Wiersema, BP, kidney function and relief from neuropathy; Evert Reuvers, strained back.
- Darwin Kots will have back surgery on Nov 8 in Dakota Dunes.
- Karen Weishuhn's son, Eric, Is doing well with his recovery from a brain aneurism, but still has a long way to go.
- Cheryl Hansen's mom, Shirley Schoppers, is now receiving hospice care and is not doing very well. She is at the Bethesda Nursing Home in Beresford.
- Dry weather and a safe crop harvest.
- People, locally, regionally, and nationally, who have been affected by natural disasters.
- Nicaragua as they are experiencing civil unrest.
- Columbia has also been experiencing some "Turf War" turmoil.
- Our military troops; at home and overseas.

- Unification and healing in the United States.
- Peace in times of unrest across the globe.
- The Christians being persecuted by ISIS in the Middle East.
- Remember our nursing home residents and shut-ins with a card, call, or visit.
- Our missionaries: Andrew and Amy Fields (and Irene) in Medellin, Columbia; and Olivia (Holt) Iekel, in Nicaragua.



MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS

A seminar, co-hosted by New Roots Ministry and the Office of Social Justice of the Christian Reformed Church, will be held on Tues, Oct 30 at 7 PM at the Sioux Falls Ministry Center, 225 E. 11th St, Sioux Falls, SD. Go and hear Dr. Jason Lief of Northwestern College speak about the history of immigration and unpack misconceptions. Hear life stories of Dreamers affected by DACA policies. Not taking political positions, "What Would Jesus Do?" will be discussed.

How does God use a young missionary child whose father was

martyred to grow His kingdom?
Gather a group together and come hear Valerie Elliot Shepard, the daughter Elisabeth Elliot, and her husband, Walt Shepherd, speak in Orange City on November 2 & 3, with a men's breakfast event (\$10, 9-10:30 AM at the Triple Box) and women's conference (\$15, 9 AM -2 PM at the Unity Knight Center, lunch included). Get your tickets before registration closes this Tuesday, the 22nd! Visit your local Radio Shack or shepards.eventbrite.com by TOMORROW night. Also mark your calendar for the free session Friday night, Nov. 2nd (7-8:30 at the Unity Knight Center; free-will offering to help cover expenses) Email weekendwiththeshepards@gmail.com with any questions. These events are sponsored by OC area churches, businesses and community members.

The Calumet Zion Church of Christ will host their annual Turkey Dinner on Sun, Nov 11 from 11:00 AM – 1:30 PM at the Calumet Fire Station. Turkey, mashed potatoes and gravy, Salad, beverage, and dessert will be served. The cost is: Adults, \$10; kids 12 & under, \$5; preschool, free. Craft

and baked goods will be available for sale.

INSPIRATION HILLS WOMEN'S AUXILIARY NEWS

The Inspirations Hills Women's Auxiliary has decided to disband the Auxiliary as was discussed in the March meeting. The Auxiliary's remaining funds will be given directly to Inspiration hills fir the kitchen remodeling project. Any offerings should be sent directly to Inspiration Hills.

A ANNOUNCING – INSPIRATION HILLS FINAL EVENT - THE HARVEST DINNER

The Women's Auxiliary has been a mainstay for the support of Inspiration Hills for many years, but will conclude their work at the end of 2018. Our staff and Board would like to thank all the women and their spouses who graciously gave of their time, energy, and resources that impacted so many campers and guests. We encourage the attendance of all women, and their spouses, who have ever been a part of, or have supported the inspiration Hills Women's Auxiliary. Please join us celebrate their work! What: Final Harvest Dinner – In Appreciation. When: Thurs, Nov 15 @ 6:30 PM (Doors open at 6 PM). Where: Inspiration Hills, Inwood, IA