

AMERICAN REFORMED CHURCH
PRIMGHAR, IOWA
OCTOBER 7, 2018

9:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

APPROACH TO GOD

Prelude: Praise Band

Call to Worship (Psalm 71:19-23)

* Praise Song: "Forever"

* Praise Song: "Our God"

* Passing of the Peace

May the Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Welcome & Announcements

Prayer of Invocation

Missions Moment: Josh Haack

(Mission trip to Houston)

WORD OF GOD

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture: Matthew 5:27-32

Message: **The Greatest Sermon
(Act 4)**

RESPONSE TO GOD

Congregational Prayer

Communion

Offering: Hymn of Response: #28

"Great is Thy Faithfulness"

* Offertory Prayer

* Benediction

* Closing Hymn: #208 "We are One in
the Bond of Love"

6:30 PM WORSHIP SERVICE

APPROACH TO GOD

Prelude: Linda

Call to Worship

Hymn #20 "All Creatures of Our God
and King" (vs. 1,2,&5)

*Hymn #500 "Savior, Like a Shepherd
Lead Us"

*Invocation

WORD OF GOD

Scripture Lesson: Verses from

Genesis

Message: **Progressive Revelation:
NOAH**

RESPONSE TO GOD

Prayer for Blessing

*Hymn of Response: #299 "He Hideth
My Soul"

Praises & Petitions

*Hymn of Thanksgiving: #281 "He
Leadeth Me"

*Benediction

* Parting Song: "God Be With You"
(verse 1)

*Postlude

TODAY AT ARC

10:30 AM, COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

10:45 PM, CHILDREN'S MUSIC

11:00 AM, SUNDAY SCHOOL

Last week: Attendance: 25

Offering: \$4.00

6:30 PM, WORSHIP SERVICE

Pianist: Linda

NURSERY

TODAY: Karna & Chloe

NEXT WEEK (Oct 14): Janet &
Alexandra

THIS WEEK AT ARC

MON, OCT 8, 7:30 PM,

DEACON/ELDER MEETINGS

8 PM, CONSISTORY MEETING

WED, OCT 10, 3:20 PM, KBC

7:15 PM, RCYF & JR HI YOUTH
GROUPS MEET

8:15 PM, PT 1 PRACTICE

THURS, OCT 11, 2 PM, PASTOR

CORY AT PEARL VALLEY

(Primghar) NURSING HOME

NEXT SUNDAY AT ARC- OCT 14

9:30 AM, WORSHIP SERVICE

Worship Leader: Praise Team 1

Organist: Betty

10:30 AM, COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

10:45 PM, CHILDREN'S MUSIC

11:00 AM, SUNDAY SCHOOL

6:30 PM, BIBLE STUDIES MEET

Bible Study 2 meets with Daryl &
Alyda hosting.

Bible Study 3 will meet at Jamie &
Rosie's home.

NEW: Women's Bible Study meets
at church with Shonda leading.

OCTOBER SERVERS

GREETER: Aimee J

USHERS: Marv P

COFFEE SERVERS: Larry & Connee



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.

The Building Fund offering will be
taken next week.

Today we celebrate Holy Communion
with millions of other Christians
around the world for World
Communion Sunday.

ATTENTION WOMEN OF ALL AGES!

Please join us for a new Women's
Bible Study group! We will be kicking
things off with Jennifer Dukes Lee's
new Bible Study book, "It's All Under
Control" on Sun, Oct 14 at 7 PM in the
high school youth room upstairs. Let
Shonda Wittrock know if you are

interested so enough books will be ordered for everyone.

October is PASTOR APPRECIATION month. Please let Pastor Cory know he is appreciated with a card, kind word, or deed! And ALWAYS, PRAY for him and his family!

October is MISSIONS month. There will be a Missions Moment each week during the service.

CONGRATULATIONS to Kevin and Alivia Grothaus! Hey were united in marriage on Oct 6 at ARC! May God grant you many years of happiness together.

CONGRATULATIONS to Jason & Sarah Jane Greene with the birth of a baby boy! Easton Dale joined the Green family on Mon, Sept 24th at 1:14 PM. Easton weighed 7 lbs and was 20 in long. Easton had some difficulties entering this world, and mom had an emergency C-section. Baby also was a little jaundiced and spent some extra time under the special lights! Both are recovering nicely. Pray for Sarah Jane and Jason, and little Easton as they transition to a life of new parents, and a family of three!

Trinity United Church of Christ, in Hartley, will be hosting a GUEST DAY on Oct 18, at 2 PM. Speaker will be Marcia Cheevers. All ladies of the church are welcome to attend.

The Primghar Community Building will be sponsoring an Omelet Brunch on Sunday, October 14th, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Primghar Community Building. It will be catered by Red's Café. We will be serving omelets made just the way you like them, a variety of muffins, plus coffee, milk, and juice. Free will donation. Proceeds will be going to new bathrooms.

More announcements are located on the back of the insert.

LOOKING AHEAD

Oct 15, PM - Secretary Office hours
Oct 17, NO KBC; RCYF & JH Group
Will meet

Oct 21, AM – Blended Service, PT 1,
Choir potluck and practice
PM – Worship Service

PRAISES AND PETITIONS

Pray for:

- Those under a doctor's care: Haley Hofmeyer, ankle surgery; Connee Jenness, back pain; Ivan Wiersema, BP, kidney function and relief from

neuropathy; Darwin Kots, knee pain; Evert Reuvers, strained back.

- Jason and Sarah Jane Greene, birth of baby boy, Easton Dale. Prayers for Sarah's speedy recovery from C-section, and for the new family.
- Marv Petersen's 45 y/o nephew, Jeremy, from Des Moines, had open heart surgery Oct 1. Be in prayer for Jeremy, his family, the surgical team, and the nurses who will care for him after.
- Steph Kelleher has been experiencing seizures lately. Pray she can get the help she needs and doctors can find the cause of the seizures.
- 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) Ikel, in Nicaragua.

MORE ANNOUNCEMENTS

The first Inspiration Hills Fall Auction it's coming up fast – Friday, October 26th! This year's auction proceeds will go towards the kitchen remodel. Everyone is invited to attend. Come for the fellowship, food and the amazing items! The doors open at 6:00pm where you can look over the donated auction items and enjoy soup and dessert. The auction will begin at 7:00pm.

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.

Registration is now open for the Weekend with the Shepards! Speakers, Rev Walt & Valerie Shepard (daughter of Jim & Elisabeth Elliott) will be in Orange City Nov 2 & 3. See the flyer on the bulletin board for more information. Register online at www.shepards.eventbrite.com or purchase discount tickets at Radio Shack in Sheldon, Rock Valley, or Orange City. Email Questions to weekendwiththeshephards@gmail.com. Hope to see you there.

INSPIRATION HILLS WOMEN'S AUXILARY NEWS

The Inspirations Hills Women's Auxiliary has decided to disband the Auxiliary as was discussed in the March meeting. The Auxiliary's reaming funds will be given directly to Inspiration hills fir the kitchen

remodeling project. Any offerings should be sent directly to Inspiration Hills.

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