

AMERICAN REFORMED CHURCH
PRIMGHAR, IOWA
NOVEMBER 18, 2018

9:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

APPROACH TO GOD

Prelude: Praise Band

Call to Worship: Psalm 18:1-2

* Praise Song: "Our God Saves"

* Praise Song: "This is Amazing Grace"

* Passing of the Peace

May the Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Welcome & Announcements

Prayer of Invocation

Special Music: "All Good Gifts" ARC

Choir with United Church Bell Choir

WORD OF GOD

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture: Matthew 7:13-23

Message: **The Greatest Sermon
(Act 9)**

RESPONSE TO GOD

Congregational Prayer

Offering: Praise Song: "Thank You,
Lord"

* Offering Song: "Doxology"

* Offertory Prayer

* Benediction

* Closing Song: "Jesus"

6:30 PM EVENING SERVICE

APPROACH TO GOD

Prelude: Alyda

Call to Worship

Hymn #132 "Blessed Be the Name"

*Hymn: "Holy Ground"

*Invocation

WORD OF GOD

Scripture Lesson: Exodus 3:1-15

Message: **"Progressive Revelation:
MOSES (Part 1)"**

RESPONSE TO GOD

Prayer for Blessing

Hymn #105 "Holy, Holy, Holy"

Praises & Petitions

*Hymn of Thanksgiving: #359 "I'll Go
Where You Want Me to Go"

*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: 26

Offering: \$12.38

6:30 PM WORSHIP SERVICE

Pianist: Alyda

NURSERY

TODAY: Janet & Jamin

NEXT WEEK (Nov 25): Amanda &
Jason

THIS WEEK AT ARC

MON, NOV 19, 5:30 – 7:30 PM,

SECRETARY'S OFFICE HOURS

WED, NOV 21, 7:00 PM,

THANKSGIVING EVE SERVICE

Organist: Betty

THURS, NOV 22, THANKSGIVING
DAY

NEXT SUNDAY AT ARC- NOV 25

9:30 AM, WORSHIP SERVICE

Worship Leader: Praise Team 1

Organist:

Mission Fund Offering

10:30 AM, COFFEE FELLOWSHIP

10:45 PM, CHILDREN'S MUSIC

11:00 AM, SUNDAY SCHOOL

6:30 PM, HANGING OF THE
GREENS

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.

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.

See a committee member for more information. Mission Committee members are: Ric H, Robert VB, Amanda V, Jeff G, and Josh H.

The Hanging of the Greens will take place next Sunday night, Nov 25 at 6:30 PM. Everyone is welcome to help decorate the church for the Advent season.

A new nursery schedule will be made in the next month, for the first six months of 2019. If you would be willing to serve in the nursery (we are especially in need of adult helpers) on a rotational basis, please see Ro ASAP!

The South O'Brien NHS (National Honor Society) is hosting a Winter Clothing Drive, Nov 5-20. The MHS will be collecting new or gently used winter coats, snow pants, snow boots, hats, mittens and gloves (nylon pairs for smaller sizes), and sweatshirts. All donations will be given to Upper Des Moines Opportunity in Primghar. Drop off sites are: First Presbyterian Church in Paullina, American Reformed Church in Primghar, and the Sutherland Church of Christ.

VBS COOKIE WALK SIGN-UP

There will be a VBS Cookie Walk Fundraiser at the Primghar Christmas on Dec 8. Each church is asked to bring 15 dozen Christmas type cookies or treats. (Think, "special" Christmas cookies!) The sign-up sheet is hanging on the bulletin board. Please have your cookies/treats at the church Friday night, Dec 7

Consistory met on Monday, Nov. 12th. Preparations were made for the Dec. 2nd congregational meeting, including continued discussion regarding the kitchen remodel. Consistory will meet again on Nov. 26th at 7PM to finalize this proposal. Consistory thanks all those who prayerfully submitted nominations for Elder and Deacon. Nominated for elder are Brian Schimmer and Daryl Haack. Nominated for deacon are Kevin Jenness and Lee Verdoorn. The Hanging of the Greens will take place on the evening of Nov. 25th with worship committee leading. All are welcome to participate with this fun event.

An announcement about an upcoming Hope Haven sponsored Christmas concert on Thurs, Nov 29 at 7 PM, is hanging on the bulletin board

More announcements are on the back of the insert.

LOOKING AHEAD

Nov 26, PM Secretary office hours
7 PM, Special Consistory meeting
Nov 28, PM – KBC RCYF, Project Youth, PT 2 practice
Nov 29, PM Open Communion @ Community Memorial Health Center

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.
- Alice Hinkey, Rosie Jenness' mom. She was recently diagnosed with a tumor on her pancreas.
- Darwin Kots had back surgery on Nov 8. Spent a few days in the Orange City hospital with high blood pressure.
- Karen Weishuhn's son, Eric, is making large strides with his recovery from a brain aneurism. He has been taking Physical and Occupational therapies.
- 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.
- People, locally, regionally, and nationally, who have been affected by natural disasters.
- Those who have lost a love one and will be going through

this holiday season without them.

- 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

Time's running out on your only opportunity to compare your current Medicare Part D drug plan or Medicare Advantage plan with all your other options for 2019. Even if you love your current choice, it's smart to look over the 2019 version because most plans change from year to year.

Call the O'Brien County Senior Health Insurance Information Program volunteers at 712-957-5579 for free confidential help comparing plans. Please leave your name and phone number if the SHIP voicemail picks up your call. Their help is free, confidential and they don't sell or promote any plans.