

# THE LORD'S DAY

March 12, 2023

*"Get wisdom, get understanding: forget it not; neither decline from the words of my mouth." -Proverbs 4:5*

10:30 AM	1:00 PM
<p><i>Rev. D Holstege</i> <i>Lord's Supper</i></p> <p>Call to Worship Silent Prayer *Votum and Salutation *Song of Praise: #378 Law and Summary Song: #60 Congregational Prayer Offering: General Fund, Benevolence *Song of Dedication: #168 Scripture Reading: Psalm 32 Text: Psalm 32:1-2</p> <p>Sermon: "The Blessed Forgiven Man" 1) Forgiven Man 2) Penitent Man 3) Blessed Man</p> <p>Prayer of Thanksgiving Reading of the Lord's Supper Form *Song: #83 Lord's Supper Tables: #280 *Doxology: Doxology #2 *Benediction</p>	<p><i>Rev. D Holstege</i> <i>Applicatory</i></p> <p>Call to Worship Silent Prayer *Votum and Salutation *Song of Praise: #163 Apostles' Creed Song: #313 Congregational Prayer Offering: Faith Christian School *Song of Dedication: #321 Scripture Reading: Ephesians 4:17-32 Text: Ephesians 4:22-25</p> <p>Sermon: "The Calling to Live a New and Holy Life" 1) Putting Off the Old Man 2) Putting On the New Man 3) An Example</p> <p>Prayer of Thanksgiving *Song: # *Doxology: #411 *Benediction</p>

\* Indicates those able, please stand

**WELCOME:** We welcome you into the House of the Lord this Lord's Day. It is our prayer that you may experience the bond of God's love with us as we worship His Holy name.

OFFERING			BABYSIT
<b>Today, Mar 12</b>	AM	General Fund, Benevolence	Allison, Chelsea, Megan
	PM	Faith Christian School (Randolph)	Nanda, Rita, Mia
<b>Next Sunday, Mar 19</b>	AM	General Fund, Benevolence	Hetty, Joan, Kiley
	PM	Hope PRC - Myanmar	Jenny, Deneka, Anabelle

**BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK:** Today, March 12 - Liam Kikkert  
Today, March 12 - Kari Kikkert  
Friday, March 17 - Collin Kikkert

CHURCH CLEANING		HOST FAMILY	
<b>This week, Mar 12 - 18</b>	Rev. and Leah Holstege	<b>Today, Mar 12</b>	Ray and Nanda Kikkert
<b>Next week, Mar 19 - 25</b>	Rev. and Leah Holstege	<b>Next Sunday, Mar 19</b>	Fred and Emma Lewis

**ADULT BIBLE STUDY:** Meeting this week Thursday, March 16, at 7:30pm, continuing discussion on Galatians 5. Dallas and Rebecca are in charge of snacks, prayer, and Psalter numbers.

**YOUNG ADULTS BIBLE STUDY:** Meeting next week Thursday, March 23, beginning our discussion at II Thessalonians 3:6. Rev. and Leah are in charge of snacks, prayer, and Psalter numbers.

**YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY:** Meeting next Sunday at the parsonage to discuss Dating Differently.

**CATECHISM:** Recessing because of March Break.

### **CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**THIS MORNING** we will celebrate the Lord's Supper together. Since this congregation practices "close" communion, only confessing members of this congregation may partake of the elements unless prior arrangements have been made with the consistory.

**WITH THANKSGIVING TO GOD,** the consistory heard a confession of faith in Jesus Christ and of the doctrines taught in this Christian church by Jessie Dickert last Tuesday night. The date for her public confession of faith has been set for March 26 in the afternoon service, the Lord willing. "As it is written, I believed, and therefore have I spoken; we also believe, and therefore speak" (II Cor. 4:13).

**CLASSIS EAST** reconvenes this Wednesday in Grandville, Michigan. Classis will consider advice from its committee regarding an overture that came in January. Rev. Holstege and Elder Geertsma are the delegates from our church. May God be with the delegates and bless the decisions so they serve the good of His church and glory of His name.

**THE EVANGELISM COMMITTEE** meets next on Monday, March 20 at 7:30 pm.

**DENOMINATIONAL NEWS:**

**LOVELAND PRC'S CONSISTORY** has announced a trio of Revs. D. Noorman (SW PRC - Wyoming MI), J. Smidstra (First PRC-Holland MI), and C. Spronk (Faith PRC-Jenison MI). The congregational meeting is planned for March 12 after the evening service.

**REV. J MAATMAN** (SE PRC-Grand Rapids, MI) is considering calls from Hudsonville PRC and from Hosanna PRC (Edmonton, AB - received Feb.26).

**REV. M KORTUS** (Hope PRC-Redlands, CA) is considering the call from Doon (IA) PRC (received Feb.26).

**FIRST PRC - GRAND RAPIDS** called Rev. J. Holstege (Zion PRC, Jenison MI).

**REV. S REGNERUS** (Lynden WA PRC) accepted the call from Hull PRC.

**REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**SAVE THE DATE!** This summer, August 18-21. For what? A fun and edifying weekend retreat for young adults in Wingham, Ontario, Canada. More details to come soon. Hope you can make it!

**REGISTRATION** is now open through March 31 for the 2023 Young People's Convention, hosted by Grandville PRC. We have a great week planned at Lake Williamson Camp in Carlinville, IL from August 7-11, 2023. Registration is fully online again this year, so get started at <https://prcconvention.com/registration/>. Note that the registration process includes waivers, so parents should register for their young people who are minors. We can't wait to see you at the convention, Lord willing!

**CALIFORNIA YOUNG ADULTS' RETREAT** July 2023 - The Young Adults Society of Hope PRC is excited to host a retreat from July 3-6 at Luther Glen Camp. The theme will be "A Peculiar People: Living the Antithesis" with lectures and discussions surrounding that topic. Registration is now open! Find the form to register on the website at <https://yaretreat.hopeprc.org/> or find the website from the Hope PRC website."

**FUTURE TEACHERS AND MINISTERS:** Information for the 2023 PR Scholarship Fund essay competition is now available. Please email [prcscholarship@gmail.com](mailto:prcscholarship@gmail.com) to receive the essay topics and submission requirements. Completed essays must be submitted by May 12th.

**SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**HERITAGE CHRISTIAN SCHOOL** (Hudsonville, MI) has a teaching position open for the 2023/24 school year. To inquire or apply, contact Education Chairman Stefan Engelsma ([s.engelsma@att.net](mailto:s.engelsma@att.net), 616-272-8419) or Administrator Brian Kuiper ([bkuiper@hchr.org](mailto:bkuiper@hchr.org), 616-350-1830) by March 21.

**FAITH CHRISTIAN SCHOOL** of Randolph, WI, needs a teacher capable of teaching various subjects in grades 7th-12th for the upcoming school year. Our greatest needs are in the areas of science, music, and history although teachers with other strengths would be welcomed. Candidates must be a member of a Protestant Reformed church. Interested parties should contact Board President Matt Regnerus (920-210-6380 or [boardpresident@randolphfcs.org](mailto:boardpresident@randolphfcs.org)) or Administrator Mike Vander Veen (920-296-4406 or [mvanderveen@randolphfcs.org](mailto:mvanderveen@randolphfcs.org)).

# Wingham Protestant Reformed Church



*"...and take the helmet  
of salvation, and the sword  
of the Spirit, which is the  
Word of God."*

*Ephesians 6:17*

Worship Services: 10:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.  
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Reformed Witness Hour - Sundays @ 8:00 a.m. on CKNX AM 920

Mar 12	"Limited Atonement (2)", John 10:15 by Prof. C Griess
Mar 19	"Total Depravity (1)", John 6:44, 65-66 by Prof. C Griess