

SALEM REFORMED CHURCH

Pastor Dustin Sperlich

October 7, 2018

9:30 a.m.

- Prelude
- Greetings & Call to Worship
- *Gloria Patri
- *Invocation
- Karen Kosse – Cherish House
- *Hymn #79 – “To God Be the Glory”
- Pastoral Prayer
- Offertory Prayer/Offering
- Preparatory for the Lord’s Supper
- *Hymn #393 – “Without Him”
- Scripture: **Matthew 6:9 pg. 1504**
- Message: **“In the Name of God”**
- Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper
- *Praise Song: **“Oceans”**
- *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. We ask visitors to sign our guest register in the narthex.

TODAY'S ACTIVITIES

- 8:30 am – Adult Choir Practice** – We sing October 14th
- 9:15 am – Sunday School** for 3 year olds – 12th grade
- 9:30 am – Worship Service**
- 10:45 am – Adult Sunday School**
- 7:00 pm – RCYF** meets for all kids 7th – 12th grade

NEXT SUNDAY – October 14

- 7:30 am – Consistory Meeting**
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Please welcome Karen Kosse this morning as she will share more information about our annual bottle drive for Cherish House.

THIS WEEK

Wednesday, October 10

6:30 pm – Meal at The TABLE – This is open to EVERYONE in church as well as EVERYONE from the community! Just show up between 6:30 and 7:00 for a great meal and great fellowship!

Servers: Consistory
Menu: Spaghetti Bake

7:00 pm – Catechism

Women of Worship will be cleaning church on Saturday, October 13th at 9:00 am. Cleaning assignments by service group will be posted in the kitchen. If you clean early, please note the area cleaned on the paper in the kitchen.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Please keep Natalie (Peters) Hieronimus in your prayers as she was bucked off a horse and broke her wrist. She had surgery on Tuesday in Sioux Falls and has returned home.

Braxton Lonneman spent some time in the hospital with a high temperature. He has been discharged and is back home. Please pray for continued healing.

I would like to send the deepest heart felt Thank You to everyone who supported me and my family at the benefit that was given for our family on September 29. The Love and support we have received from family, friends, churches and the community since I began my fight with cancer is overwhelming. We are truly Blessed! THANK YOU ALL ♡♡

Brian and Sheryl Scheekloth & Family

Please continue to pray for the following people and all others struggling with health concerns, the loss of loved ones, or other hardships:

- Craig Block, Zach Voss, Lyle & JoAnn Gerken, Lavonne Klaassen, Dwight Leemkuil, Inez Haken, Marlene Christians, Sylvia Gruis, Bernita Klaassen, Jaynaye Rayman, Angie Riuter, Donna Hulshof, Sheryl Schneckloth, Ben Heeren, Miriam Cunningham

BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

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| Candi Christians – Oct. 7 | Tenlie VerSteege – Oct. 9 |
| Scott Heidebrink – Oct. 10 | Kim Terhark – Oct. 12 |
| Reese Brinkhous – Oct. 12 | Shawn Koerselman – Oct. 12 |

UPCOMING EVENTS

Consistory Meeting – Sunday, October 14 at 7:30 am – We welcome all those who wish to request baptism, membership transfer or to make public profession of their faith in Jesus Christ.

Annual Congregational Meeting – Sunday, December 2 following the morning worship service.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Consistory Nomination Forms for each member of Salem have been placed in your church mailboxes. Please prayerfully consider your nominations and place them in the ballot box no later than **November 4th**.

September Sunday School Perfect Attendance – Congratulations!

Chandler Schilling	Brelie VerSteeg	Reagan Luenburger
Tenlie VerSteeg	Griffin Schilling	Bryson VerSteeg
Cash Sandbulte	Lindsey Haken	Matthew Haken

Please consider signing up for ACH giving! Sign up forms are on the table in the narthex. Fill them out, attach a voided check and drop them off at the church office. This is an easy, convenient and secure way to donate to the church. Please contact Kim if you have any questions.

THE TABLE – Please let Kim know what you are serving at the TABLE a week prior to your date so that the menu can go in the bulletin. Thanks.

DONATION DRIVE – Please continue to place your items for The Bishop Dudley Hospitality House on the table in the narthex. Their largest needs right now are items such as aerosol deodorant, underwear for both men and women, socks for both men and women, men's razors and feminine hygiene pads.

We are still looking for volunteers for RCYF Sponsors! Please let Pastor Dustin know if you are willing to serve as leaders for our youth.

Atlas October Donations: HOT CHOCOLATE MIX, TEA BAGS, COFFEE. Please place items on the table in the narthex

October is Pastor Appreciation Month. Please remember to show your appreciation to Pastor Dustin as he ministers to Salem.

SUNDAY SCHEDULES

Sunday, October 7

Bulletins: Nathan & Ashley Peters
Greeters: Jerry & Candy Sandbulte, Jim & Darlene Brinkhuis
Librarian: Twila Voss
Sound/Video: Greg Venenga/Melia Towne

Sunday, October 14

Bulletins: Carol Rosenboom family
Greeters: Corey & Abbie Peters, Scott & Amy Kruse
Librarian: Marlys Kruse
Sound/Video: Levi Judge/Josh Haken

STEWARDSHIP & GIVING

Offering 9.30.18 thru 10.6.18 – General: \$3,223.00

WEEKLY OFFERING GOAL: \$3,650.00

YTD Total Offering (thru 10.6.18): \$106,648.98

YTD Total Offering Goal (thru 10.6.18) \$115,440.00

There are 13 Sundays left in 2018. To meet our budgeted expenses, our offerings need to average approximately \$3,650 per week.

OUR LEADERSHIP TEAM

Sacraments: Mark Haken, Ch., Gregory Venenga
Pulpit Supply: Mark Haken, Ch., Clayton Schilling
Property: Denis Nachtigal and all Deacons
Worship Committee: Floyd Duin, Clayton, Schilling, Mark Haken
Missions: Brad Lonneman, Ch., Randy Wiertsema
Education: Brad Nagel, Darwin Klaassen, Denis Nachtigal
-Stewardship: Floyd Duin, Terrence Clark
Ushers: Floyd Duin
Staff Relations: Greg Venenga, Ch., Brad Lonneman
Consistory Clerk: Arden Kopischke
Consistory Vice President: Randy Wiertsema

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FAMILY Fun Night

TRUNK *or* TREAT

OPEN TO THE WHOLE COMMUNITY

Sunday, October 28th 5pm-7pm at the First Presbyterian Church of Little Rock

There will be food and fun for **EVERYONE**.

What is Trunk or Treat: Trunk or Treat provides a safe and fun environment for everyone. Kids can trick or treat from trunk to trunk in a line up of vehicles parked in front of the church with full of goodies!

Kids needed: Bring your costume and treat bag. Truck or treating starts at 5pm. INVITE YOUR FRIENDS AND HAVE FUN!

Volunteers needed: Decorate your trunk and brings LOTS of treats for the kids in our community. Cars will line up at 4:45pm to be ready by 5pm.

Questions: Contact Julia Schaa, Lois Schilling, Michelle Hellenga, or Rebecca Whitacre

Hosted by the First Presbyterian Church of Little Rock

More than a shelter...

Cherish House, with compassion as its cornerstone, is a group maternity home in the Iowa Great Lakes area for pregnant teens and young women who desire to make the most of their lives. Each girl will have the opportunity for personal growth through life skills training in finance, nutrition, homemaking, parent training; personal counseling and adoption assistance (when needed); spiritual support; learning to care for one another.

During her stay at *Cherish House*, the young lady will experience life within a structured, nurturing, and loving family setting. Our house moms will not only encourage her, but model healthy relationships. By the time the young mother leaves, she will have support mechanisms in place to help her live a responsible, fulfilling life...for herself...for her child....for her future children.

Parenting or placing for adoption? This decision is made by the young mother with the support of our caring staff. We are not an adoption agency but we will help her select one that will work for her. When needed, the young mother will have the option of staying at Cherish House for up to 3 months following the birth of her baby.

"For I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for prosperity and not for calamity, plans for a future and a hope." Jeremiah 29:11

You can help make a positive difference...

Volunteering Yes, I'm interested in serving as a volunteer.

Financial Support All funding comes through the generous gifts of individuals, churches, and organizations. Yes, I want to give a one-time gift in the amount of \$ _____. Yes, I will be a monthly supporter at \$ _____ per month.

Newsletter — Yes, I'd like to receive your quarterly newsletter.

Email — Yes, I would like email updates from the Cherish Center.

Name _____ Ph _____

Address _____ City/State/Zip _____

Email _____