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with the Lord
forever

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Christian Reformed Church of Pease

August 11, 2024 - 9:30 A.M

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Dr. Jack Van Marion

We Enter God's Presence

Moment of Silence

Call to Worship

Opening Song: *"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"*

God's Greeting & Our Mutual Greeting

Song of Praise: *"The Wonderful Cross"*

Confession and Assurance

Song of Assurance: *"Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies"*

Intercessory Prayer: Byron Byker

Our Gifts: 1) General Fund

2) Benevolent Fund

We Hear God's Word

Children's Message: Stacy Patten

Scripture: Luke 9:28-36; I Thessalonians 4:13-18

Message: **"On Resurrection and Eternal Life"**

Song of Application: *"Christian Hearts in Love United"*

We Taste God's Goodness in the Sacrament

Participation in Holy Communion

Song: *"Amazing Love/You are My King"*

We Depart with God's Blessing

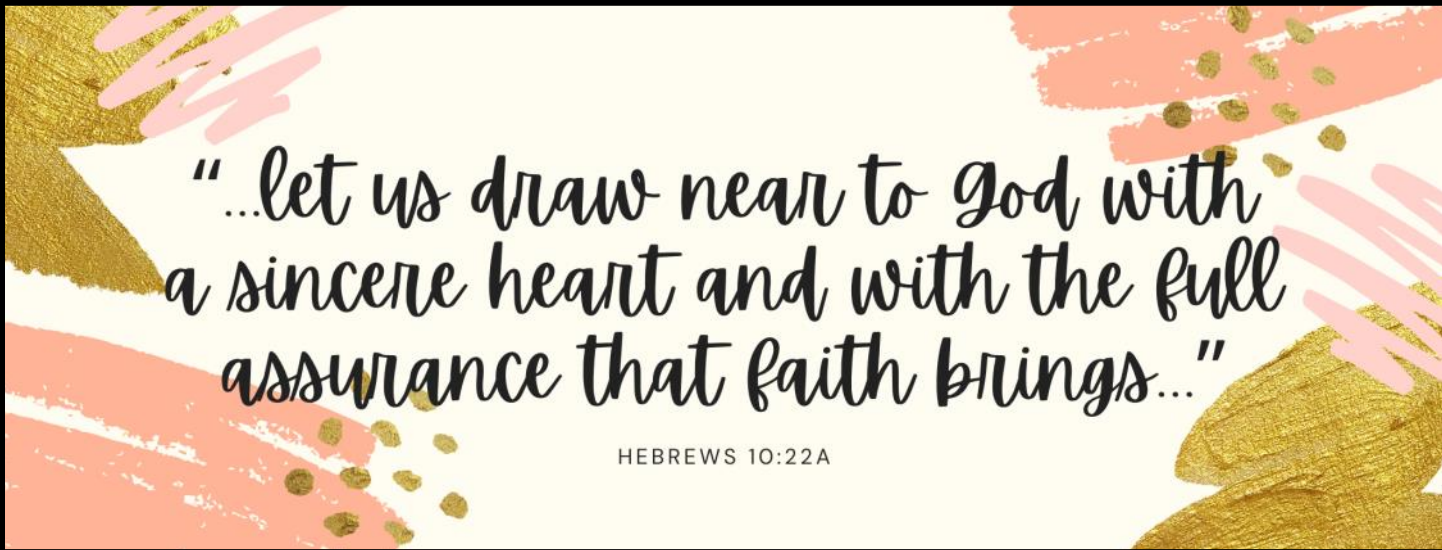
God's Parting Blessing

Closing Song: *"My Friends, May You Grow in Grace"*

Sermon Notes

Thank you for worshipping with us today!

- ◆ Nursery care for infants through age two is available during worship. Children in Worship is currently taking a summer break, but will resume in September.
- ◆ Hearing enhancers are available in the Sound Booth.
- ◆ As a courtesy, please switch your cell phones off or to silent mode.
- ◆ The flow of the worship service is subject to change.



"...let us draw near to God with
a sincere heart and with the full
assurance that faith brings..."

HEBREWS 10:22A

We gather together in worship to draw near to God. It is our prayer that you do so with a sincere heart and with the full assurance of faith in Jesus Christ and in the power of his Holy Spirit. Welcome to worship of the living and Triune God!

This Sunday we welcome **Dr. Jack Van Marion** to join us in worship as he gives the second message in his two-part series, "On Resurrection and Eternal Life", taken from Luke 9:28-36 and I Thessalonians 4:13-18. We also have the privilege of coming to the Lord's Table to partake in Holy Communion. Next Sunday we will be joined by **Pastor Dave Kiel**.

Please note that **Little Lambs & Worship Center** will be taking a break from meeting during the month of August. Nursery care is still available for infants through 2 years. All of our children's ministries will resume in September.

Mark your calendars for our **Farewell to Summer/Fall Ministry Kickoff** on Sunday, September 8. This is going to be a fun after-worship event for all!

The Council is in the process of preparing a list of nominees to serve as elders and deacons for a 3-year term. If you would like to submit names, please have them to the church office by noon on Monday, September 9. The outgoing council members are: Duane Droogsma, Tom Kiel, Phil Vedders, Char De Kraker, Jayne Kiel, & Bernie Boldt. Those who have served in an office in the last three years and spouses of current Council members are not eligible for nomination. If you have any questions about this process, please contact Jeff Hanenburg. Thank you for giving this your prayerful consideration.

Our Church Family

We wish a very happy birthday to:

>**John Kok**, celebrating 94 years on Monday, August 12.

>**Ed Hanenburg**, celebrating 85 years on Saturday, August 17.

We wish a very happy anniversary to **Duane & Delores Bekius**, celebrating 62 years of marriage on Saturday, August 17.

Please be in prayer for Pam Ruis' mom, **Gert Kiel**, as she has been hospitalized for adverse effects of Parkinson's and very high and low blood pressures. She was placed on hospice this past Tuesday and is very ready to meet Jesus. Pray for Bill, Pam, and their family as well during this difficult time.

We continue to be in prayer for those in our church family that are battling cancer and other illnesses, and especially those who are receiving hospice care. We also pray for their families as they care for their loved ones.

*"Pease CRC, It was so good to worship with you and update you on our work in Japan. You have been such great supporters; we really appreciate you! Thank you for your hospitality and your ongoing prayers. We couldn't do this without you! Your Servants in Him, **The Werners**"*

"Thank you for supporting the Rum River Life Choices Center during our Baby Bottle Campaign. Our goal was to raise \$23,00, but with your help we were able to surpass that goal to end with a grand total of \$28,000+. Your church gave \$1,328.13!"
~**Ann Morell, Rum River Life Choices Center**

The second offerings for the month of August will be received as follows:

August 11- Benevolent Fund

August 18- Youth Group

August 25- 125 Campaign

The Deacons gratefully acknowledge the following receipts from July:

Community Christian School- \$721.00

Legacy Foundation- \$735.00

125 Campaign- \$830.00

Pastor Perrin Werner/Japan Missionary- \$2,241.00

July General Fund: \$27,932.15

Calendar for the Week

Sunday, August 11

9:30 a.m.	Sunday Worship Service with Communion
7:00 p.m.	REC Jr.
8:30 p.m.	REC

Monday, August 12

6:00 p.m.	Elders and Deacons Meet
7:00 p.m.	Full Council Meets

Tuesday, August 13

4:00 p.m.	Search Team Meeting
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Advance Notices

- >Outreach Meeting: Monday, August 19; 6:00 p.m.
- >Coffee in the Fireside Room: Wednesday, August 21st; 9:00 a.m.
- >Safe Church Training: Sunday, August 25
- >Farewell to Summer/Fall Ministries Kickoff: Sunday, September 9
- >Sunday Night Live: Sunday, September 22; 4:00 p.m.
- >Coffee Break Kickoff: Wednesday, September 25; 6:00 p.m.

Community Announcements

Salvation Army Volunteer Opportunity– Donations to those in need in our county have quadrupled in the past several years thanks to volunteer bell ringers. Distributing those funds to county residents also needs a volunteer 3-5 hours/week. Contact Dick Ritzema at 369-4228 for more info on filling this vital role. (Matthew 25:45)

Operation Community Connect is a resource expo serving the Mille Lacs County area. School supplies, healthy meal bags, kid's boots, children's dental services, and much more will be available to those in need. This year's OCC will take place Thursday, August 15, from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. For more information, check out the flyers on the bulletin boards.

Rum River Life Choices Center will be holding a **Fall Picnic Fundraiser** on Saturday, September 14 from 4-7 p.m. at the Milaca Rec. Park. Come and support this pro-life organization. There will be food trucks, live music, kid's games, and a live auction. Freewill donation. Reservations can be made online at rumriverforlife.org/event or by calling 983-3771 by August 30.

Opportunities To Serve

Sound Board Today, August 11: Tom Patten

Next Sunday, August 18: Ryan Swanson

Media Today, August 11: Anita Hubers

Next Sunday, August 18: Linda Droogsma

Livestream Today, August 11: Sam Fradette

Next Sunday, August 18: Bob Sumner

Greeters Today, August 11:

East Door: Jay & Greta Rensenbrink

West Door: Pete & Betty De Boer

Next Sunday, August 18:

East Door: Dennis & Marian Beier

West Door: Jerry & Peggy Baas

Ushers Today, August 11:

East: Morris Droogsma

Center: John & Carol Teeler

West: Den Kiel

Next Sunday, August 18:

East: Carl Veurink

Center: Greg Brink

West: George Droogsma

Nursery Today, August 11:

Leaders: Nicole Hoffman, Bailey ASH

Helpers: Ty Patnode, Keslyn Hoyez

Next Sunday, August 18:

Leaders: Julie Jaunich, Beth Sumner

Helpers: Cameron Manke, Kaylynn Patnode

Children's Church Today, August 11:

Little Lambs: *Summer Vacation*

Worship Center: *Summer Vacation*

The 2-3's: *Summer Vacation*

The 4-5's: *Summer Vacation*

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2024 Administrative Team

Elders: Jeff Hanenburg—President
Tom Kiel—Vice President
Doug Brink—Clerk

Deacons: Bernie Boldt—President
Ryan Manke—Vice President
Joelle Hjort—Secretary

2024 Shepherding Teams

Red: Duane Droogsma, Jayne Kiel, Hope Vermeer
Yellow: Phil Vedders, Beth Sumner, Cindy Hemmerich
Purple: Dick Ritzema, Char De Kraker, Char Burklund
Orange: Tom Patten, Sam Fradette, Sharry Kragt
Blue: Byron Byker, John Teeler, Shirley Geurkink
Green: Julee Moorlag, Dylan Ash, Kris Kiel



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