

AMERICAN REFORMED CHURCH WORSHIP

October 19, 2025 ~ 9:30AM

Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Liturgical Color: Green

Opportunities for Growth, Fellowship, & Service - Mike Mesman
Minute for Missions - Operation Christmas Boxes - Ida Evertse

Call to Worship

Prelude

*Singing Praises
"Firm Foundation" "This is Our God"

*Time of Greeting

Offertory Prayer & Hymn -
"Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated"

Prayer Requests, Congregational Prayer

Children's Message - Carolyn Goold

Scripture Reading by Arlan Moss

Message - "Have You Not Read What David Did?"
Scripture-Matthew 12:1-7

*Singing Response - "Goodness of God"

*Benediction

Postlude

*all who are able, please stand

PRAISE AND PRAYERS

PLEASE BE IN PRAYER FOR THE FOLLOWING:

- Ongoing prayer concerns:** Bev De Graaff, Leon & Mary Kanengieter, Landen Kelderman, Lindsey Mesman, Ernie Moss, Audrey Raman, MaryAnn Sipma, Glenda Vaas, Dale Van Veldhuizen, Kathy Van Voorst, Virg Van De Stouwe, Allen & Bea Vande Stouwe, Dorothy Ver Meer, Sara Vink, Brad Wallenburg, Shirley Wallinga, Minerva Wissink.
- Church members with special needs this week: Prayers of healing & comfort for:** Aaron Moss

PRAISE & THANKSGIVING:

- Happy Birthday** to: Glenda Vaas Today; Don Vander Plaats on Thursday; Rog Boon on Friday; Mike Rozeboom, Ripp Sandbulte on Saturday! **Happy Anniversary** to: Eric & Jocelyn De Bruin -10 Yrs on Friday!
- We would like to thank** the congregation for all your prayers, acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy given to us in the passing of our mother, Ruth Anderson. We would also like to thank the ARC Angels for the beautiful memorial. We sincerely appreciate all you have done for our family during our time of bereavement. ~The family of Ruth Anderson
- Last week** the kids collected \$194.40 for the Grace Covenant Ministries Camps, the next Quarter Sunday is November 9.
- Thank you to** ARC angels for the fall towel and the pumpkin scented hand soap. I enjoy using them. ~Minerva Wissink

TODAY AT AMERICAN

PROJECTION: Today-Kaileen R; Next week-Jacob G; Nov 2-Mel R
VIDEO: Today-Reid VV; Next week-Brian S; Nov 2-Laura W
USHERS this morning: Aaron M, Chris K
NURSERY SCHEDULE: Today-Alice N, Aalijah M, Ana A; Next week-Alex & Jacob Van Der Wilt; Nov 2-Casey S, Justin S, Royce W
COFFEE is available self serve, before & after the worship service.
THE BIBLE RECAP: We would love to have you join us! We are reading the New Testament thru the end of the year. It's great to do on your own, even better to do it with others. Please join us today after church in the Aftershock Room for adult Bible study where we go over and discuss what we've read in God's Word the past week. Contact Josh or Aleisha Wissink with questions.

VISITORS: We would love to get to know you! Please stop by the Connection Center and fill out a Connection Card.
THE TURKEY SUPPER duty sheets are in your mailbox, please take note of your assigned duty. Ticket prices are: Adults \$17.00; 5-10 yrs \$9.00; Ages 4 and under - free. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Deb Moss at 712-470-4051. **NOTE:** If you did not sign up to make pies or desserts, we are asking for a \$25 donation to help defray the cost of the meal.
TODAY Mike Mesman will greet you at the West door after worship and will be joined by Todd Visscher at the South door and Kevin Roozing at the North door.

THIS WEEK AT AMERICAN

SUNDAY: --Alcoholics Anonymous; Al-anon ~ 7:00pm
--Congregacion Cristiana Pentiecostes ~ 1:30-3:30pm-ARK Room
MONDAY:--Consistory ~ 7:00pm. If you have something to bring to the Consistory's attention or if you wish to speak with the Elders about membership in the church, please contact Pastor Mark.
WEDNESDAY: --Men's Bible Study ~ 6:15am
--BH Praying Moms ~ 8:30am
--LifeWise ~ Noon
--ARK (1st-3rd); 4th-6th Grade; Jr/Sr High ~ 7:00pm
OUR OFFERING for the week of October 12 was \$1495.00.
COPIES of the October Newsletter are available on the table by the mailboxes.
NOTE--if the Boyden Hull Volleyball team wins their tournament game on Monday, October 20, they will play again on Wednesday so there will be no Wednesday night activities on October 22.
OCTOBER IS PASTOR APPRECIATION MONTH! The congregation is encouraged to show your appreciation for Pastor Mark & Beth by word, with a card, or other gestures of appreciation you so choose as well as keeping them in your prayers. Let them know they're seen, valued and deeply appreciated.
OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD: Boxes with the brochures are available in the Great Hall. Please return the boxes no later than after the worship service on Sunday, November 23. You also have the option of building a shoebox online. Directions can be found at -- <https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/buildonline> We encourage you to help spread joy and the Good News to children around the world!

WE ARE COLLECTING winter clothing for the Center of Hope during the month of October. Please place your new or clean, gently used sweatshirts, winter coats, hats, mittens/gloves, scarves, snow pants, winter boots, flannel shirts, and overalls in the containers in the Great Hall.

TRUNK OR TREAT & CANNED GOODS DRIVE: ARC is participating in a Trunk or Treat and Canned Goods Drive with First Reformed on October 31 from 5:30-7:00pm in their parking lot and treating the kids of Hull. Prizes will be given for the best designs and for the people who use the most obscure Bible Story. We ask everyone to depict a Bible story. Some ideas are in the October newsletter. Snacks & hot chocolate will be provided. There will be a pickup truck set up to collect canned goods for the Hull Food Pantry. Sign up to be one of the decorated trunks to pass out treats to the kids or to bring bars/cookies. Sign up sheets are on the Connection Center. If you would be willing to help serve hot chocolate & snacks or have any questions, please contact Ken or Ida Evertse. We encourage you to stop by to see all the decorated trunks and bring your canned good donations.

HAVE YOU EVER WONDERED...Who puts the service information up on the screen each Sunday? It's done by volunteers like YOU! If you are looking for a way to get involved in the church and enjoy a little creativity, we would love to have you join our team! No experience necessary and easy to learn. For more information, contact Donna Wallenburg 441-1289 or Loree Walton 470-2947.

67th ANNUAL TURKEY SUPPER!! This is an all church fundraiser and we need everyone's help to serve our community. We will be serving a catered meal held at the Boyden-Hull High School on **Tuesday, November 4 from 5:00-7:00pm.** Ticket are on sale until **October 27.** Please contact Donna at the church 439-2058 / 441-1289 or Cheryl Vierhout at 439-2932 for tickets. Ticket prices are: Adults-\$17; 5-10 yrs old-\$9; 4 and under-free.

CHECK OUT YOUR family picture and contact information in the online church directory. If you have a new postal or email address, cell phone or any life changes, please let the church know by emailing amrefdch@mtcnet.net or text Donna at 712-441-1289. If your photo is more than a couple of years old, please submit an updated picture.

JR/SR HIGH YOUTH GROUPS are asking for donations of drinks for their Wednesday night classes. Your drink donations can be brought to the Youth Room. Thanks!

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Pastor Mark leads a Men's Bible Study every Wednesday morning at 6:15am in the Fireside Room. Men of all ages are welcome!

FUTURE EVENTS AT AMERICAN

MEN AND YOUNG MEN: A sniper's bullet, a soldier's survival, a life changed forever. Tommy faced death when a bullet ripped through his helmet in Afghanistan. Miraculously he was unharmed. Come hear Tommy share how this moment reshaped his purpose, his heart, and his faith in God at the Area Men's Event on Tuesday, November 11 at 7 pm at the Orange City High School gym. This event is sponsored by Mendistry.

"ARTICLES" for the November AMERICANews must be submitted to Donna by Monday, October 27.

CHURCH LEADERSHIP

THE ELDER OF THE MONTH for October is Mike Mesman.

OUR MISSION OF THE MONTH for October is Inspiration Hills. You may give designated gifts for this ministry at any time during the month.

THE WORSHIP SERVICE for today is live on YouTube at American Reformed Church, Hull IA and is also broadcast on Monday evening at 7:00pm on Hull cable channel 12.

CONSISTORY:

ELDERS: Galen Breuer, Carolyn Goold (Clerk), Mike Mesman, Kevin Roozing, Rob Van't Land (Vice President), Todd Visscher

DEACONS: Tim Brunsting, Craig Moss (Chair of Deacons), Kyle Roelofs, Colin Sandbulte, Rick Tiedeman, Todd Woelber

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