

WORSHIP SERVICE
AUSTINVILLE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH
January 22, 2023

Sunday Service 9:30 a.m.

Scripture: Matthew 5:31-32

Title: Divorce

Songs: 753, 257, 900, 224

God's Will: Ephesians 5:22-23

Today

Nursery: Cindy

God's Will: Carolyn

Greeters: Ron Karsjens

Next Sunday

Nursery: Martha

God's Will: Dale S.

Greeters: Pat Kole

TODAY

Welcome to all who have joined us for worship today.

Offering: Today's offering will go to the Maintenance Fund. Next week's offering is for the Memorial Park Cemetery.

Please Stay for fellowship time right after worship.

Sunday School: There will be Adult and Children's Sunday school today at 11:00.

THIS WEEK

180: The High School group 180 meets Sunday 6 - 8 pm at the Student Connection building in Aplington.

Early Herd: 3:30-5:30. **Herd:** 6:00-8:00 There will be spaghetti and breadsticks at the AEPC starting at 5:00.

AWANA: Wednesday at 6:20.

Thursday: Ladies' Bible Study at 7pm.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **BULLETIN:** If you need items in the bulletin, leave a message on Martha's cell phone (515) 681-4950, email at mkarsjens@agwsr.org or put items in her church mailbox.

- **Auditors:** Council has appointed Dan Abbas and Dan Karsjens to be the auditors for the financial records. Treasurers, please create your 2022 year end financial report along with a copy of your year end bank statement and give it to either an auditor or Doyle. Thank you!
- **Kid Quest:** Michael's term as a committee member for Kid Quest is coming to an end. If anyone is interested in serving as an Austinville representative, please contact Michael.
- **The Pleasant Valley Reformed Church** will host its annual Chili, Oyster, and Beef Burger supper on January 23rd at the Grundy Center Community Center from 4:30 to 7:00pm. Cost is \$9.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children (ages 5-12). Children ages 4 and under eat free.
- **Thank you:** Alvin and Betty would like to thank everyone for the calls, prayers, and cards during the Christmas Season. They want to say a special thank you to Jason Koop for all his help and all that he does for them. They request additional prayers for Alvin as decisions will need to be made about treatment.
- **Dennis Hippen:** Room #101, 201 E. "J" Ave, Grundy Center. IA 50638
- **Thank you:** Elmar would like to thank everyone who sent him a card during the Christmas Holiday.
- **VBS:** We are looking for anyone who would be interested in helping out on the VBS committee.
- **Thank you:** We would like to offer everyone our heartfelt "Thanks" for the kindness shown to our family with the passing of our beloved daughter, sister, and aunt, Laura Hippen. Thank you for all the well wishes, cards, meals, thoughts, prayers, and visits during this difficult time. It has meant so much to all of us. Thank you, as well, for the continued thoughts and prayers for Dennis during his extended rehab stay as he heals from his fractured leg as a result of his fall. Thank you again, Dennis and Evelyn Hippen, Mike and Wanda Hippen and family, Lisa Hippen, Lynn and Nick Seedorff and family, Matt Hippen and family.
- **Fundraiser:** Do you have a HEART for local youth? Show your LOVE to the Student Connection by collecting items from our Giving Tree for our weekly programs and special events throughout the year. Take a heart and bring back the items to this location. Gifts will be collected March 1st. Thanks for showing your support for this local ministry!
- Financial Reports:

	General Fund:	Maintenance Fund:
12/1/22	\$13,066.09	\$584.44
Inflows	\$12,349.80	\$423.00
Trans to Bldg	-\$2,500.00	\$2,500.00
Outflows	-\$16,036.17	-\$3,040.93
12/31/22	\$7,779.72	\$466.51

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- Prayers for Ben Vessely that they can find out why he is having numbness.
- Prayers for Phyllis, she is scheduled for colon surgery on March 1st. Pray that all goes well and she may soon be up and about again.
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