

WORSHIP SERVICES
AUSTINVILLE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH
August 18, 2019
Pastor: Rev. Norm Underland

Morning Service 9:30 a.m.

Scripture: Gen 4:1-16
Title: **The Beast Within**
Songs: R721, R727, R583, R590
God's Will: 1 Cor 1:5-10

Evening Service 6 p.m.

Scripture: John 8:1-11
Title: **A Line In The Sand**
Songs: B28, B196, R944
Statement of Faith:
Apostles Creed

Today

Nursery: Martha
Greeters: Dale, Phyllis and Marcia
God's Will: Dennis
Song Leader: Phyllis

Next Sunday

Nursery: Cindy
Greeters: Leo and Mary
God's Will: Dale S.
Song Leader: Dennis

Welcome to all who have joined us for worship today. We pray God's blessing on the Word that is spoken. After the morning service, all are invited downstairs for coffee and fellowship time. Special "Thank you" to Pastor Frank who is helping lead our morning service today, and Dawson Ackerman for leading our evening service.

Our Special Offering today will be for Timothy Christian School. Next Sunday our special offering will be for the Maintenance Fund.

Next week: During our morning service Pastor Norm will be back and taking us through John 7:32-44. During our evening service we will be looking at Israel's return from exile.

This Week

Sunday, 9:00 to 9:15 a.m. - Prayer Time in the Council Room
Sunday, 7:00 p.m. Community Prayer Meeting at Aplington Baptist Church
Wednesday 6:30 p.m. - Men's Prayer Group at Voss Studio
Saturday, 6:30 p.m. - End of Summer Game Night here at the church

Announcements

- **Ice cream social:** Thank you so much to everyone who helped make our Ice Cream Social a night of fun and fellowship.
- **Bethel Reformed Basketball:** Saturday, August 24th from 6-7:30 PM

- **Student Connection Commitment:** Remember, the special offering this month is for Student Connection. We pledge \$3,000 annually to this local mission. To date, our offering total is \$1,430. If you have not given, please mark your gift and put it in the offering plate today or next week. Thank you!
- **Missions Sunday September 29th:** The Sytsmas will be visiting us in September and need a place to stay Saturday night the 28th. If you are willing and able to host them please let Pastor Norm know so we can make arrangements.
- **Let's get together for an "end of the summer fun night"!** A night of games, fun and fellowship is being planned for Saturday, August 24, 6:30 p.m. here at the church. If you have a favorite board game...bring it! If you make homemade ice cream, please make a batch to share. If you want to bring something that goes well with a bowl of ice cream (brownies, cookies, chocolate/carmel/strawberry topping, nuts, mini chocolate chips...) bring it. OR just bring yourself and plan to have fun! There may even be a chance to prove your awesomeness at a bean-bag tournament so this is a fun night you won't want to miss!!
- **Community Prayer Meetings:** School is starting soon and in preparation the Aplington Ministerial Association is hosting a series of Prayer Meetings the next few weeks on Sunday evenings starting at 7pm. Tonight will be at Aplington Baptist Church and next Sunday will be here at Austinville. See flyer in lobby for more dates and locations.
- **Awana Leader Meeting:** Wednesday, September 4, 6:30 p.m. at Aplington Baptist Church. If you would like to help with Awana this year, speak to Doyle, Janna, Elaine or Liz.
- **Awana Kickoff:** Wednesday, September 11, 6:30 p.m. at Aplington Baptist Church. Come for games and get signed up for another great year of hearing and learning God's Word, playing games and spending time with friends.

Prayer Concerns:

- Pray for all of those who are part of our Austinville family but not able to attend services with us regularly.
- Students, teachers, and administrators: School starts this Friday the 23rd for many of our kids. Prayers for a smooth start to the year, safe travels as parents start shuttling kids from school, and buses run again.
- Prayer for Betty Pott as she continues to recover from her stroke last week.
- Janet Robinson had more tests and to meet with her oncologist Friday in Ames. Pray for strength and healing for Janet.