

WORSHIP SERVICES
AUSTINVILLE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH
December 31, 2017
Pastor Jonathan Spronk

Morning Service 9:30 a.m.

Scripture: Matthew 28:17-20
Title: **Going Forward**
Songs: 92, 76, 93, 590

Today

Nursery: Terri
Greeters: Elsie and Lois
Song Leader: No evening service

Evening Service 6:00 p.m.

Scripture:
Title: **No evening service**
Songs:

Next Sunday

Nursery: Marina
Greeters: Fred and Eunice
Song Leader: Janna

December Memory Verse: For to us a child is born, to us a son is given, and the government will be on his shoulders. And he will be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace. Isaiah 9:6

Welcome to all who have joined us for worship. We pray God's blessing on the Word that is spoken. Thank you to Dale Janssen for leading our worship this morning. Please join us for coffee and fellowship downstairs after the morning service. There will be no evening service.

Our special offering will be for Memorial Park Cemetery. Next week Sunday our special offering and Sunday School offering will be for Iowa Right to Life.

This Week

Sunday, 9:00 to 9:15 a.m. - Prayer Time in the Council Room

Wednesday, 6:30 a.m. - Men's Prayer Group at Voss Studio

Wednesday, 6:20 p.m. - AWANA

Announcements

Pastor Jon and family will be on vacation from Dec. 26 – Jan. 1. Please contact a member of the council if a need arises. Next Sunday, Dale Janssen will be leading our morning service. There will be no evening service.

Our New Year's Service will be January 7.

Pastor Jon's last Sunday will be January 14. On that Sunday we will have a noon potluck followed by the 1PM afternoon service. We will also celebrate communion that Sunday.

Timothy Christian Spec'n Dicken Meal will be Monday, January 8 serving from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. at the Parkersburg Veterans Building (101 Colfax Street). Please join us for authentic German pancakes served with applesauce and a drink. Sugar-free syrup will be available. Free-will donation. We hope to see you there.

Kidquest has a Wish List Tree in our entryway. There are ornaments with different gifts for each classroom. Please take an ornament and then return it with the item you purchased and place it under the table by the tree. The ornament should be taped to your gift and **returned by Sunday, January 14th**.

Our Church Family

Florence Oelmann will be celebrating her 90th birthday on December 25th. Her family is requesting a card shower to honor this milestone. Her address is: 343 Parriott #17 – Aplington – 50604

New address for Fred and Eunice Bolhuis: 608 10th St. – PO Box 365 – Aplington, 50604
Phone: 319-347-2374

Please be in prayer for Pastor Jon, Keri and family as the packing and transition must begin to their new calling in Oskaloosa. As a congregation, may we also pray for the man whom God is calling to be our next pastor. God has always been faithful to our church and we trust in his guidance into this new year.

*Yet this I call to mind
and therefore I have hope:
Because of the Lord's great love
we are not consumed,
for his compassions never fail.
They are new every morning;
great is your faithfulness.
Lamentations 3:21-23*

