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**GREETERS & COFFEE SERVERS**

*(After the morning service)*

TODAY: 5B – Sou & Mindy B

APR 07: 6A - Jerry & Deb V

**SOUND/PROJECTION**

TODAY: Ian H & Teigen DK

APR 07: Jerry V & Dave E

**NURSERY**

TODAY: AM - Amber V, Kaily VH,

Tucker H, Alexis H

PM - Leandra H, Ella B

APR 07: AM - Mindy B, Avery VH,

Ian H, Weston R

PM – Andrea W, Landon DS

**USHERS**

TODAY: Nathan B, Jeremy H, Evan W

APRIL: Aldie A, Scott B, Jacob V

**CHILDREN & WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

Children (3yrs old – PK) will be dismissed for C & W following the prayer of confession Your child(ren) will meet the helpers in the back of the sanctuary and walk together to the classroom. Please pick up your child(ren) at Room 9 after the service. If your child is not ready to participate right when they turn three, they are welcome to join anytime throughout the year. To avoid distractions during our worship time, please have your child(ren) leave their personal belongings with you. We ask that your child is potty trained before they attend class. If this is a concern for you, please talk to Rachel Verwolf and she will work with you to make a plan that is best for your child.

TODAY: *EASTER BREAK*

APR 07: #35 Jesus The King (pg 186)

Helpers – Kristi T, Jasmine, Sarah

**OFFERING SCHEDULE**

*Offerings can be mailed to: Hope CRC, PO Box 580, Hull, IA 51239*

TODAY: AM 1<sup>st</sup> General Fund 2<sup>nd</sup> – Mark & JinHee Klompjen PM – Hull Christian School

APR 07: AM 1<sup>st</sup> General Fund 2<sup>nd</sup> – Hope Education Fund PM – Hope Haven



***Hope Council Members 2023-2024***

ELDERS: Dar Boer, Dan Bosma, Joe Dirksen, Shawn De Stigter, Heath Oostenink, Randy Ten Pas, Cal Van Der Zwaag  
DEACONS: Matt Boer, Brian Fykstra, Drew Heynen, Matt Roetman, Mike Van Otterloo, Scott West

## **Easter Morning Worship Service**

Leading Worship: Pastor Keith Hoekstra ~ Accompanist: Melissa Boer

### **God Gathers Us for Worship**

- \*Opening Song of Praise: “Jesus Saves” (song sheet)
- \*Welcome and Call to Worship
- \*God’s Greeting and Mutual Greeting
- \*Song of Praise: “See What a Morning” (song sheet)

### **God Reminds Us Who We Are in Him**

Announcements and Updates

The Hope of Easter Morning - John 20:1-11

Song of Promise: “Before the Throne of God Above” (CSW 28 vs 1&3)

(No Children in Worship today-Easter Break)

We Join in Prayer for One Another

### **God Speaks to Us Through His Word**

\*Song of Preparation: “In Christ Alone” (CSW 20 all)

Scripture: Acts 1:1-11

Prayer of Preparation

Message: The Hope of His Glory - (Series Humiliation to Glorification)

Prayer of Application

We Give our Offerings for God’s Work- (When the music starts, Sunday School Children please come up to help us sing together the song, “The Name of the Lord”)

\*Song of Application: “Mighty is Our God” (CH 48)

### **God Sends Us to Serve with His Blessing**

\*God’s Blessing

\*Closing Song: “Oh How Good is Christ the Lord” (PH 401)

\*Postlude

Sermon Notes:

## **Evening Worship Service**

Leading Worship: Pastor Steve Boersma ~ Accompanist: Melissa boer

### **God Prepares our Hearts for Worship**

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Hope Family Favorite Song Selected by: John Kooiker

“And Can It Be” (PH 276 all verses)

“It expresses the amazing love of God for me, an undeserving sinner. I also really like the bass notes.”

### **God Draws Us to Himself**

\*Call to Worship – Taken from Romans 6:13 and Galatians 2:20 (Please read responsively):

Pastor: Do not offer the parts of your body to sin, as instruments of wickedness, but rather offer yourselves to God, as those who have been brought from death to life; and offer the parts of your body to him as instruments of righteousness.

**People: I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me.**

\*God’s Greeting - Revelation 1:4-5

\*Profession of Faith – Heidelberg Catechism, question and answer #57

Congregational prayer

### **God Speaks to Us through His Word**

\*Song of Preparation: “The Glorious Gates of Righteousness” (PH 179 1,3,5)

Scripture Passage: 1 Corinthians 15:12-22 and 50-58

Prayer of Preparation

Message: What If There is No Resurrection

Prayer of Application

### **God Sends Us to Serve and Bless**

Offering given for God’s Work at Hull Christian School

\*Song of Application: “Alleluia! Sing to Jesus” (PH 406 1&3)

\*God’s Blessing – Hebrews 13:20-21

\*Closing Song: “For All the Saints” (PH 505 vs 1)

\*Postlude

Sermon Notes:

\*Please note that the cross will be having 3 different colors draped on it the next couple weeks until Easter. Here are the meanings behind each color:

**The Purple Cloth Drape** that you saw is the symbolic color of royalty and is placed on the cross for Palm Sunday, the day Jesus Christ entered Jerusalem as a King riding a donkey. The purple cloth represents Christ as King, reminding us that Christ is our Savior and King, and we are mere mortals saved only by His grace and mercy.

**The Black Cloth Drape** that you saw for Maundy Thursday and Good Friday represents the death of Christ on the cross for our sins. The black cloth also represents the mockery, suffering, and crucifixion that Christ endured for our sake.

**The White Cloth Drape** that you see on Easter Sunday represents the resurrection of Christ and that He was raised again for our justification! The White Cloth represents joy, light, innocence, purity, triumph, glory, and victory over sin and death!

#### THIS WEEK

**Council Meeting:** Monday, April 1 @ 7:00pm & 8:15pm

**Coffee Break:** Wednesday, April 3 @ 9:50am. Easter Study, Lesson 4

**Hope Auction:** Wednesday, April 3 - Dinner @ 5:00pm, Auction @6:30pm

**Justice for All:** We will be sorting clothes Thursday, April 4. If you would like to help and are willing to drive or need a ride. Contact Jean at 439-2548.

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Easter Sunday:** There will be no “Children & Worship” and no “Sunday School” today.

**Hope Auction:** Just a friendly reminder to please bring in your donation items as soon as possible.

**Mark your Calendar for Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup>** - We are having a **Hope Potluck Dinner!** Please Bring 1 Hot Meat Dish and 1 Cold Dish. Singles need only to take 1 Dish of your choosing. No need to bring dessert!!! Dessert will be provided! Plates, silverware, and drink provided as well! We look forward to an afternoon of fun and fellowship.... and of course Good Food!!

# Hope Christian Reformed Church

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*EASTER SUNDAY*

**March 31, 2024**

Morning Service 9:30am

Evening Service 6:00pm

*Who, being in very nature God,  
did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage;  
rather, he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant,  
being made in human likeness.  
And being found in appearance as a man,  
he humbled himself by becoming obedient to death—even death on a cross!  
Philippians 2:6-8*

#### HOPE CRC FAMILY PRAISE AND PRAYER CONCERNS

- Jan Van Soelen is progressing with her therapy at the Care Center in Sioux Center. Short visits in the afternoon work best. Room is Sycamore 619.
- We pray for those who have ongoing health concerns for which they are seeking healing and relief.
- We pray for all of those who are continuing with treatment for cancer.
- We rejoice and continue to pray for those who are recovering from surgery.
- Pray for those who mourn, who have lost those whom they loved and miss.
- Pray for all who are struggling with an addiction, emotional hurt, depression, anxiety, and mental illness.
- Pray for our families, our marriages, that God would strengthen them, guide them, and be honored in them.
- Pray for those who cannot join us in worship, that they would be comforted and feel close to the congregation.
- We pray for those serving our communities in law enforcement, emergency services, fire department, and those who serve our country in the armed forces.

## *Welcome to Hope Christian Reformed Church!*

- ❖ You may view our Sunday church services on YouTube beginning at 9:25 am and 5:55 pm and anytime thereafter or on Channel 12 at 10:00 am and 11:15 am on Monday.
- ❖ Nursery is available for ages 0-2yrs during the morning and evening services.
- ❖ Coffee Fellowship takes place after the morning service.
- ❖ We have Sunday School for grades K-12 immediately following the service.
- ❖ Please send bulletin announcements to [hopecrchullsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:hopecrchullsecretary@gmail.com) by Thursday morning.
- ❖ If you would like to receive church emails, please contact [hopecrchullsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:hopecrchullsecretary@gmail.com)
- ❖ If you have any prayer requests, email them to [hopecrchull@gmail.com](mailto:hopecrchull@gmail.com) or contact Pastor Keith or another elder.
- ❖ If you wish to use the church building for an event, please contact the office secretary, Janine Christensen by email: [hopecrchullsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:hopecrchullsecretary@gmail.com) with the details. Thank you.

### WORSHIP NOTES

We welcome you to worship this week. We are glad you are worshipping with us. Today we celebrate Resurrection Sunday, rejoicing in His victory over sin and death.

In the morning we conclude our series "Humiliation to Glorification" drawing us to the celebration of Easter, we conclude with the glorification of Christ. We will open God's Word to Acts 1:1-11. He rose from the dead we are given the joy of hope that we one day will join Him in resurrection and in His glory.

In the evening we invite you to join us as we welcome Rev Steve Boersma in leading our worship. He will lead us in worship looking at several verses in 1 Corinthians 15. In looking at those verses together we will consider the question, "what if there is no resurrection?"

We praise God that He has called us to worship Him in joy and in fellowship!

## *Lilies are placed in church today in memory of those we loved.*

Martin & Sandy Nielsen	in memory of Arnold & Lois Nielsen, Loren Van Otterloo
John & Past Haverman	in memory of their parents
Art & Margaret Van Otterloo	in memory of Loren Van Otterloo
Dar & Emily Boer & Family	in memory of John & Evelyn Van Leeuwen, Lyla Boer
Jerry & Deb Verhoef	in memory of Robert & Jolene Hofmeyer, Neal & Cornelia Verhoef
Ole & Mary Lund	in memory of Mike, Wilma & Dan Baker, Merle & Millie Lund
Dave & Donna Hoekstra	in memory of parents: George Burgers, Donald & Margaret Hoekstra
Mel & Kathy Te Slaa	in memory of Gerrit & Jean Oldenkamp, Bernie & Theresa Te Slaa, John Schiebout
Glen & Marg Hulstein	in memory of Gerrit & Jean Oldenkamp, Steven & Hermina Hulstein
Dave & Melinda Eekhoff	in memory of Harold Jacobsma, Thelma Eekhoff, Alan Eekhoff