

Lord's Day – January 14, 2018

"And my God shall supply all your need according to His riches in glory by Jesus Christ. Now to our God and Father be glory forever and ever. Amen." Philippians 4: 19, 20

Prelude.....Preparation & Prayer for Worship

Order of Worship

- *Call to Worship
- *Salutation
- *Invocation
- *Gloria Patri {p. 735}

The Apostles' Creed.....On Back of Bulletin

Responsive Reading.....Psalm 141 p. 858

***Hymn: Under the care of my God the Almighty.....84**

The Heidelberg Catechism.....Lord's Day 2 p. 862

Hope Church Family Offerings & Tithes of Thanksgiving

Church Family Prayer

***Hymn: Jesus, keep me near the cross.....264**

Scripture Reading: **Mark 12: 38 – 44 {41-44}**

Sermon: A sincere "heart-check" from a widow's mite!

****The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper**

Hymn: Take my life and let it be.....585

- *Benediction
- *Doxology {New Trinity Hymnal – {p. 731}
- *Congregation Standing

****TODAY we are celebrating the sacrament of the Lord's Supper.** According to Scripture, elders are responsible for the oversight of members, including their participation in the Lord's Supper. {Acts 20:28; Heb. 13: 17; I Cor 11: 23-34}

All visitors & friends of Hope Reformed Church, who, expressing the same Christian faith concerning this sacrament; and who are in good and regular standing with their home church, are asked also, as part of this biblical oversight, to speak with an elder that you may receive proper oversight & participate with us in this joyful proclamation of the Lord's redeeming work!

Welcome to one and all!

May our Lord make His face shine upon you and be gracious to you; May He lift up His countenance upon you, and give you peace!

Announcements & Activities!

- **Wednesday** - Youth Fellowship & Bible Study – 7: 00 PM
- **Jan. 21st** - We will have a Sunday S. meeting during S. School.

There will be no Children classes today – There will be a short lesson and then discussion, as well as some sort of an organizational set up time.

- **Mon. Jan. 22-Annual Congregational Meeting @ 7:00 PM**
Please review the agenda and accompanying reports

Jan. 28th – Lincoln Apt. Service – 2: 00 PM
~ Remember our Sunday Potluck Meal too~

March 12 & 13!!!! Hope Reformed Church has the privilege of hosting the Northern Plains Classis Meeting! If anyone wishes to house a delegate or two for these days, please let pastor Henderson know – Thanks!

Please note some of the other decisions made by your Elders:
SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFERING

- **From January through June** the Sunday school offerings will help go toward the "window project" for Hope's 105 Lakeview Ave parsonage.
- **From July through December**, we will continue building up our Diaconal Fund. Thank you for your cheerful giving to God, as He blesses your labors.

SECOND OFFERING SUNDAY

- Seeing that this practice on the last Sunday of the month to help us with our Synod/Classis dues has been very fruitful, we will continue this practice in 2018! **AGAIN, THANK-YOU** so much for your giving unto the Lord's work!

HOPE'S ELDER REPRESENTATIVES/DELEGATES FOR 2018

- Elder Primarius: Matt Fickbohm
- Elder Secundus: Brian Davis

GREETERS UNITE!

- Anyone who is interested in serving as a greeter for Hope on a rotational basis, please sign the list in Fellowship Hall. Let us all expect our God to hear our prayers to add to His church; & therefore be ready to greet whomever our Lord brings into our church family.

~PRAYING TO OUR FATHER MATTERS~

- THANK YOU LORD FOR CONTINUED STRENGTH AND MERCY FOR DENNIS & PATTY AS THEY DEAL WITH THE LEGAL ISSUES!
 - THANK YOU LORD FOR SUSTAINING MERCIES AS DARLA & ALAN CARE FOR DARLA'S MOTHER, DARLENE.
 - THANK YOU LORD FOR THY BLESSED PROVISIONS FOR ALL OF OUR WIDOWS HERE, AND THROUGHOUT THY BELOVED CHURCH FAMILY!
 - THANK YOU LORD FOR THY STRENGTHENING AID & COMFORT FOR REV. WES BRICE & HIS WIFE GINGER, AS WES HAS BEEN DIAGNOSED FOR INOPERABLE LIVER CANCER, AND CONTINUES WITH CHEMOTHERAPY.
 - THANK YOU O FATHER FOR PROVIDING MINISTERS TO CONTINUE ON THE WORK THERE IN DICKENSON, AS WES IS AILING AT THIS TIME.
 - THANK YOU LORD FOR PRESERVING, PROVIDING, AND HELPING PASTOR-ELECT, MICHAEL LASSLEY & FAMILY AS THEY MAKE THEIR TRANSITION TO WATERTOWN, AS GRACE'S NEW PASTOR! THEIR HOUSE CLOSED ON THE 2ND OF JAN., AND HOPEFULLY THEY WILL BE IN THEIR NEW HOME IN WATERTOWN BY THE 16TH!
 - CONTINUE TO BLESS AND PROSPER OUR REMAINING FAMILY VISITATIONS
{A & D FICKBOHM - D & P MUSER & MRS. IRENE OLIVIER}
- GRANT US WHAT WE STAND IN NEED OF TO SERVE FAITHFULLY THE DELEGATES OF THE NORTHERN PLAINS CLASSIS AS THEY MEET HERE - MARCH 12TH & 13TH!
- O GOD, OUR GOD, BE PLEASED TO PROTECT, SUSTAIN, AND PRESERVE THIS NATION AND THE LEADERS WHO RULE OVER US. HUMBLE THEM ALL AND GRANT THEM A TRUE SENSE OF THEIR RESPONSIBILITY BEFORE YOU!
 - ESPECIALLY PROVIDE FOR, HUMBLE, AND GUIDE OUR SOUTH DAKOTA LEADERS WHO BEGIN THEIR LABORS!