

Hopkins Community Reformed Church

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Pastor ~ Rev. Mark Kamper

October 4, 2009

Prelude "Wonderful, Merciful Savior"

Welcome and Opening Prayer

***Meet and Greet**

***Worship in Song**

"Everlasting God"
"There is Joy in the Lord"
"The Wonderful Cross"

**Congregational Prayer
Announcements and Prayer Concerns**

Presentation of Offerings

Prayer for the Offering Eric Bair

***Song** "You Are My All in All"

Prayer for the Message Gracia Stob

Text: Jonah Chapter 4

Sermon: "The Worm Is Not The Problem"

Communion

***Benediction**

***Song** "Change My Heart, O God"

**Please stand if you are able*

Weekly Calendar

Oct 4-10, 2009

Sunday

9:10 am— Sunday School
10:30 am— Sunday Worship
6:00 pm— DV8

Monday

8:45 am— Bible Study

Wednesday

6:00 pm— Prayer
6:30 pm— Choir
7:30 pm— Band

Thursday

9:30 am— MOMS Group
6:00 pm— Girl Scouts

Friday

6:00 pm-- Girl Scouts (YB)

Saturday

SR High Retreat

OFFICE HOURS

**Pastor Mark:
(Vacation)**

**Kathy:
M-T
9:30-2:30 pm
Friday
9:30-4:00 pm**

Ushers

Bill Snoeyink, Paul Lodenstein, Nick Schwartz, Paul Smit

Deacons

Oct 4: Eric, Mike M, Al

Oct 11: Mike M, Al, Dave

Nursery Volunteers

Oct 4: Sally and Mykel Hoffmaster, Terri and Amber Klaver

Oct 11: Cherie Larr, Cindy Lowman, Alyssa McLaughlin

WOW (Walk Out Worship)

Oct 4: Autumn Kraima (Ben and Nick VanderKlipp)

Oct 11: Tamie Pavlak (Nicole Pavlak and Haley Gilder)

Social Committee for OCTOBER

Contact Person: June Krug

Jill Collier, Diane Kerber, Terri Maule, Cindy Pike, Terry Ratliff, Angie Teunissen

Sunday Coffee Fellowship

Oct 4: Brian and Rhonda Popma

Nick and Emily Schwartz, Jon and Angie Teunissen, Curt and Kammy Leep

Oct 11: Dave and Cindy Lowman

Gary and Diane Kerber, Tony and Ronna Arndt, Doug and Sally Hoffmaster

PRAYER, PRAISE & THANKSGIVING

*if you have a prayer request, praise or thanksgiving you would like to share, please see Pastor Mark or Kathy in the office

Al Westendorp (Kathy Westendorp's father-in-law)— thanksgiving that the kidney surgery went well on Monday! He was able to return home on Friday.

Those who have cancer and have had procedures/surgery recently:

- **Bob Elenbaas** (Dave Kukor's uncle)
- **Kathy Green** (Sonny Green's sister)
- **Michelle Bryant**
(sister to Sandy Stearns)

Lighthouse RelationSHIPS

Weekly Card Ministry

Jim and Beth Harrison

*~ Please sign the greeting card
on the back table*

OFFERINGS RECEIVED September 27, 2009

General Fund~	
Actual:	\$3,420.05
Budget:	\$4,044.32
Building Fund~	
Actual:	\$ 835.00
Budget:	\$1,257.48

Our Church Family

Pastor Mark will be on vacation from October 5-11. If a need arises during this time, you are encouraged to contact one of the Elders.

The Ladies For The Lord group will be hosting a Beef Stew Dinner next week Sunday following the service. All are invited for a great time of food and fellowship! Donations are appreciated and are used for a variety of church-related ministries throughout the year. Thank you!

80th Birthday: Dorothy Morton will be celebrating her 80th birthday on Sunday, October 11 with a card shower and birthday cake. Everyone is invited and welcome to stay after the LFTL dinner to enjoy some cake with Dorothy.

**** Truth Project leaders please check for any missing DVDs!**

New Adult Sunday School Class: we have room for more people if you are still interested; every week is different so you can jump in anytime. We are looking at how teaching our children about Jesus begins at home. We meet in the multi-purpose room at 9:10 am on Sunday mornings. Bring your own personal Bible and if you have kids JR High age or younger, we would love to have you! Any questions please call Carol Boverhof (269-793-0216).

Bulletin Board Display: if there are any Ministry Teams, Small Groups, etc. who would like to share what they are doing within the church and congregation, please feel free to use the bulletin board by the library. We have been using it as a "Getting To Know You" ministry but there could be many other uses for it. Please contact Cindy Hoffmaster about using the board.

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Harvest Party Committee: the Harvest Party will be held on Saturday, October 31 and we need you! The committee could use a couple more people to help plan this event, help set up and assemble the games, and to share great ideas! There are only two meetings to attend and the day of the event. If you are interested in helping please see or contact Wendi Vandenberg (269-793-7728) or Ben Kukor (269-793-0119).

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