



# Brookside

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**April 5, 2009**

**EVENING WORSHIP**

**6:00 P.M.**

## **GATHERING WITH JOY**

**Prelude**

**Welcome**

**\*Call to worship**

Leader: We give thanks to you, God our Father, for mercy that reaches out, for patience that waits our returning, for your love that is ever ready to welcome sinners.

People: **We praise you that in Jesus Christ you came to us with forgiveness, and that by your Holy Spirit, you move us to repent and receive your love.**

Leader: Though we are sinners, you are faithful and worthy of all praise!

People: **We praise you, great God, in Jesus Christ our Lord!**

**\*Opening hymn #237 "We Praise You, O God"**

**\*God's greeting and greeting each other**

**\*Hymn #8:1,2 "Lord, Our Lord, Your Glorious Name"**

## **OPENING OURSELVES TO GOD**

**Scripture readings: 2 Corinthians 11:23b-28; I Corinthians 9:24-27**

**Prayer**

**Hymn #291:1,5 "May the Mind of Christ, My Savior"**

**Evening prayer**

## **HEARING GOD'S WORD**

**Scripture: 2 Timothy 4:1-8 (page 1091)**

**Message: *Rewards by Faith***

## RESPONDING IN FAITH AND SERVICE

**\*Hymn of response #291:1,2,4,5 “May the Mind of Christ My Savior”**

(verses 1 and 5 – all; verse 2 – women; verse 4 – men)

**Our gifts to the Lord:** CRC Home Missions—Home Missions provides leadership assistance for evangelism and discipleship to all classes and congregations of the Christian Reformed Church, so that every CRC church, ministry, and member follows Christ in reconciling the world to God.

**Offertory**

**\*God's blessing**

**\*Closing song #638 “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”**

**Postlude**

\* - stand, if you are able

Preaching: Pastor Paul DeVries; Organist: Bev Becksvoot;  
Pianist: Mary Douma; Reader: Lisa Garvelink



Hearing Loop System available.