

## **PRAYER ITEMS AND CONGREGATIONAL LIFE**

We express our sympathy to **Bev Brouwer and her family** at the loss of a dear brother-in-law, **Robert Dysthe**, of Chandler, MN. His Memorial service is tomorrow morning at 10:30 a.m. in the Chandler Reformed Church. (Visitation today from 4 – 7 pm at the church.)

## **LIFTING LAMBS TO THE SHEPHERD**

Larry & Shyla Stanley ~ Tyler, Tayla Harv & Gloria Van Oort  
Cody & Amber Stange ~ Melody, Tatum

**Young Adult of the Week ~ Max Meyers** is serving our country in the Air Force and is stationed at Offutt Air Force Base near Omaha. If you wish to correspond - His e-mail is **maxmeyers54@gmail.com**

**WCHS FFA 'Flowers' Fundraiser**– Bring your own container by April 30, or hanging baskets/individual plants available on May 5 – 6. More details on purple half sheet on Literature table.

**MONUMENTAL ~ Celebrating God's Greatness** is the Theme for **VBS** from **June 6 – 10** (for kids Pre-school - 8<sup>th</sup> grade). Register at [www.sanbornfrc.org](http://www.sanbornfrc.org)

Student Link:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeqGsdwRzvwOO1FPs9Un9MjdAOpGgnAUvHO\\_G-COFBRaLQXQ/viewform?usp=pp\\_url](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSeqGsdwRzvwOO1FPs9Un9MjdAOpGgnAUvHO_G-COFBRaLQXQ/viewform?usp=pp_url)

Volunteer Link:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfR8A7i7dwp\\_S7aDnANneZfrsxRg-tKxNGuywMJKolPfDY0Tw/viewform?usp=pp\\_url](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfR8A7i7dwp_S7aDnANneZfrsxRg-tKxNGuywMJKolPfDY0Tw/viewform?usp=pp_url)

**Village Northwest's** "Run, Walk, Roll" will be held Sat., June 4, beginning at 9 AM. Up until May 1 cost is \$25 - then \$35. Register at [www.villagenorthwest.org](http://www.villagenorthwest.org)

**If God had wanted a permissive society,  
He would have given us the  
Ten Suggestions**

**We warmly welcome all who have come to worship with us today. The ALS system is available for those with hearing impairments**

## **WORSHIP NOTES**

**Jamie Negus**, A student at the Sioux Falls Seminary who is supported by Heartland Classis, will lead us in worship today. **Pastor Westra** has been at the "Together for the Gospel" Conference in Louisville, KY.

**Barry Miedema**, who exhorts in Classis Iakota, will lead us in our 5 PM worship service next Sunday, May 1.

## **CONGREGATIONAL NOTES**

**CES (Fair Share)** - \$22,000 needed to fulfill our commitment for the 2021-22 School year. (by June 30) Prayerfully consider this need.

**Ladies Bible Fellowship** Tuesday at 1:30. Please prepare Lesson 6 from I Corinthians 12:31b-14:40.

**Evangelism Committee** ~ Food Drive for **Love, INC's** Personal Supply Closet and **U.D.M.O.** – Upper Des Moines Opportunity in Primghar. Both are in short supply. List of Items needed were in mailboxes/are on table.

The last day of Sunday School/Catechism classes will be May 15<sup>th</sup>. An **EDUCATION CELEBRATION** luncheon will immediately follow (11:45am) We will recognize our graduates during this special time as well! We hope you can join us!

**Bible League's** Spring Salad Luncheon is Monday, May 2 at 12 noon in our church. You are asked to bring one salad for every four people. Program includes announcements, a brief update on coming activities, and Pastor Westra's talk on Biovocational pastoring.

**Grandparent's Day and Spring Concert** ~ are scheduled for this **Friday, April 29!** This day will also feature our 8<sup>th</sup> grade science fair! Grandparents are welcome to arrive at 8:30 to watch the choir portion of the program OR if they plan to wait until the evening program then they are welcome to arrive just for the classroom visits. Classroom visits will be scheduled from 10:00-12:00. **Lunch for the grandparents will NOT be provided this year**, but coffee and cookies will be available in the cafeteria throughout the morning. The spring program is scheduled for the evening of April 29 in the school gym beginning at 7:00 pm.

## **ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Openings for 22.23 School Year** (contact Mr. Minderhoud at [sanchr@sanbornchristian.com](mailto:sanchr@sanbornchristian.com) for more information and/or for an application)

**1)** Full-time 4th Grade Teacher **2)** Jr. High Science and/or Math Teacher  
**3)** Part-time volunteer head librarian **4)** Part-time custodian - *due to the lack of interest from our society, we will be advertising outside of the SCS society. The possibility of some flexibility in the timing of cleaning during the school day is possible, if that is of more interest.*

Prayerfully consider giving to the **Western's Spring Building Fund Debt Reduction Drive**. Information in the Spring Western Witness. If you have any questions, please contact Brad Vis at 605-359-5704 or [brad.vis@westernchristianhs.com](mailto:brad.vis@westernchristianhs.com)

### **Western Christian Employment Opportunities**

**Math/Science Teacher** for the 2022-2023 school year

**Part-time Custodial Workers** - These roles would include 3-4 hours daily, while school is in session, some summer hours if desired.

**Bus Drivers** - finding new drivers is a significant need for Western Christian. Morning and/or afternoon routes. Prayerfully consider the following and contact Head Administrator, Mr. Brian Verwolf, for info/how to apply: [brian.verwolf@westernchristianhs.com](mailto:brian.verwolf@westernchristianhs.com)

**Hope Haven** is hosting a **concert**, featuring the **Duttons** (popular family-friendly Branson, MO show), on Sat., April 30 at 6:30 p.m. at Dordt University's B.J. Haan. Tickets are \$20 or \$50 for a family. Visit [hopehaven.org](http://hopehaven.org) for more information.

The Sioux County Oratorio Chorus, joined by Northwestern College's A Cappella Choir, will be presenting **Mendelssohn's Elijah** on Saturday, April 30 at 7:30pm in Christ Chapel at Northwestern College. Tickets are \$12 in advance/\$15 at the door for adults and \$5 for students. Or buy tickets at Evie's Hallmark, Dordt's music office, or from SCOC members.

The Bible says that everything in nature, no matter how big, small, or even slimy, can teach us something about God. That's because he made everything with a purpose and he made a plan for all things. Listen now at [kidscorner.net](http://kidscorner.net)

## **Calling/Visiting Senior Members ~ April 24 - 30**

Keven & Robin Van Meeteren (Sanborn)  
Kelly & Pam De Groot (Sheldon)

### **TODAY ~ April 24**

PPoint Amber Stange, Craig Solsma  
Video: Karter Van Meeteren  
Audio: Bob Oldenkamp  
Doors: AM Rich VW PM Lee R  
Nursery: Lindsey & Alivia K.  
Greeters: Nikki Boone/Amanda V.B.  
Scott Horstman/Shane Davis  
CIW: Jessica Schreurs, Linda O.  
Organ/Piano: AM/PM Starla R.  
Offering: AM Budget, Mission Fund  
PM Northern Lighthouse  
Hospitality: Jack & Carol Elgersma  
Jeromy & Paige De Kok  
Liz Elgersma

### **NEXT WEEK ~ May 1**

Brent Koldenhoven  
Jeri Prins  
Aaron Alons  
Ben Reitsma  
Ashley & Addison S.  
Cyle & Jamie Carlson  
Jeromy & Paige De Kok  
Jessica S., Robin V.M.  
AM Carol W. PM Joy V.W.  
AM Budget. CES (Fair Share)  
PM Benevolence  
Dale & Julie Elgersma  
Larry & Shyla Stanley  
Cory & Charity Verbrugge

Sunday 10:50 – 11:40 a.m. Sunday School and Catechism classes

**5:00 p.m.** Evening Worship Service  
6:15 p.m. Youth Group

Monday 7:00 p.m. Council Meeting

Tuesday 1:30 p.m. Ladies Bible Fellowship

Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Local VBS planning mtg (anyone welcome)

Friday 7:00 p.m. SCS Spring Concert in school gym  
(Detailed info about Grandparents Day was in the 'School Bell')

NEW on Lit. Table: F-Street newsletter, WCHS FFA Fundraiser info.

**THE LORD'S DAY – April 24, 2022**  
**MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 A.M.**  
Guest Pastor ~ Jamie Negus

**IN HIS PRESENCE**

Prelude: Starla Reitsma

Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship: *on power point*

\*Opening Prayer

\*God's Greeting: *on power point*

\*Song: "***Crown Him with Many Crowns***" Grey 410

**IN HIS GRACE**

God's Will for Our Lives and Prayer of Confession: *on power point*  
(moment of silent confession) before: We confess together. . .

Assurance of Pardon: *Psalm 130*

\*Song of Confession: "***God, Be Merciful to Me***" Grey 255

Storytime w/ Shannon – "*Morris, the Forgetful Monkey*"

Song: "***Lord, Listen to Your Children Praying***" LUYH 896

Congregational Prayer

Offerings: 1<sup>st</sup> - **Budget** 2<sup>nd</sup> – **Mission Fund**

Children's Offering – **Goats for World Renew**

3 – 6 year-olds ~ **CIW:** Lesson 37 "Jesus is Risen – Mary Magdalene"

**IN HIS WORD**

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: **Romans 7: 14 – 8: 1** (p 985)

Message: "**Struggling with Sin**"

Prayer of Application

**IN HIS SERVICE**

\*Song: "***Abide with Me***" LUYH 466

\*Parting Blessing: *Numbers 6: 24 - 26*

\*Doxology: "***Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow***" LUYH 965

\*Moment of Meditation

\*Postlude

\*stand if you are able

**THE LORD'S DAY –April 24, 2022**  
**EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 5:00 P.M.**  
Guest Pastor ~ Jamie Negus

**LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS TO GOD WITH PRAISE**

Prelude: Starla Reitsma

Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship:

**Leader:** May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of  
God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

**People: and also with you!** (2 Cor. 13:13)

\*Silent Prayer

\*God's Greeting:

**Leader:** It is good to praise the Lord and make music to your  
name, O Most High.

**People: to proclaim your love in the morning and your  
faithfulness at night!**

**LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS TO GOD WITH THANKSGIVING**

\*Songs of Praise: "***A Mighty Fortress Is Our God***" LUYH 776

"***Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty***" LUYH 536

\*Our Profession of Faith: Apostles' Creed (Grey p 813)

Congregational Prayer

Offering: **Northern Lighthouse**

**OPEN YOUR HEARTS TO HEAR GOD'S WORD**

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: **Exodus 12: 1 – 14, 21 – 24, 29 – 30** (p 58)

Message: "**The Foreshadowing of the Passover**"

Prayer of Application

**OFFER YOURSELVES TO GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART**

\*Song: "***Blessed Assurance, Jesus Is Mine***" Grey 490

\*Parting Blessing: *Psalm 72: 18 - 19*

\*Doxology: "***Praise God, from Whom all Blessings Flow***" LUYH 965

\*Postlude

\*stand if you are able