

PRAYER ITEMS AND CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

We ask that you remember the **6th Grade GEMS** in your prayers this week ~ Abbigail Carlson, Kallie Jederberg, Alexis Meyers, Aubreyanna Stallman, Kinley Sybesma, Emma Vander Berg, Ceyla Verbrugge, and Hannah Westra.

LIFTING LAMBS TO THE SHEPHERD

Randy & Teresa Van Dyke
Mike & Judy Visser
Bev Brouwer

Young Adult of the Week ~ Cole Verbrugge is attending the Palmer School of Chiropractic in Davenport. Notes to him may be placed in Cory & Charity Verbrugge's mailbox.

God Is Still Working - see how God remains active, even in the messiness of our lives. We'll discuss his providence and learn to look for it in the most unlikely circumstances of our lives. Listen now at **Groundworkonline.com**

God is Calling You - You have a role to play in God's big story--and God is calling you to submit your gifts, talents, and work to him right now. Check out all the great content at **kidscorner.net** Check out all the great content ~ like the The Bible in One Year Plan.

Family Fire - is an online community exploring Spirit-led family, marriage, parenting, in-laws, blended families, and intimacy. Find encouraging articles and devotions at **familyfire.com**

**We are not merely to serve Christ,
we are to be like Him**

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

WORSHIP NOTES

Sunday morning service - 9:30 a.m. Church Cable Channels, Both services on our Church's website sanbornrc.com and the YouTube link https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCd3_43l-0A8List-FOhhphg

Today we will be led in worship by **Mr. Dan Tracy**. Pastor Westra has a Classical appointment at the Ocheyedan CRC.

First Fruits committee --meet after the AM service in Pastor's study.

Our church will be leading the 2 PM Prairie View worship next Sunday.

CONGREGATIONAL NOTES

A New Book and Sermon Series: Don't forget to pick up a copy of the book *F.A.I.T.H. Unfolded* by Jim Oosterhouse (thin with a red cover by GEMS cards) as our morning sermons will be connected to chapters in this book. Note that we will not go through the chapters in chronological order. Read the whole book as you find time, or just read chapter 7 by Sunday, January 15th. --Pastor Phil

Sunday Evening Bible Study group will meet tonight at 6:15 p.m. Jerry & Carol Buteyn will lead Lesson 4 and provide lunch. You're welcome at any time to join in our study of Philippians.

Ladies Bible Fellowship meets this Tuesday, January 10 at 1:30 p.m. We will be studying Lesson 5 Give us today our daily bread.

Women's Evening Bible Study will meet this Weds., the 11th, at 7 pm. We will be studying Lesson 5 in Ephesians.

It's TIME!! Time to sign up for **Immerse 2023 Serve Trip to Lincoln, NE (dates: June 13 to 18)**.

Sign-up sheet and Registration forms are on the Literature table. Sign-up and Registration form **deadline is Sunday, Jan. 29**. Prayerfully consider this opportunity to serve others in Lincoln.

There are various pans and bowls in the kitchen left from the soup supper etc. Please check to see if any of them are yours.

ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dordt University Concert Choir invites you to a concert at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, January 13, at the B.J. Haan Auditorium. This free concert is part of a spring tour with performances scheduled in Iowa, Minnesota, and North Dakota. A freewill offering received to defray tour expenses.

** It will be livestreamed at <https://www.dordt.edu/livestream>

COME SING ON TUESDAYS! The Sioux County Oratorio Chorus is kicking off a new and exciting season this month, and all are welcome to come sing. This season features a special guest conductor and an exciting departure from our normal large scale works—presenting a series of Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs from Handel, Mendelssohn, Schutz, and more. Rehearsals are held Tuesdays 7:30-9:30 in DeWitt Music Hall on Northwestern's campus, beginning **January 10**. Our concert will be Saturday, April 29 at Dordt University. Please contact Mike Ochsner mkchsnr@gmail.com with any questions. We look forward to making music with you in the new year!

Justice for All is having a meeting with information about Service & Learning Trips at Justice for All ministry center on Tuesday January 10, 2023 at 6:30pm. Address is for the ministry center is 1335 Valley Drive Rock Valley, IA 51247. There will be light refreshments available. With questions, please contact Nick at Justice for All 712.476.2804. Consider going on a trip this year to work alongside others in a different community.

Cornerstone Prison Church, Sioux Falls ~ **Faith Fellowship Weekend**
Friday, February 24 – 6:00-7:45pm-Kick Off Worship Service
Saturday, February 25 and Sunday, February 26 – 8:00am-4:00pm

Theme for the weekend is **Perseverance ~ James 1:4**

"¹⁴ And let steadfastness have its full effect, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking in nothing." Join us for worship, large group talks and small group discussions. The deadline for signing up is Thurs., Feb. 2. For more information or to sign up, contact us at 507-215-3670 or email office@cornerstonepcsd.org

Writing Missionaries for the Month of January

Cyle & Jamie Carlson Terry & Lori Bootsma Liz Elgersma

Calling/Visiting Senior Members ~ January 8 - 14

(Sanborn) Don Uittenbogaard
(Sheldon) Bob & Linda Oldenkamp

TODAY ~ January 8

PPoint: Brent Koldenhoven
Video: Jeri Prins
Audio: Aaron Alons
Doors: AM Rich VW PM Brian K.
Valet Parking: Cody Stange
Nursery: Ashley Sybesma, Ceyla V
Greeters: Nate & Catherine Schreur
 Josh & Shannon Rydberg
CIW: Linda O, Amber S, Shae R
Accom: AM Jamie C PM Michelle W
Offering: AM Budget, Bldg. Proj. Fund
 PM Cornerstone Prison CPM
Hospitality: Keven & Robin V. Meeteren
 Chet & Maria Vander Velde
 Erin & Jenny Campbell

NEXT WEEK ~ January 15

Tonya Wiekamp
Aidan Carlson
Stefan Sybesma
Keven Van Meeteren
Kevin Hofman
Pat & Addison Sybesma
John & Jessica Schreurs
Nick & Sara Schilling
Linda O, Robin VM, Anna S
AM & PM Starla Reitsma
AM Budget, CES (Fair Share)
PM Northern Lighthouse
Mike & Judy Visser
Cody & Amber Stange
Casey Baker

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

	5:00 p.m.	Worship service
	6:15 p.m.	Sunday Evening Bible Study
Monday	6:45 p.m.	GEMS Meeting
	7:00 p.m.	Deacons Meeting
Tuesday	1:30 p.m.	Ladies Bible Fellowship
Wednesday	7:00 p.m.	Women's Bible Study

Church Mailboxes: Deacon's report

On Literature table: Areopagus Newsletter

THE LORD'S DAY – January 8, 2023
MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 A.M.
Guest Pastor: Mr. Dan Tracy

IN HIS PRESENCE

Prelude: Jamie Carlson
Welcome and Announcements
*Call to Worship
*Opening Prayer
*God's Greeting
*Song: "***Come, Thou Almighty King***" Red 492

IN HIS GRACE

God's Will for Our Lives
Prayer of Confession – in unison
Assurance of Pardon
*Song of Confession: "***All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name***" Red 601

Congregational Prayer

Offerings: 1st - **Budget** 2nd – **Bldg. Projects Fund**
Children's Offering – **Goats for World Renew**
3–6 year-olds ~ **Children in Worship: L2 "Follow Me"**

IN HIS WORD

Prayer for Illumination
Scripture: **2 Corinthians 5: 17** (p 1010)
Message: "**Who We are in Christ**"
Prayer of Application
*Song: "**What a Friend We Have in Jesus**" Red 897

IN HIS SERVICE

*Parting Blessing
*Doxology: "**Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow**" Red 965
*Postlude

*stand if you are able

THE LORD'S DAY - January 8, 2023
EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 5:00 P.M.
Guest Pastor: Mr. Dan Tracy

LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS TO GOD WITH PRAISE

Prelude: Michelle Westra
Welcome and Announcements
*Call to Worship
*Opening Prayer
*God's Greeting

LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS TO GOD WITH THANKSGIVING

*Songs of Praise: "***When We Walk with the Lord***" Red 327
"***Praise be the Father***" Grey 582

*Our Profession of Faith: - Apostles' Creed

OPEN YOUR HEARTS TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination
Scripture: **Romans 1: 1 – 17** (p 980)
Meditation: "**I am Not Ashamed of the Gospel**"
Prayer of Application
*Song "**Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus**" Grey 559

PRAYERS AND OFFERINGS

Intercessory Prayer
Offering: **Crossroads Prison Ministries**

OFFER YOURSELVES TO GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART

*Parting Blessing
*Doxology: "**Seek Ye First the Kingdom of God**" Red 899
*Postlude

*stand if you are able