

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

Jon Sybesma was blessed with a great report from Mayo. No treatments are needed at this time. He will have a scan in three months for routine follow up.

Please keep **Olivia Vander Haag** close in your prayers as she prepares to leave for **Honduras tomorrow**. She will be teaching 5th grade at Academia los Pinares (near Tegucigalpa)

LIFTING LAMBS TO THE SHEPHERD

Larry & Alvina Reitsma Harv & Linda Verbrugge
Andy & Brandi Wright ~ Maci, Jack

Please keep these church members in your thoughts and prayers

PRAYER PARTNERS NEEDED FOR HIGH SCHOOL/COLLEGE STUDENTS AND YOUNG SINGLE ADULTS. Please consider giving at least 10 minutes a week in prayer time for 1 – 2 of our students or young adults. The sign-up sheet is on the literature table in the fellowship hall.

Kingdom Boundaries Aftercare prayer requests from Ryan, who asks for prayers that he would never be shy about his faith and that he would continually know “who he is in Christ”. More information and his testimony are on a handout on the literature table.

THANK YOU to the women who sorted and arranged things around church in June, as well as those who repaired Psalter hymnals last week Monday. All these tasks completed and your time spent helping, are appreciated!

Pray for Wisdom ~ Pray that our Congregation and Leadership will remain committed to a healthy understanding of wisdom in handling of our stewardship and finances.

"Honor the LORD with your wealth and with the best part of everything you produce. Then he will fill your barns with grain, and your vats with overflow with good wine."

Proverbs 3: 9

A 'complacent Christian' is a contradiction in terms

A warm welcome is extended to all who have come to worship with us today. The ALS System is available for those with hearing impairments

WORSHIP NOTES

Mr. Greg Steggerda, will lead both our Morning and Evening worship services today.

The Sunday morning service will be on the Church Cable Channel

The Worship Service will also be downloaded to YouTube, and be available to view by 12 noon. You can access the service by:

~ Left clicking on this link

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCd3_43l-0A8List-FOhhphg

~ Church website sanbornrcr.com - click on "You Tube Worship Services"

Next Sunday, **Pastor Dan De Groot**, will lead us in both the morning and evening worship services.

CONGREGATIONAL NOTES

If you are unable to attend church, continue to use the Drop Box under the Carport on the west side of Church (mark your envelopes/for what cause).

The **Community Food Pantry**, housed in our church's Fireside Room is an ongoing ministry through the end of the summer. Please bring your donations of food to church or put your monetary gift in the Drop Box (marked FOOD PANTRY).

Today ~ July 26

Power Point: Koldenhoven's

Video: Jeri Prins

Audio: Aaron Alons

Doors: AM – Rich VW, PM - Jack E.

Pianist: Jamie Carlson

Offering: A.M. Budget and CES

P.M. Benevolence

Next Sunday ~ August 2

Tonya Wiekamp, Shannon Rydberg

Brody Elgersma

Stefan Sybesma

Ray Elgersma

Jamie Carlson

A.M. Budget & CES (Fair Share)

P.M. Rehoboth

NEW Elders Lists (Households of Faith) are in your mailbox today

Come help clean windows, cupboards, closets, etc. beginning at 9 am this Tuesday, July 28. Bring any cleaning supplies you have – many hands make light work! Talk to Alvina Reitsma with questions. See you Tuesday!

GEMS Counselors will be participating in On-line Sessions and Workshops of a "virtual GEMS Conference" in the Church Fellowship Hall, this week Thursday and Friday, July 30 & 31. Pray for a blessed time of worship and learning with Counselors from around the world.

Recently, New Officers (and Committees) for Council, Elders, Deacons, and the Christian Education Society have been selected. These will all be listed in new Church Phone Directories, which will be printed later in August, but are listed here for your information.

Council: President – Pastor Phil Westra, Vicar– Aaron Alons, Clerk & Education – Bob Oldenkamp, Youth – Roy Prins, Building – Keven Van Meeteren, Music & Worship – Brian Koldenhoven, Pulpit Supply – Kevin Wiekamp, Evangelism – Gerald Alons, Fellowship – Don Uittenbogaard

Elders: President – Gerald Alons, Vicar – Roy Prins

Deacons: President – Aaron Alons, Secretary – Nate Schreur, Treasurer – Stefan Sybesma, Asst. Treas., - Larry Hofman, Benevolent Treas. – Jack Elgersma, Special Offerings – Ben Reitsma

CES Board: President – Lindsey Koldenhoven, Vice. Pres. – Jesse Graves, Secretary – Cindy Koldenhoven, Treasurer – Adrienne Reitsma, along with Jeri Prins and Robin Van Meeteren

ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

WCHS Booster Club Golf Tourney is Friday, August 14. There is a flier in your church mailbox with all the information. Check it out!

Lifelight ~ August 8th brings us to our first festival of the season with LifeLight Rock Valley, IA at the Rock Valley Sport Complex! Please join us as artists *Sanctus Real, Bread of Stone, Johnathan Stone, and Verses* light up Rock Valley and Evangelist Josh Brewer proclaims the Gospel.

RiseFest Postponed to 2021 ~ With heavy hearts and somber spirits, We wanted to let you know RiseFest 2020 has been postponed until 2021. In a time where live events are cancelling left and right, we have been working tirelessly to bring you RiseFest, but have come to the difficult decision to postpone until 2021.

Bible League's Tri-State Conference is scheduled to be held Tuesday, Sept. 15 (some activities on Monday evening, Sept. 14, also). Brochures will be in your mailbox soon, but you can check out the details at bibleleague.org/tickets to register. If you don't have web access, you may call (708) 367-8541 during normal business hours. Registration deadline is Sept. 7.

Love INC is hosting a fundraiser meal **DRIVE THRU STYLE!** Monday, August 10 from 5:30-6:30, First Christian Reformed Church, 901 9th St., Sheldon. Please enter the driveway on the East side of the church from 9th Street and we will deliver to your car! We will be serving hot dogs, hamburgers, and sweet corn! **Freewill donation**

CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH ON-LINE RESOURCES

GROUNDWORK: JUSTICE, LAMENT, AND FLOURISHING - How do we incorporate a sense of longing for justice into our prayer life? How do we look and work for it in our communities and our world? Study Luke 18:1-8 and Exodus 20:8-11 with us to discover how we can participate in God's design for justice and flourishing.

Listen now at **GroundworkOnline.com** or listen on KDCR Radio 88.5 FM on Sunday at 8:30 AM and 9:30 PM

Check out our children's programs at www.kidscorner.net In this week's Episode ~ "Pros and Cons," Liz becomes a slick salesman hyping up a cure-all tonic. Will the buyer beware?

Listen now at kidscorner.net and subscribe to KC's weekly emails for future episodes. Download the Kid Corner puzzle and game giveaway Summer Fun Bible Activity Book. <https://kidscorner.net/activities>

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**. Subscribe for regular email updates and connect with our Family Fire community on Facebook.

"Finding Strength and Support in Scripture" - This four-part Bible study podcast series and ebook from Groundwork can help you or someone you love draw power from God's Word to grow in your faith when dealing with dementia, anxiety, depression, and chronic illness or pain. Get it when you subscribe to Groundwork at groundworkonline.com/findingstrength

Mealtime prayers remind us that God provides for us and model for kids how to connect with God regularly and sincerely. Here's a table prayer by Maureen Edwards, from Blessed Be Our Table, Wild Goose 2003. "Loving God, bless our food and drink, our friendship and our laughter, that we may be renewed in body, mind, and spirit to work together for the coming of your kingdom of justice, love, and peace. Amen." (Tip from Faith Formation Ministries; crcna.org/FaithFormation)

THE LORD'S DAY – July 26, 2020
MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 A.M.

Guest Pastor: Mr. Greg Steggerda

IN HIS PRESENCE

- Prelude: Jamie Carlson
Welcome
Call to Worship
*Hymn of Praise **"O Praise the Lord, for It Is Good"** LUYH 549
*God's Greeting
*Hymn **"Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God"** LUYH 746

IN HIS GRACE

- God's Will for Our Lives
Prayer of Confession
*Song of Confession **"Beneath the Cross of Jesus"** LUYH 825
Assurance of Pardon

Congregational Prayer
Storytime w/ Shannon ~ *"Jesus' Storybook Bible"*

IN HIS WORD

Scripture: **Acts 3: 1 – 10** (p 951)
Message **"Even Better"**

- Prayer of Application
*Song of Response **"God of Grace and God of Glory"**
vs 1,2,4 LUYH 926

IN HIS SERVICE

- *God's Blessing
*Doxology **"God, the Father of Your People"** LUYH 927
*Moment of Silent Reflection
*Postlude

*stand if you are able

Your offerings will be received in the Fellowship Hall

THE LORD'S DAY – JULY 26, 2020
EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 6:00 P.M.
Guest Pastor: Mr. Greg Steggerda

LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS TO GOD WITH PRAISE

Prelude: Jamie Carlson
Welcome
Call to Worship
Silent Prayer

LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS TO GOD WITH THANKSGIVING

Songs of Praise – ***"Amazing Grace"*** LUYH 691
"Ancient Words" LUYH 762

*God's Greeting
Our Profession of Faith ~ The Apostles' Creed
Prayer of Intercession

OPEN YOUR HEARTS TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Scripture: **Micah 6: 1 – 8** (p 810)
Prayer for Illumination
Message: **"What God Requires"**
Prayer

OFFER YOURSELVES TO GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART

*Hymn: ***"Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service"*** LUYH 928
*God's Parting Blessing
*Doxology ***"Love God with All Your Soul and Strength"*** LUYH 716
*Silent Prayer
*Postlude

*stand if you are able

Your offering for Benevolence will be received in the Fellowship Hall