

LIFTING LAMBS TO THE SHEPHER

Dale & Julie Elgersma Bill Roelfs
Adam & Leah Kreutner ~ Owen

Prairie View Home

Thelma Elgersma

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Manor

Mary De Young

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Alice Van Ess

Fieldcrest

Veda Bousema Hazel Kuiper
Noreen Krikke Arlan Wiekamp

Christian Retirement Home

Ted Bootsma Harold Hoftzyer

Village Northwest

David Van Oort Tim Mouw

Aspen Heights (Hull)

Harv Verbrugge

Please keep these church members in your thoughts and prayers

We just wanted to say thanks for sending the newsletter from your church members. We really enjoy reading them and getting to know the members a little bit. And it helps us stay up to date a little bit with what's happening at Sanborn CRC. We like to see the prayer requests too. That's so sad about that young Hoffman girl having cancer. We will pray for her and her family. Thanks for taking the time to send the newsletter.

Dany & Christa Longkumer

Pray for UNITY ~ Pray for unity for the Congregation during this time of transition, that we may not grow weary while we wait for Pastor Westra and his family to arrive.

"Just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live in Him, rooted and built up in Him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness."

Colossians 2: 6 - 7

Weave in faith and God will find the thread

WORSHIP NOTES

Our Church will continue with on-line church services through May 21 (Ascension Day Service)

Pastor Duane Tinklenberg's message was recorded during this past week, and can be accessed by:

- 1) Left clicking on this link
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCd3_43l-0A8List-FOhhphg
- 2) Church website sanborncrc.com - click on "You Tube Worship Services"
- 3) The AM message will also be on the Church Cable Channel

As a Classical Appointment, **Rev. Garry Nyenhuis**, Pastor at Living Water CRC in Orange City, will lead us in our on-line worship service next Sunday.

CONGREGATIONAL NOTES

From the Council ~ A letter will be mailed to each household explaining some recent Council Executive committee decisions. Ballots for Elders/Deacon voting will be included for those who are professing members.

The Deacons appreciate your continued giving towards our Budget, Benevolence, Fair Share (CES), and Mission Funds by either mailing your donation to the church or placing them in an envelope (marked as such) and putting in the Drop Box under the Carport on the west side of Church.

***Note from CES Board** ~ our Fair Share needed the 2019-20 school year by June 30 is \$23,000. Please consider this in your giving.

Also the **Community Food Pantry**, housed in our church's Fireside Room is an ongoing ministry during this time. Please bring your donations of food to church or put your monetary gift in the Drop Box (marked FOOD PANTRY). If you need help please text/call 712-746-7480, go to Sanborn Churches group on Facebook, or e-mail to sanbornchurches@gmail.com

GEMS Fundraiser – Sub making – is postponed until Wed., May 27. More details will be decided as this day approaches.

Writing Missionaries for the month of May

Jon & Pat Sybesma ~ Shane Sybesma

Larry & Shyla Stanley ~ Don Uittenbogaard

Pastor Kuiper is planning on being in church on Thursday mornings between **9:00-11:30 a.m.** for coffee, conversations & pastoral visits.

THE LORD'S DAY – May 3, 2020
MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 A.M.
Guest Pastor: Rev. Duane Tinklenberg

IN HIS PRESENCE

Call to Worship
Song of Praise ~ *"Victory in Jesus"* Celebration 353
God's Greeting

IN HIS GRACE

Confession and Assurance
Call to Confession
Prayer of Confession
Assurance of Pardon
God's Will for Our Lives

Congregational Prayer

Diaconal Word of Encouragement and Prayer

IN HIS WORD

Song of Preparation **#500** (Grey) *"How Firm a Foundation"*
LUYH 427

Scripture: **Hebrews 1: 1 - 3**

Message: **"God's Last Word for These Last Days"**

Prayer of Application

IN HIS SERVICE

Parting Blessing
Doxology *"Because He Lives"* LUYH 361

“Why is Jesus qualified to be God's last word for these last days?”

1) He is for us the heir of all God's promises

2) He made this universe.

3) and 4) He is the radiance of God's Glory and the exact representative of God's being.

5) He as Lord sustains all things.

6) He is sitting at God's right hand having finished His work.

The week that local churches began live-streaming worship services was the week that **Western Christian** board members placed Spring Drive requests in church mailboxes. **Spring Drive gifts** are used for tuition relief and special needs at Western Christian. As of this week we are grateful that over \$30,000 has been donated to the Spring Drive towards our \$90,000 goal. Western Christian board members understand that many church members probably have not been picking up their mail from their church mailbox. The hope is that we can all return to regular church services soon.

If you haven't had the opportunity to pick up your mail you can still make a gift to Western Christian electronically for the Spring Drive. This can be done by clicking on <https://www.westernchristianhs.com/support/donate.cfm> and following the instructions given. The students, staff, and Board of Directors at Western Christian thank you for your consideration.

Sign up for the **Run, Walk, and Roll** Event at Village Northwest on June 6. Register at www.villagenorthwest.org or www.allsportcentral.com

Thursday, May 7 is the National Day of Prayer in the U.S.

- 1) We can hear this as an urgent call to prayer. Join CRC pastors, members, and staff in a Zoom prayer meeting at either 9am, 1pm, or 6pm CST. Learn more and register at network.crcna.org/prayer/call-prayer-2020-us-national-day-prayer
- 2) You can also *observe* the National Day of Prayer Program (from Sheldon) on **May 7** online <https://barbarahibma.wixsite.com/sheldonndp> You can also *listen* at 9:00 a.m. on KIWA RADIO FM 100.7 or AM 1550 **GUEST SPEAKER:** Rob Roozeboom and his message is titled "HOPE LIVES"
- 3) **Thursday** evening, **May 7**, we invite your family to join Christians across the nation in the **National Observance of Prayer Day** at 7:00 pm CST. It will be broadcast, streamed and posted in many ways including on our website at nationaldayofprayer.org. In addition, it can be seen on our Facebook Live <https://www.facebook.com/natlprayer/>
<https://www.god.tv/live-us/>
<https://www.daystar.com/>
<https://www.moodyradio.org/>
- 4) Drive-By-Prayer with your family on **May 7** in your town (Prayer guide attached to the e-mail with this bulletin or some copies are in the bulletin rack in the west entry.) It is an awesome activity for a family.

CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH ON-LINE RESOURCES

GROUNDWORK: I BELIEVE IN GOD, THE HOLY SPIRIT - As the third member of the Trinity, the Holy Spirit actively empowers believers and the [Church](#). Join Groundwork as we examine Matthew 28:19, John 14:16-17, Acts 2:1-4, and 1 Thessalonians 1:4-6 to help us better understand the person and work of the Holy Spirit.

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

COMPUTER CAPER - Check out our children's programs at www.kidscorner.net In this week's episode "Computer Caper," the school computers have been stolen, and Liz is on the case ... but unfortunately so is Skink. Can they work together to find the thieves and return the computers? Download KC's 10 Commandments Bookmark to help with your Bible reading and daily devotions. <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.

At-Home Faith Formation Tip - God's big family is made up of people from every country on earth! [Print off a world map](#) and put it on your refrigerator or kitchen table. Each day, or once a week, choose a country (or if there are kids in your household, take turns). Learn about that country and pray for the needs of its people. (Tip from Faith Formation Ministries) go to crcna.org/FaithFormation

From World Renew ~ Remembering Moms on Mother's Day – Honor your mom next week with your offering for Free A Family® Sunday from World Renew. Kadzo Safari Kenga, mom of five children in Kenya, can feed and support her family with World Renew's help through Free A Family®. Remember your unstoppable mom in a unique way this year through your gifts and offerings for World Renew and Free A Family® Sunday on May 10. Give at church or online at worldrenew.net/FreeAFamily®