

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

This past week **Jerry Bousema** fell, was injured and hospitalized. He is now back home and recovering. Please remember him in your prayers that he would experience a full recovery.

LIFTING LAMBS TO THE SHEPHERD

Erin & Jenny Campbell ~ Claire Chad & Ruth Roelfs ~ Henry, Jordan
Cyle & Jamie Carlson ~ Aidan, Abbigail, Braxton

Young Adult of the Week ~ Travis Solsma farms with his Dad, does Custom Field Spraying for Farmers Co-op, and recently became engaged to Anna De Haan. His address is in "Friends" section of church directory.

Linda Beimers new address:

c/o Nick & Leann Beimers, 3002 W. Villa Theresa Dr., Phoenix, AZ 85053

The Vander Haag family would like to invite you to an Open House to celebrate **John C's 90th Birthday**, on Saturday, November 20th, 2 – 5pm, Yesterday's Memories Museum.

CES Fundraiser Event: Yesterday's Memories Museum will be hosting the Vander Haag Christmas Party on Saturday, December 4. CES has the opportunity to prepare/serve the meal. We are looking for volunteers (men & women) to work at the event and donate food items. Sign-up sheets on the literature table. Contact Adrienne Reitsma with any questions (712-348-4747). *Thank you in advance for your support!*

Coming Soon ~ Food Drive for UDMO and Love, INC

Tri-State Teens Encounter Christ (TEC) is accepting applications for **November 19-21** at the American Reformed Church in Luverne, MN. TEC is an interdenominational three-day Christian retreat designed to help high schoolers learn more about their faith and their community. Go to www.TriStateTEC.org or email TriStateTEC@gmail.com to learn more/register. Cost of \$50 includes a t-shirt & other special gifts.

**There are no new sins,
we just keep rerunning the old one**

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

WORSHIP NOTES

Holiday Worship Services

Thanksgiving ~ We will be gathering for worship on Thanksgiving Day, November 25. Church members of all ages are invited to write what you are particularly thankful for on a leaf ornament for our Thanksgiving tree. These will be used in our prayers of thanksgiving that day.

Christmas ~ Our Christmas program will be during the 5:00 PM service on December 19. Pastor Westra hopes to include special music numbers from various groups of all ages from the church. Please let him know if you would like to participate. Since Christmas Day is on Saturday, the Council has decided to gather for worship at 6:00 PM on Christmas Eve, which will include a shorter meditation and a candlelight service of carols.

CONGREGATIONAL NOTES

Our "**Drive-Through Heat & Eat Soup/Dessert Supper**" is **THIS Wednesday, November 17th** from 3:30-6:30pm! Drive up to the west entrance to place your order. Freewill Donation to benefit our Fair Share. Food Donations: There will be a sheet in the kitchen where you cross off your name when you bring in your soup/dessert. The CES Board thanks you for your help with this important fundraiser!

Our church will be conducting a **Chapel Service at the Sioux City Gospel Mission** this Thursday, November 18. If you wish to join those attending, please meet at church by 5:15 p.m. to carpool.

Our church is sponsoring a **Community Thanksgiving Dinner** after our worship service on Thanksgiving Day. You're welcome to attend - bring family/friends/community members to share this traditional holiday meal with us. Willing to donate food or help with preparation? Signup sheets by Mailboxes. Please leave a message at 729-5132 or let Linda O. know if you will be attending. "**Give Thanks with A Grateful Heart.**"

Boys from our church (Asa A., Braxton C., Brady & Colby O., Lamont S., Camden & Auggie V.) attend **Cadets at the URC** in town. **They wish to invite Widows, Widowers, Singles, & Older Couples** to a Pizza & Chicken – Game Night on Weds., Dec. 15, 6:30 – 8:30 p.m. Sign up by Nov. 30 – sheet on Literature table.

ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sanborn Christian is looking for someone, or a partnership, to serve as the **SCS janitor**. This is a part-time position that would start as soon as possible, and would be to complete this 2021-2022 school year and through the summer. Opportunity to continue long term would be desirable. If you have interest, or would like more information, please contact Mr. Minderhoud at sanchr@sanbornchristian.com or call 712-729-3288, or contact Brent Koldenhoven (Bldg. Committee Chair)

Western Christian's online auction ends **Monday, November 15 at 6:00 PM**. Join bidding fun by accessing the link on our website: www.westernchristianhs.com

Explore Western is **Tuesday, November 16**. This event begins at 7:00 PM. Here's an invitation video from our Head Administrator, Mr. Verwolf: <https://youtu.be/QEqfoxbz6eM> Please RSVP by contacting Brad Vis - brad.vis@westernchristianhs.com or 605-359-5704.

The **Thanksgiving Banquet and Kids Carnival** is **Friday, Nov. 19, from 5-8 PM**. A "silent auction" and bake sale will also be held. A free will offering will be taken for the Thanksgiving meal.

*Online auction items, meat orders, & freezer meals can be picked up.

The Northwest Iowa Symphony Orchestra will present a Fall Concert, "Winter Dreams from Russia," on Tuesday, November 16, at 7:30 p.m. B.J. Haan at Dordt University. Online tickets at <https://niso.dordt.edu> or at the door. Contact NISO at 712-722-6230 or niso@dordt.edu

Cornerstone Prison Church "Christmas Sack" program

(No homemade fudge allowed, but monetary donations to purchase pre-packaged candy for the inmates) Send to Cornerstone Prison Church c/o Dave Vande Kamp, 801 South Gordon Drive, Sioux Falls, SD 57110. Thank you for your support!

Dordt Concert Choir to sing "Carol-o-grams" – Do you know someone in Sioux County who would appreciate this? Donations will support the Choir's May 2022 international tour to Austria and the Czech Republic. To place your order visit www.dordt.edu/carol-o-gram, or contact Ryan Smit at ryan.smit@dordt.edu

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.

Thanksgiving Prayers - 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18 encourages us to thank God no matter what is happening. Listen now at kidscorner.net

Jonah: Doing God's Work - It doesn't matter who we are, what we've done, or how inadequate we feel, God has work for us to do. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com

Calling/Visiting Senior Members ~ Nov. 14 - 20

(Sheldon) Rich & Joy Vander Werff (Sanborn) Larry Hofman

TODAY ~ November 14

PPoint: Koldenhoven's
Video: Jeri Prins
Audio: Stefan Sybesma
Doors: AM Rich V.W. PM Ben R.
Nursery: Kristie Verhoef, Kaleb Visser
CIW: Shannon Rydberg, Linda O.
Pianist: AM Starla Reitsma, Joy V.W.
Offering: AM Budget, Building Fund
PM Charity Auto/N. Lighthouse
Hospitality: John & Laura Elgersma
Jeromy & Paige De Kok
Pastor Phil & Michelle W.

Next Week -November 21

Tonya Wiekamp
Brody Elgersma
Aaron Alons
Lee Reitsma
Joy Vander Werff, Anna Schreurs
Anna Van Ess, Carol Bootsma
AM Carol W. PM Michelle W.
AM Budget, CES (Fair Share)
PM The Bible League
Jack & Carol Elgersma
Tyler & Anna Van Ess
Liz Elgersma

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 at Mike & Judy V's
		Devotions – Levi S. Lunch – leaders
Monday	7:00 p.m.	Council meeting
Wednesday	9:30 a.m.	Coffee Break Bible Study
	3:30 – 6:30 p.m.	Drive – Through Soup & Dessert Supper
	7:00 p.m.	Women's Bible Study
		Cadets at URC
Thursday	leave 5:15 pm	Sioux City Gospel Mission service

"Immerse 2022" Information sheet in your mailbox today!

THE LORD'S DAY – November 14, 2021
MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 A.M.
Pastor Phil Westra

IN HIS PRESENCE

Prelude: Starla Reitsma & Catherine Schreur
Welcome and Announcements
*Call to Worship: *Psalm 16: 7 - 11*
*Opening Prayer
*Song: **"Come, Thou Almighty King"** LUYH 492
*God's Greeting
*Song: **"Just as I Am, Without One Plea"** LUYH 627 vs 1 - 3

IN HIS GRACE

Call to Repentance: *James 5: 16*
Prayer of Confession
Assurance of Pardon: *Romans 6: 1 – 7*
*Song: **"He Leadeth Me"** LUYH 440 vs 1, 2, 4
Responsive Reading of the Law (gray pg 1017)
Congregational Prayer

Offerings: 1st - **Budget** 2nd – **Building Fund**
Children's Offering – **Goats for World Renew**
3 – 6 year-olds ~ **Children in Worship:** Lesson 10 *"The Exodus"*

IN HIS WORD

Song: **"O Word of God Incarnate"** LUYH 757 vs 1, 3
Scripture: **1 Corinthians 15: 20 – 26, 50 – 58** (p 1004)
Heidelberg Catechism: **Q & A 57** (p 885)
Message: **"Our Future Resurrection"**
Prayer of Application
*Song: **"I Will Rise"** LUYH 468

IN HIS SERVICE

*Parting Blessing
*Doxology: **"Go, My Children, with My Blessing"** LUYH 946 vs 1
*Moment of Meditation
*Postlude

*stand if you are able

THE LORD'S DAY –November 14, 2021
EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 5:00 P.M.
Pastor Phil Westra

LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS TO GOD WITH PRAISE

Prelude: Joy Vander Werff
Welcome and Announcements
*Call to Worship: *John 3: 30*
*Opening Prayer
*God's Greeting

LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS TO GOD WITH THANKSGIVING

*Song: **"Rejoice, the Lord is King"** LUYH 224
*Song: **"More Precious Than Silver"** PB 6
*Profession of Faith: *Colossians 1: 15 - 20*
*Song: **"I Love to Tell the Story"** LUYH 262

Share Prayer Requests
Intercessory Prayer

Offering: **Charity Auto Garage/Northern Lighthouse**

OPEN YOUR HEARTS TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination
Scripture: **Acts 4: 1 – 21** (p 952)
Message: **"Christ Alone is Savior and Lord"**
Prayer of Application

OFFER YOURSELVES TO GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART

*Song: **"In Christ Alone"** LUYH 770
*Parting Blessing
*Doxology: **"Now Thank We All Our God"** LUYH 543 vs 3
*Moment of Meditation
*Postlude

*stand if you are able

Sermon Notes – November 14, 2021 AM

"Our Future Resurrection"

1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 50-58 Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 57

Introduction: Are We Living in the Last Days?

A. Human Beings' _____ and _____

1. Creation (Genesis 1 - 2):

2. Fallen Humanity (the problem):

3. Redemption (the gospel):

B. Paganism vs. Christianity

1. redemption _____ the body vs. redemption _____ the body

2. Immortality of the _____ vs. Everlasting _____

3. Polytheism vs. Monotheism

C. Resurrection Hope

1. life after _____ after death

2. temporary state

3. we will become like _____

Sermon Notes – November 14, 2022 PM

"Christ Alone is Savior and Lord"

Acts 4:1-21

Introduction: Only One Way?

A. The Challenge of Pluralism

1. the Elephant:

2. the Mountain:

3. the Problems:

B. Inadequate Accounts of Jesus

1. Other Religions:

2. Pseudo-Christianity:

3. C. S. Lewis: Jesus is either a _____,
a _____, or the _____

C. Jesus Christ

1. Person:

2. Work:

Q&A