

PRAYER ITEMS AND CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

At her request, **Adrienne Wiekamp's** membership has been transferred to the Trinity CRC in Rock Valley. May the Lord bless her in her new church home.

LIFTING LAMBS TO THE SHEPHERD

Jeromy & Paige De Kok ~ Aubree, Sadie, Sutton
Lee & Susie Van Tol Liz Elgersma

Young Adult of the Week ~ Olivia Vander Haag teaches 6th Grade at Acadamia los Pinares Christian School in Honduras. Her address is in the church phonebook.

Thank you: In our joint worship service on the evening of October 30 we raised \$1,220 for World Renew Disaster Relief. Thank you for your generosity!

The **CES Board** would like to **thank everyone for their faithful support** at our Soup/Dessert Supper. Thanks to the soup and dessert makers, volunteers, and everyone who came to purchase meals as well as your financial gifts. Together we continue to work towards our fair share commitment for our youth. Thank you! Have a Blessed Thanksgiving!

A huge **thank you** to my holiday helpers who wrapped gifts alongside me Tuesday! What a fun time together! You are a blessing to me.
Amy Vander Haag

CES Fundraisers:

Remember to check the donation sheets for the meal we are serving on Saturday, December 3, at the museum. There are food donations and/or work shifts that need to be filled.

CES also has about 10 bags of **pulled pork** available, for \$25/bag, contact Cody Stange if you would like 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

This morning we are blessed to have our **high school youth** participate in leading worship. This morning is also **Preparatory Sunday** for the Lord's Supper, which will be celebrated next Sunday, November 27. There is a devotional in your mailbox to help in your preparation.

This week Thursday, we will worship together for **Thanksgiving Day – Thursday, November 24 at 9:30 a.m.** An offering will be received for the Sioux City and Sioux Falls Gospel Missions.

CONGREGATIONAL NOTES

Thanksgiving Poster: Please write something you are thankful for on the Thanksgiving poster in the fellowship hall today or this week, and Pastor Westra will include everything written into our prayer during our Thanksgiving Day worship service.

Save the Date: Please reserve 7:00 PM on Tuesday, December 6, on your schedule for our annual congregational meeting at church. We will hear and respond to reports from our pastor, evangelism committee, and building committee. We will also approve a 2023 budget. All information about the meeting will be in your mailboxes by next Sunday.

Our **Community Thanksgiving Meal** will be Thursday, after the worship service, with devotions at 11:15 a.m.. Sign-up sheets are on the table by mailboxes ~ For donations of food, help in preparation, and attending (write down the number of guests included with your name).

A freewill donation will be taken, at the meal, to help defray the costs.

Ladies Bible Fellowship will meet on Tuesday, November 22. We will be studying Lesson 4 – "Thy Will be Done".

Baby Shower for **Indie Ellena Sybesma**, our newest church member. The playpen is set up in the Fellowship Hall for your gift to her.

When you pray, make sure your will is in neutral so God can shift it

Evangelism Committee – flyer for a food drive was placed in your mailboxes last week with suggested donations for **Love, INC** and **UDMO**. We're requesting items be brought to church on or before December 18 (table by GEMS Cards)

Children in Worship Committee needs additional helpers. We are looking for volunteers (7th-12th grade) to help with Children in Worship. Parents of interested students - contact Jessica S. Brandi W. or Anna VE.

ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sanborn Christian School holds a special place in all our hearts. I want to invite you to join me in praying over the school on Tuesday, November 29. You are welcome to meet me in the gym at 7:30 am and walk through the halls as we pray for the staff, students, and events that happen here. Your children are welcome to come too! Our school community has much to lift up in prayer and to be thankful for. ~Mrs. Moss

Sanborn Christian School's Fall/Christmas Concert is scheduled for Friday, December 2 at 7:00 pm in the Sanborn CRC sanctuary. We will also be having an afternoon program practice open to family members at **2:00 pm** at the CRC for those who are unable to come to the evening program!

Please consider attending the **Western Christian Foundation Luncheon** on Wednesday, December 7. This will begin at 12:30 PM in the Western Christian Event Center. Please RSVP by contacting Brad Vis - brad.vis@westernchristianhs.com or 605-359-5704.

Our mission continues and **The Village Treasure Chest** needs volunteers now more than ever. We encourage people of all ages to volunteer. We specifically need people to work on Saturdays, but any help is welcome. Apply at www.villagenorthwest.org/volunteer or at the Treasure Chest or Brenna Haack at (712) 324-5416 w/ questions.

Generous in All Things - Thank God for all the ways he's been generous. How can you show generosity? Listen now at kidscorner.net

Calling/Visiting Senior Members ~ November 20 - 26

(Sanborn) Larry & Karen Bosma
(Sheldon) Nick & Sara Schilling

TODAY ~ November 20

PPoint: Tonya Wiekamp
Video: Aidan Carlson
Audio: Stefan Sybesma
Doors: Brian Koldenhoven
Nursery: Amanda VB, Chloe Rydberg
Greeters: Jeromy & Paige De Kok
Pam De Groot, Casey Baker
CIW: Tonya W, Brandi W
Accom: AM Starla R PM Starla R
Offering: AM Budget, CES (Fair Share)
PM Kingdom Boundaries
Hospitality: Lee & Starla Reitsma
Dale & Julie Elgersma
Don Uittenbogaard
Scott Horstman

NEXT WEEK ~ November 27

Alan Visser family
Levi Westra
Ben Reitsma
Ray Elgersma
Laremy & Anna S, Mya S
Jesse Graves
Jack & Carol Elgersma
Tonya W, Maria VV
AM Starla R PM Catherine S
AM Budget, Mission Fund
PM Bible League
Cork & Carol Bootsma
John & Jessica Schreurs
Esther De Boer

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

5:00 p.m. Worship service

Monday 7:00 p.m. Council Meeting
Tuesday 1:30 p.m. Ladies Bible Fellowship
Thursday **9:30 a.m. Thanksgiving Day Service**

PPoint, Video, Audio: Tonya W, Aidan C, Stefan S
Doors: Larry Stanley
Nursery: Adrienne & Drew Reitsma
Greeters: Kevin & Ann Hofman, Jon & Tonja Hoogers
Accompanist: Jamie Carlson
Offering: Sioux City & Sioux Falls Gospel Missions

Church Mailboxes: Devotional for Lord's Supper
Flyer – World Renew Gift Catalog info.
(catalogs are on the Lit. table)

New on Literature table: New Roots Ministry newsletter

THE LORD'S DAY – November 20, 2022
MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 A.M.
YOUTH SUNDAY
Pastor Phil Westra

IN HIS PRESENCE

Prelude: Rianne Van Meeteren, Starla Reitsma
Welcome and Announcements
*Call to Worship *Psalm 63: 2 – 5*
*Opening Prayer
*God's Greeting
*Song: **"You are Holy"** Red 598

IN HIS GRACE

Call to Repentance: *Luke 11: 37 – 41*
Prayer of Confession
Assurance of Pardon: *Isaiah 43: 1 – 3a*
Special Music: **"It is Well"**
God's Will: Red 722

Story Time: **"The Lord Will Provide"**
Song: **"Jesus Loves the Little Children"**

Congregational Prayer

Offerings: 1st - **Budget** 2nd – **CES (Fair Share)**
Children's Offering – **Goats for World Renew**
3 – 6 year-olds ~ **Children in Worship:** L 17 "Advent I – The Prophets"

IN HIS WORD

Prayer for Illumination
Scripture: **Philippians 4: 10 – 13** (p 1029)
Message: **"Contentment"**
Prayer of Application

IN HIS SERVICE

* Song: **"Open the Eyes of My Heart"** Red 537
*Parting Blessing
*Doxology: **"My Friends, May You Grow in Grace"** Red 938
*Postlude: Rianne Van Meeteren

*stand if you are able

THE LORD'S DAY – November 20, 2022
EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 5:00 P.M.
Pastor Phil Westra

LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS TO GOD WITH PRAISE

Prelude: Starla Reitsma
Welcome and Announcements
Call to Worship: *Psalm 116: 12 – 14*
Silent Prayer
*God's Greeting

LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS TO GOD WITH THANKSGIVING

*Songs: **"Amid the Thronging Worshipers"** Red 511
"In Christ There is No East or West" Red 268

OPEN YOUR HEARTS TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination
Scripture: **Acts 2: 42 – 47** (p 951)
Heidelberg Catechism: **Lord's Day 30, Q&As 81 & 82**
Meditation: **"The Fellowship of the Lord's Supper"**
Prayer of Application
*Song **"Blest Be the Tie that Binds"** Red 257 vs 1-3,6

PRAYERS AND OFFERINGS

Share Prayer requests
Intercessory Prayer
Offering: **Kingdom Boundaries**

OFFER YOURSELVES TO GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART

* Song: **"I Need Thee Every Hour"** Red 322 vs 1-2,4
*Parting Blessing
*Doxology: **"Give Thanks"** Red 358
*Postlude

*stand if you are able

Sermon Notes for Sunday Morning, November 20, 2022
"Contentment"
Philippians 4: 10–13

Introduction: Diagnostics for our Present Situation

A. Christian Contentment is....

B. We can have Contentment because...

C. We nurture Contentment by....

Sermon Notes for Sunday Evening, November 20, 2022
"The Fellowship of the Lord's Supper"
Acts 2:42–47
Heidelberg Catechism Lord's Day 30, Q&As 81 & 82

Introduction: What we have *in Common*

A. Sharing a Devotion to Christ

1. an _____ of grace

2. the _____ of grace

B. Sharing their Possessions

1. shared ownership with _____

2. generosity to _____

C. Sharing the Lord's Supper

1. combining _____ and _____

2. celebrating the _____ of our _____

D. Additional Applications

1. the *Who* of the Lord's Supper:

2. the *How* of the Lord's Supper: