

## **CONGREGATIONAL LIFE**

**Brent Koldenhoven's** knee surgery was very successful.

Praise God for a successful surgery for **Nathan Van Engen**— all cancer was removed and no chemo or radiation treatments are needed.

We are happy to announce the birth of baby boy **Remzuk**, meaning *patience*, on September 13. Thankfully, everything went very well. Thank you for your prayers! We are happy to be back in Savannakhet!

**Christa & Dany Longkumer**

## **LIFTING LAMBS TO THE SHEPHERD**

John M. & Amy Vander Haag ~ Reuben, Olivia, Ivy

Jesse & Kassai Manwarren ~ Brody

Tyler & Anna Van Ess ~ Aleah, Theodore

**Young Adult of the week ~ Anna Back** works and lives in Rock Valley, where she is a Home Health Aide through Hegg Health Center. Her address is: *1438 ½ Main Street, Rock Valley, IA 51247*

*Please keep these church members in your thoughts and prayers*

*"Praise is a soul in flower"*

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With cooler temperatures approaching, the CES Board has decided to have a **Drive-up Soup Supper** this year, instead of our normal Soup & Pie Supper; on Wednesday, November 18. This will be a great way for us, as well as the community, to support our Christian Education Society!

We will still be offering our 4 varieties of soup, but instead of pies we will have a few desserts to choose from (a donation sheet will be put in your mailboxes later this week). Please continue to watch the bulletin, mailboxes and emails for more information.

**\*ATTENTION ALL K-12<sup>th</sup> GRADE PARENTS:** We are asking that all parents with students in grades K-12<sup>th</sup> to work a shift on November 18. A work shift sign-up will be located on the table in the Fellowship Hall starting tomorrow. Many hands make for light work, so we asking that at least one PARENT from each family sign up for a shift. If you do not sign up for a time slot, one will be assigned to you. Thank you for your continued support and please contact a CES Board Member with any questions!

The **Heartland Classis Meeting Report** is in your mailbox today

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

### **WORSHIP NOTES**

**Today is Communion Sunday.** All those who are truly sorry for their sins, sincerely believe in the Lord Jesus Christ as Savior, earnestly desire to lead a Godly life and are participating (professing) members in a Christian Church, are invited to partake of the Lord's Supper today.

Sunday morning's service will be on the Church Cable Channel at 9:30 and on our Church's website [sanbornrc.com](http://sanbornrc.com) and You Tube link below (by noon)  
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCd3431-0A8List-FOhhphg>

**Next Sunday we will celebrate the Reformation.** In both services Pastor Westra will focus on Martin Luther's recovery of the doctrine of vocation for all believers, emphasizing God's callings in family life in the morning service and in our work in the evening service.

### **CONGREGATIONAL NOTES**

**Join the Youth Group** after the evening service at the corn maze. Dress warm, it may be a little chilly but remember . . . It's only cold if you're standing still! After the maze you're invited to come back to church and warm up with some hot chocolate, apple cider and warm cheese dip.

**October is Pastor Appreciation Month** . . . and we thank God for sending the Westra family our church! There are ([lavender](#)) [note cards](#) in your mailbox today that you may use to send the Westra's some Encouraging Words. There is also information about a party that the Fellowship Committee is planning for [Friday, October 23 at Yesterday's Memories](#).

Have you been changed and shaped by [grace](#)? Do you want to be? The **Wednesday Night Ladies Bible Study** is using Max Lucado's video series to learn how "Grace is more than we deserve, greater than we imagine." Join us for our first one-hour study on [Wednesday, October 21](#). If you would like a book, talk to Starla Reitsma . . . but no prep is necessary!

**We're Moving!** The Tuesday afternoon Ladies' Bible Study which has been meeting on the first and third Tuesdays will now be meeting on the second and fourth Tuesdays! Therefore, the [next meeting will be on October 27](#) at 1:30 PM. We'll begin the study of [Jonah – The Depths of Grace](#). Visitors welcome! If you need the study materials, please contact Karen Bosma.

The playpen is set up in the Fellowship Hall, if you wish to share something with our newest member, **Kennedy Lynn Wright**.

**Sunday Night Bible Study Group** will be studying the Book of James on Sunday evening, November 1, at 6:15 p.m. You're welcome to join us anytime.

The Sanborn CRC - Christian Education Society is **selling trash bags**, with the profit going towards Fairshare. These quality bags are available in three sizes: 39 gallon (25 bags per roll); 15 gallon - tall kitchen (65 bags per roll); and 55 gallon (16 bags per roll). Each roll costs \$12.00. Order forms are in your church mailbox, or call Lindsey Koldenhoven at (712) 221-9982 or [lindsey\\_wimmer@hotmail.com](mailto:lindsey_wimmer@hotmail.com)). Orders and payment needed by Sunday, November 8. The pick-up date will be November 18

**SANBORN CHRISTIAN 5 X 7 NOTE IN CHURCH MAILBOX** – UPDATED INFORMATION ON HARVEST SALE NOV. 7 and BOOKKEEPER NEEDED

Order forms for purchasing meat at **Western Christian's** annual Fall Bonanza will remain online **until November 1** at

<https://www.westernchristianhs.com/office/fall%20meat%20.pdf>.

Your order will be available on November 20 at the school. There will **not** be meat certificates available the day of the auction. All meat must be preordered. Any questions? Call the office at WCHS at 712-439-1013.

**Inspiration Hills** LIVE & ONLINE Fall Auction will be held Friday, Oct. 23rd! You will have a chance to view items, register to bid, and check out more details by visiting our website at [www.inspirationhills.org](http://www.inspirationhills.org)! Doors open at 6:30pm, bidding starts at 7:00pm. Refreshments will be served! We hope to see you in person or online to support Inspiration Hills!

**Hope Haven's** Society Meeting will be held virtually, on Tues., Oct. 27, at 5:00 PM. To attend, visit this link: [hopehaven.org/society-meeting](http://hopehaven.org/society-meeting) This will send you a link to the meeting for October 27. Society members will be able to elect Board members, review recent audit and budgets, receive the annual report on the ministry of Hope Haven. Hope Haven is a society-owned agency; so you are encouraged to exercise your membership!

**Justice For All** invites you to a combined Fall Banquet & Annual Meeting/ Fall Auction, rescheduled for **Thursday, Oct 29, Dinner at 6:00PM at the Parkview Events Center of Rock Valley.** The Fall Auction will be online with a Silent Auction at the event. (List of online items will be available) **Reservations for the meal are necessary** and can be made by calling 712-476-2804 or emailing [joeldw@jfa-nwiowa.org](mailto:joeldw@jfa-nwiowa.org). Please join us as we support JFA ministry through the auction! An offering will be received.

## **CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH ON-LINE RESOURCES**

**GROUNDWORK:** SIGNS OF CHRIST'S GLORY - The gospel of John recounts a number of events that reveal Jesus Christ's glory. Join Groundwork as we examine some of the stories found in John 2-4 to help us better understand what glory is and where we can expect to encounter the glory of Jesus in our own lives. 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, "*Future Forecast*," after an aptitude test, Spike is convinced he's good for nothing. How can Liz and the gang show him otherwise?

FREE Sheldon Area Unity Meal – Monday, October 19, from 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. at Living Water Community Church Parking Lot. (Drive thru pick up meal to reheat at home – enter the south driveway of the parking lot)

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### **Calling Senior Members for the week of Oct. 18 - 24**

Mike & Kristie Verhoef (Sanborn)

Esther De Boer(Sheldon)

#### **Today ~ October 18**

PP: Koldenhoven's

Video: Jeri Prins

Audio: Aaron Alons

Doors: Ben Reitsma

Pianist: Jamie Carlson

Offering: A.M. Budget, CES (Fair Share)  
P.M. Benevolence

Hospitality: Jerry & Carol B., Jan & Helen V.,  
Don U., Shane Sybesma

#### **Next Sunday ~ Oct. 25**

Tonya W., Shannon R.

Brody Elgersma

Stefan Sybesma

A.M. Rich V.W., P.M. Ray E.

A.M. Starla R., P.M. Michelle W.

A.M. Budget, Benevolence

P.M. Crossroads Prison Ministry

Bob & Linda O., Ben & Tina M  
Brent & Lindsey K.

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<b>Sunday</b>	<b>5:00 p.m.</b>	Evening Worship
	6:20 p.m.	YPS & Congregation – meet at Solsma's Corn Maze
<b>Wednesday</b>	9:30 a.m.	Coffee Break Bible Study
	7:00 p.m.	Cadets at URC
		Women's Bible Study – Lesson 1 on " <i>Grace</i> "
		Elders and Deacons meetings
	8:00 p.m.	Council meeting
<b>Friday</b>	7:00 p.m.	Pastor's Appreciation " <i>Hoedown</i> " at Yesterday's Memories Museum. Bring your favorite snack!

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Our **Church's Janitorial position** will be open at the end of this year. Please contact Building committee chrm, Larry Reitsma, or any other member (listed in phone directory) if you are interested or want more information.

**THE LORD'S DAY – October 18, 2020**  
**MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 A.M.**

**Communion Sunday**  
**Pastor Phil Westra**

**IN HIS PRESENCE**

- Prelude: Jamie Carlson
- Welcome and Announcements
- Call to Worship: Psalm 19: 1 - 4
- Opening Prayer
- \*God's Greeting
- \*Song: "**God is Here**" LUYH 246 vs 1 - 4

**IN HIS GRACE**

- \*Call to Repentance: John 14: 6
- \*Song: "**Come to the Savior Now**" LUYH 613
- \*Prayer of Confession
- \*Assurance of Pardon: John 3: 16
- \*Profession of Faith: Apostle's Creed
- Congregational Prayer
- Offering: 1st - **Budget** 2<sup>nd</sup> – **CES (Fair Share)**
- Children's offering – **Goats for World Renew**

**IN HIS WORD**

- Prayer of Preparation
- Scripture: **Luke 24: 13 – 35** (p 922)
- Message: "**Sacramental Reality**"
- Prayer of Application

**IN HIS REDEMPTION**

- \*Song: "**Let Us Break Bread Together**" LUYH 837
- Thanksgiving, Institution, and Prayer
- \*Song: "**Behold the Lamb**" LUYH 840
- Celebration of the Lord's Supper
- \*Song: "**Praise the Savior, Now and Ever**" LUYH 191 vs 1 - 3

**IN HIS SERVICE**

- \*Parting Blessing
- \*Doxology "**Praise the Savior, Now and Ever**" LUYH 191 vs 4
- \*Moment of Meditation
- \*Postlude \*stand if you are able

**EVENING WORSHIP AT 5 PM TODAY**

**THE LORD'S DAY – October 18, 2020**  
**EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 5:00 P.M.**  
**Pastor Phil Westra**

**LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS TO GOD WITH PRAISE**

Prelude: Jamie Carlson  
Welcome and Announcements  
Call to Worship: Psalm 96: 7 - 10  
Silent Prayer  
\*God's Greeting

**LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS TO GOD WITH THANKSGIVING**

\*Songs of Praise: Congregational Favorites  
\*Profession of Faith: Belgic Confession Article 36 (p 856, Grey PH)

Share Prayer Requests  
Prayer of Intercession

Offering: **Benevolence**

**OPEN YOUR HEARTS TO HEAR GOD'S WORD**

\*Song: "***Dwell in Me, O Blessed Spirit***" LUYH 745  
Scripture: **Daniel 7** (p 773)  
Message: "**Living in Beastly Empires**"  
Prayer of Application  
\*Song: "***O Jesus, I Have Promised***" LUYH 352 vs 1, 3, 4

**OFFER YOURSELVES TO GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART**

\*Parting Blessing  
\*Doxology: **#32 (PB) "Find Us Faithful"**  
\*Moment of Meditation  
\*Postlude

\*stand if you are able

**SERMON NOTES for October 18, 2020 A.M.**  
**"Sacramental Reality"**  
**Luke 24: 16-34**

Definitions

Sacrament: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Sacramental: \_\_\_\_\_  
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A. The Sacramental Nature of Reality

Isaiah 6:3, Psalm 19:1, Colossians 1:16-18

B. The Sacrament of Baptism

Matthew 28:18-20, Colossians 2:11-12

C. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Matthew 26:26-28, 1 Corinthians 10:16

**SERMON NOTES for October 18, 2020 P.M.**  
**“Living in Beastly Empires”**  
**Daniel 7**

Review: Babylonian vs. Medo-Persian

A. Daniel’s Vision of Beastly Empires

<u>Beast</u>	<u>Feature</u>	<u>Given</u>	<u>Empire</u>

1. Daniel 2 and Daniel 7
2. The unique and disturbing 4<sup>th</sup> beast
3. God’s Royal Courtroom

B. Encouragements: Future Promises that Frame the Present

1. There will be a Judgment
2. The Son of Man will Return
3. God’s People will receive God’s Kingdom