

PRAYER ITEMS AND CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

Delores Vander Werff had a successful open heart surgery on Monday. She is recovering in the Sanford Heart Hospital.

LIFTING LAMBS TO THE SHEPHERD

Larry & Karen Bosma Craig & Tammy Solsma
Rich & Joy Vander Werff

Young Adult of the Week ~ Max Meyers is serving in the Air Force at Offutt Air Force base near Omaha, NE. His e-mail address is **maxmeyers54@gmail.com**

Prayers of Compassion - Perhaps the best way to support a grieving friend or loved one is to pray for them. The ReFrame Prayer Ministry has released "Prayers of Compassion for Someone Who is Grieving," a **31-day intercessory prayer guide**. You can download it for free at **connect.reframeministries.org/prayers-of-compassion**

Christmas Sack program of Cornerstone Prison Church is being done differently – they purchase factory-packaged Christmas goodies. Cash donations need to be received by **Friday, Nov. 11**. Send to Cornerstone Prison Church, c/o Dave Vande Kamp, 801 S. Gordon Drive, Sioux Falls, SD 57110 w/ "Christmas Sacks" in memo line.

How does God talk to you? Maybe during prayer. Maybe God speaks to you when you read the Bible. How do you listen to God? Listen now at **kidscorner.net** and check out all the new content.

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**

**Make sure the thing you are living for
is worth dying for**

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

WORSHIP NOTES

Sunday morning service - 9:30 a.m. Church Cable Channels and on our Church's website sanbornrcr.com and the YouTube link https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCd3_43l-0A8List-FOhhphg

We will be meeting at **Yesterday's Memories Museum at 5 pm** for our worship service followed by a meal and fellowship to celebrate our **appreciation of Pastor Phil & Michelle Westra & family**. An offering will be received for Cornerstone Prison Ministry.

Reformation Day service will be held in our church in partnership with the Ochedan CRC, next Sunday evening at 5 P.M. An offering will be received for World Renew – Disaster Response -Hurricane Ian. A time of fellowship and lunch will follow the service.

CONGREGATIONAL NOTES

First Fruits Committee – please meet in Pastor's Study after the morning service today.

Ladies Bible Fellowship meets this Tuesday, October 25 at 1:30 p.m.

Mark your Calendars! The CES "Drive-Thru Heat & Eat Soup/Dessert Supper" will be held Wednesday, November 16, from 3:30 – 6:30 p.m. We appreciate the help from the Congregation for this major fundraiser for our CES. A donation sheet will be in your church mailbox.
Soup Makers: If you are willing to make a double batch of soup, please let Tonja Hoogers know. We'd love to have more as we ran out last year!
Parents: Workshifts have been assigned to you. If you need to trade, please do so and let Tonja know. (Parent Work schedule in mailbox)

*More cleaning was done in church this week. Feel free to take items from the white table in the Fellowship Hall for personal use.

*The blinds in the Fellowship Hall and Fireside Room should not be raised/lowered. Please use the attached wand to control sunlight.

ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

SCS Harvest Sale is scheduled for Saturday, November 5. Donations are greatly appreciated and can be brought to school anytime.

2:30 PM Doors open viewing of auction items

3:30 PM Children's Auction and Silent Auction begin

4:00 PM Live Auction begins

4:00 - 7:00 PM Food will be served (Shredded Pork Nachos or Sandwich, Hot Dog, Baked Beans, Chips, Pie, & Desserts)

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Sanborn Christian is looking for a long-term substitute teacher for maternity leave during the 2nd semester. Substitute teachers or bus drivers, interested in operating the score clock at home game sporting events? Contact Mr. Minderhoud sanchr@sanbornchristian.com

We invite everyone to "**Celebrate Western**"

- The online auction begins Tuesday, October 25 and runs through Monday, November 14. Go to www.Zomerbid.com and search for Western Christian.

- Meat and Freezer meal orders are due Tuesday, November 1. Order forms can be found on our website - www.westernchristianhs.com

- A community meal, Bake Sale, and Kids Carnival will take place on Friday, November 18 beginning at 5:00 PM.

JUSTICE FOR ALL Annual Meeting/Fall Auction on **Thursday evening, October 27** at the Parkview Events Center of Rock Valley. A delicious **MEAL will be served from 5:00-6:30PM**. (A Freewill Gift will be taken for the meal). At **6:15 there will be a BUSINESS MEETING** which will include celebrating JFA ministry from the past year and looking at opportunities ahead, as well as presenting a new budget and new board members. Then at **6:30PM our FALL AUCTION** will begin. You can bid online from October 13-31 at zomerbid.com.....

Called to be God's Prophet - Join Groundwork as we learn from Ezekiel's experience and discuss what it means to be called, to be a prophet, to speak truth, and share His message. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com

Calling/Visiting Senior Members ~ October 23 - 29

(Sanborn) Gerald Dragstra

(Sheldon) Roy & Jeri Prins

TODAY ~ October 23

PPoint: Tonya Wiekamp

Video: Aidan Carlson

Audio: Stefan Sybesma

Doors: Ray Elgersma

Nursery: Tonja Hoogers, Aubree Graves

Greeters: Erin & Jenny Campbell

Larry Hofman, Gerald Dragstra

CIW: Amanda VB, Carol Bootsma

Accom: AM Carol W PM Starla R

Offering: AM Budget, Mission Fund

PM Crossroads Prison Ministry

Hospitality: Craig & Tammy Solsma

John & Laura Elgersma

Amanda Vander Berg

Jesse Graves

NEXT WEEK ~ October 30

Alan Visser family

Levi Westra

Ben Reitsma

AM Rich VW PM Keven VM

Lindsey & Alivia Koldenhoven

Terry & Lori Bootsma

Larry & Karen Bosma

Amanda VB, Linda O.

AM & PM Starla Reitsma

AM Budget, CES (Fair Share)

PM World Renew-Hurricane Ian

Kevin & Tonya Wiekamp

Josh & Shannon Rydberg

Larry & Karen Bosma

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

5:00 p.m. Worship and "Fiesta" Meal
at Vander Haag Museum

Monday 6:45 p.m. GEMS Meeting (Counselor mtg at 8:30)

Tuesday 1:30 p.m. Ladies Bible Fellowship

Thursday 6:30 p.m. Zuni Mission School Fundraising supper

NEW on Literature table: Newsletter from Mike & Megan Ribbens (was sent via e-mail during the week)
Rise Ministries Events newsletter

Church Mailboxes: CES Soup/Dessert Supper donation sheet
Future CES Fundraisers (5 x 7)
Heartland Classis summary
CRCNA November Prayer Guide
Bookmark from Faith Formation

THE LORD'S DAY – October 23, 2022
MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 A.M.
Pastor Phil Westra

Sermon Notes for Sunday Morning, October 23, 2022
"Faith Alone: Apprehending Justification"
Luke 18:9–14, Romans 3:21–26

IN HIS PRESENCE

Prelude: Carol Wiekamp

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship: *Psalm 65: 1 – 4, 11 - 13*

*Opening Prayer

*God's Greeting

*Song: "***Sing to the Lord of Harvest***" Red 398

IN HIS GRACE

Call to Repentance: *Matthew 11: 27 - 30*

Prayer of Confession

*Assurance of Pardon: *John 6: 38 – 40*

*Song: "***Blessed Assurance: Jesus is Mine***" Red 363

Congregational Prayer

Offerings: 1st - **Budget** 2nd – **Mission Fund**

Children's Offering – **Goats for World Renew**

3 – 6 year-olds ~ **Children in Worship:** L 9 – "Abram & Sarai"

IN HIS WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: **Luke 18: 9 – 14** (p 915)

Romans 3: 21 – 26 (p 982)

Message: "**Faith Alone: Apprehending Justification**"

Prayer of Application

IN HIS SERVICE

*Song: "***I Know Not Why God's Wondrous Grace***" Red 690 vs 1,3,4

*Parting Blessing

*Doxology: "***By the Sea of Crystal***" Red 489 vs 3

*Postlude

*stand if you are able

Introduction: The Tipping Point of Reformation

A. Justification by Faith

1. God's _____

2. God's _____

B. Challenges

1. dimensions of _____

2. dimensions of _____

C. Ways We Can Go Wrong

1. _____ Christians

2. Faith in _____

3. Denying _____ Nature

4. Making the _____