

Church Calendar

Today 9:30 a.m. Worship w/ Fellowship Coffee afterwards
10:50 – 11:40 a.m. Sunday School and Catechism classes
6:00 p.m. Evening worship
7:15 p.m. Sunday Evening Bible Study
Monday 6:45 p.m. GEMS meeting
Weds. 7:00 p.m. Cadets at URC

SERVING OUR FELLOWSHIP TODAY

Greeters: A.M. John & Laura Elgersma, Brendan & Erin Olson
P.M. Roy & Jeri Prins, Lee & Starla Reitsma
Nursery: A.M. Kassai Manwarren, Brandi Wright
P.M. Chelsea & Aiden Scott
Children in Worship: Jessica Schreurs, Linda Oldenkamp
Hospitality: Dale & Julie Elgersma, Larry & Shyla Stanley,
Liz Elgersma, Jenny Altena
Prairie View visiting: (Oct. 6 - 12) Dave Hofman
Video: Travis Solsma **Audio:** Bob Oldenkamp
Power Point: Amber Stange, Craig Solsma
Doors: Lee Reitsma

NEXT SUNDAY

Offering: A.M. 1st – Budget 2nd – Building Fund
P.M. Crossroads Prison Ministry
Greeters A.M. Ben & Adrienne Reitsma, Josh & Shannon Rydberg
P.M. Nate & Catherine Schreur, John & Jessica Schreurs
Nursery: A.M. Lindsey Koldenhoven, Tina Meyers
P.M. Adrienne & Shae Reitsma
Organist/Pianist: A.M. and P.M. Starla Reitsma
Children in Worship: Sharla Back, Julia Back
Hospitality: Rich & Joy Vander Werff, Tyler & Anna Van Ess,
Nikki Boone, Linda Verbrugge
Prairie View visiting: (Oct. 13 - 19) Lee Reitsma
Video: Karter Van Meeteren **Audio:** Aaron Alons
Power Point: Koldenhoven's **Doors:** Craig Solsma

Writing Missionaries for October

Brent & Lindsey Koldenhoven	Harold Hoftzyer
Dave & Ruth Hoogland	Scott Horstman

"Gifts From the Garden". Feel free to contribute and partake of this garden produce during the growing season – table in Fellowship Hall

A warm welcome is extended to all who have come to worship with us today. The ALS System is available for those with hearing impairments. A nursery room is in the basement.

WORSHIP NOTES

First Fruits committee – please meet before the evening service tonight in the Church Office – at 5:30 p.m.

Next Sunday Evening, our Worship service will begin at 5:30 p.m. so the Young People's members and Counselors can attend an event with the First Reformed YPS.

We will have a Combined Reformation Service in our Church, with the Ocheyedan CRC and the Sibley CRC, Sunday evening, October 27, at 6:00 pm

CONGREGATIONAL NOTES

Advance notice: Pastor Al's final Message will be given on Sunday morning, November 17. We will be having a Luncheon at Church that day to celebrate his retirement from full-time ministry. More information to come.

TONIGHT – the **Sunday Evening Bible Study** will be at 7:15 p.m. All singles or couples are invited to come! We will be studying "*I Am a Church Member*". The Oldenkamp's will provide lunch.

Ushers for October

	<u>AM</u>	<u>PM</u>
West Door	Brody Elgersma	
Center Door	Jesse Manwarren	Jerry Buteyn
Center Door	Ken Reitsma	John M. Vander Haag
East Door	Levi Schreurs	

There is a sign-up sheet on the literature table for **Sanborn Christian's Harvest Sale Meal** (Sat., Nov. 2). We would appreciate your donations.

This afternoon at 3:00 p.m. The Sibley CRC invites you to the concert of Josiah Mullins. He has begun traveling and performing with the Brown Family of Le Mars. Next Sunday, October 13 at 3:00 p.m., the Gospel Gold Quartet from Sioux Falls will give a concert.

WCHS Fall Music Concert ~ We invite you to join the bands, choirs, and orchestra of Western Christian High School as we present our Fall Music Concert on Thursday, October 17 at 7:30 P.M.

ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

This Friday, October 11 and Saturday, October 12, Dordt University hosts its **Defender Days celebration** with a wide range of events, including the 4th Avenue Jazz Concert at 3 pm on Friday, the Fall Music Festival with Campus-Community Band, Chamber Orchestra, Wind Symphony, Bella Voce, Chorale, and Concert Choir at 7pm on Friday, and a hymn festival on Saturday at 10:30 am presented by Dordt Alumni, beginning with an extended prelude by Chris Teeuwsen (Redeemer University, Ontario) and a hymn sing directed by Martin Tel (Princeton Theological Seminary) and Carrie Groenewold (Dordt University Organist).

Go to www.dordt.edu for more Defender Days weekend highlights.

The Michigan-based Christian music group "A/live" will be perform in a Fund-raising concert on Saturday, October 19 at 6:30 p.m., in Sioux Falls Christian School (6120 S. Charger Circle). Proceeds will go to **Kingdom Boundaries Prison Aftercare**. There will also be testimonials from some men who have recently been released from prison.

Please join Inspiration Hills at their **Annual Fall Auction**, Friday, October 25, with doors opening at 6 p.m. for a first look at items on the Auction. Soup, Sandwich & Dessert will be available for a free-will offering. Live Auction begins at 7pm with Mark Zomer!

The Sioux County Oratorio Chorus begins this year's season with a special, fall session of rehearsals to get ready for a collaborative performance of the **Brahms Requiem**, in English, with the Northwest Iowa Symphony Orchestra on April 7, 2020! Fall rehearsals will be Tuesday nights 7:30-9:30 from October 22 – November 20 in the choir room at Northwestern College. Regular spring rehearsals will begin again on January 14, 2020. Join us for this masterpiece of choral literature and see what SCOC is all about!

Pray for Unity

Pray for our Search Committee to have the mind of Christ, respect each other's opinions, and agree on their common calling and purpose as they work together to find the pastor whom God is calling to Sanborn.

"May God, who gives this patience and encouragement, help you live in complete harmony with each other – each with the attitude of Christ Jesus toward the other." **Romans 15: 5**

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

Continue to remember in your thoughts and prayers ~ **Jon Sybesma Verla Elgersma**, and **Valerie Greene** as they fight the cancer and/or its effects in their bodies.

John Vander Werff has decided not to take the alternative treatments for his lung cancer. Remember him in your thoughts and prayers as well.

LIFTING LAMBS TO THE SHEPHERD

Lee & Susie Van Tol

Mark Meyers

Arlan Wiekamp

Prairie View Home

Thelma Elgersma

~ ~

Manor

Maureen Prins

Mary De Young

~ ~

Inn

Alice Van Ess

Fieldcrest

Noreen Krikke Angie Elgersma

Veda Bousema Arlan Wiekamp

(Sheldon)

Christian Retirement Home

Ted Bootsma Harold Hoftzyer

Mitch Verdoorn

Aspen Heights (Hull)

Harv Verbrugge

Please keep these church members in your thoughts and prayer

Thank you so much for the phone calls, cards, & visits for my 99th Birthday. They were greatly appreciated.
Alice Van Ess

Praising and thanking God for His healing and care through my cancer journey. It is a humbling experience to be carried by the prayers and concern of our church family and friends. Thank you for the cards, visits and the many other ways you showed your love. A special thank you to Pastor Al and Gwen for their constant encouragement and visits. God is so good.
Verla Elgersma and family

Bulletin Board information to check out

"NEWSBOYS" Concert

Kingdom Boundaries – Concert fundraiser

SHIIP – Volunteer help for Seniors

Does God seem far away? Guess who moved

THE LORD'S DAY – October 6, 2019
MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 A.M.

GOD GATHERS HIS PEOPLE

- Prelude: Catherine Schreur
Welcome
- * Call to Worship
 - * Hymn #253 *"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"* LUYH 575
 - * God's Greeting
 - * Greeting One Another
 - * Song *"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"* vs 2 LUYH 581

TO RENEW OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH HIM

- God's Will for Our Lives
Prayer of Confession
Assurance of Pardon
*Song of Confession *"In Christ Alone"* LUYH 770
Congregational Prayer

TO GIVE THANKS

- Offering: 1st - **Budget** 2nd – **CES (Fair Share)**
Children's offering – **Goats for World Renew**
CIW (Ages 3–6) **Lesson 7 "Creation"**
(Children will be brought to Classroom across the hall for a snack)

TO HEAR HIS WORD

- Scripture: **Ephesians 6: 10 – 17** (p 1025)
Message: **"I Choose Peace"**
Prayer

GOD SENDS US FORTH WITH HIS BLESSING

- * Hymn #489 *"When Peace Like a River"* vs 1-3 LUYH 451
 - * God's Parting Blessing
 - * Doxology *"When Peace Like a River"* vs 4
 - * Moment of Silent Reflection
 - * Postlude
- *Stand if you are able

THE LORD'S DAY – October 6, 2019
EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 6:00 P.M.

LET US PREPARE OUR HEARTS TO WORSHIP

Prelude: Joy Vander Werff
Welcome
Call to Worship
Silent Prayer

LET US WORSHIP GOD WITH JOYFUL HEART

Songs of Praise –

"O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee" LUYH 325

"There is a Balm in Gilead" LUYH 706

****"Come to the Savior Now"*** LUYH 613

- * God's Greeting
- Our Profession of Faith
- Song ***"Glory Be to the Father"*** LUYH 961
- Congregational Prayer

LET US HEAR THE WORD OF GOD PROCLAIMED

Scripture: **Isaiah 25: 1 – 12** (p 612)
Prayer for Illumination
Message: **"The Feast of the Lord Almighty"**
Prayer

LET US OFFER GOD OUR THANKSGIVING

Offering: **Benevolence**

LET US LIVE THE WORD OF GOD

- * Hymn **#471 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"**
vs 1-3 LUYH 601
- * God's Parting Blessing
- * Doxology **"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"** vs 4
- * Silent Prayer
- * Postlude

*Stand if you are able