

PRAYER ITEMS AND CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

Linda Beimers, a member of our church living near her son in Arizona, has been placed in Hospice Care. Pray for Linda and her family through the days ahead.

Sanford Senior Care

Harv Verbrugge Veda Bousema

Fieldcrest

Hazel Kuiper

Village Northwest

Tim Mouw

LIFTING LAMBS TO THE SHEPHERD

Brent & Lindsey Koldenhoven ~ Kaylen, Alivia, Brayden
Ken & Leilla Reitsma Kris Bosma

Young Adult of the Week ~ Jake Altena teaches in Littleton, Colorado. His address is found in the "Extended Church family" section of our church's directory.

We thank our Friends at Sanborn CRC for the recent gifts received from you. Your prayers, financial support, and work crews are exceptional and amazing. You truly bless and encourage us! We are loving the patio! **Pastors Sam and Jon Keyzer**

Bible League prayer requests for Asia

Bangladesh. Praise God for Samarbejoy's Bible-based Bengali Literacy group. Most of the participants in his group are now capable of reading and writing. Pray the Holy Spirit to guide this group to embrace the gift of salvation.

Malaysia. All glory to God for the approval of the application for registration of Bible League Malaysia with The Registrar of Societies. Give thanks God for His provision of institutional coverage with several Christian partners since 2000. Due to Muslim authorities' seizure of Bibles in the national language, Bible League's headquarters was relocated to East Malaysia. Pray for continued ministry and for the free distribution and use of Bibles in East Malaysia.

**It costs to follow Christ,
but it costs more not to**

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

WORSHIP NOTES

Our worship services are on Church's website sanborncrc.com and the YouTube link <http://youtube.com/@sanborncrc/live>

In honor of Lee Van Tol's 90th Birthday, cake will be served by his family during our fellowship time.

Mr. Dan Tracy will lead us in worship at our 5 PM Service today.

Pastor Jon Keyzer and some members of the **Northern Lighthouse Church** will participate during Morning worship next Sunday, October 13.

Combined Reformation Service in Our Church ~ 5 PM on Sunday, October 27. Participating church families from Sibley, Ocheyedan, Sheldon Immanuel, and Sheldon First CRC's will join our Congregation. There will be a time of fellowship afterwards with coffee, juice, and cookies/bars.

CONGREGATIONAL NOTES

Sunday Evening Bible group will do their first lesson, tonight at 6:15 pm. "*Never Beyond Hope*", which highlights six Biblical characters, their failures and faults, and how God still shaped them and used them for His work. Bob & Linda Oldenkamp will lead Lesson 1 and provide lunch. You're always invited to visit or join us.

Women's Bible Study will meet this Tuesday, October 9, at 9:30 a.m. We will be studying Lesson 2 – "*Danger and Judgement*".

Are you crazy busy and don't know what to make for supper? Do you wish you had something already prepared that you could just throw in the oven? Or do you just enjoy fellowship while cooking! Sign up on the Lit. Table for **Monthly Cooking Group at church by October 13.** More information will be handed out after October 13. If you have any questions please contact Lindsey Koldenhoven.

Additional Announcements

On **Saturday November 2nd**, Sanborn Christian School will be hosting their annual Harvest Sale. Plan to attend and support SCS!

- ~ Viewing of auction items ~ starts at 2:30 pm
- ~ Children's Auction and Silent Auction ~ starts at 3:00 PM
- ~ Live Auction ~ starts at 4:00 PM
- ~ Food will be served from 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM

The Sheldon Ministerial will be offering **Coats for Kids** again this year! Coats will be given away on Oct. 10 and Nov. 14 from 4:30-6:00 at Living Water Community Church in Sheldon. Coat donations can be dropped off Love INC (611 Park Row, Sheldon) between now and November 14.

Heartland Classical Discipleship Committee informing you of the **Dunamis Project #1**: "*Gateways to Empowered Ministry*" will be held October 10-13 in Milford, Iowa. By the end of this conference, you will have a sound, Biblically-based knowledge of who the Holy Spirit is, what the role of the Holy Spirit is today, and what it means to be filled with the Spirit. To learn more and register, visit www.primi.org/dpiowa

Justice For All's Annual Meeting is Tues, Oct 22 at 5:00PM in the Rock Valley Event Center. Business meeting and a meal – no auction this year. A panel of area ministries who will share their ministry but also how through collaboration, many needs continue to be met in our local area. **Reservations for the meal:** call 712.476.2804 or emailing joeldw@jfa-nwiowa.org by Oct 15. An offering will be received for JFA ministry.

Beatitude 1: Depend on God - Matthew 5:3 ~ What does it mean to depend on God? Can you think of one way to practice relying on God this week? Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net, like the Liz and Friend Story Podcast: Change of Plans.

Live a Holy Life Set Apart for God - When the culture we live in makes our faith feel restrictive, the apostle Peter encourages believers to embrace a new perspective. Join Groundwork as we study 1 Peter 1:13-2:3. Learn how God's Word provides the spiritual sustenance we need to maintain an active faith in all circumstances. Listen at GroundworkOnline.com

Writing Missionaries in the Month of October

Casey Baker Aaron & Renee Alons Brandi Wright

Calling/Visiting Senior Members ~ October 6 - 12

(Sanborn) Aaron & Renee Alons
(Sheldon) John & Jessica Schreurs

CHURCH CALENDAR

TODAY -October 6

PPoint: Amber Stange, Craig Solsma
Video: Karter Van Meeteren
Audio: Bob Oldenkamp
Doors: Ben Reitsma
CIW: Jessica & Anna S, Lindsey K
Nursery: Linda Oldenkamp, Aleah S
Greeters: Alan & Briana Visser
 Brandi Wright & family
Accom: AM & PM Jamie C
Offering: AM Budget, Mission Fund
 PM Benevolence
Hospitality: Family of
 Lee Van Tol

Next Week – October 13

Brent Koldenhoven
Jeri Prins
Aaron Alons
Brian Koldenhoven
Anna VE, Judy V, Abigail C
Adrienne & Shae Reitsma
Gerrit & Carol Wiekamp
Kevin & Tonya Wiekamp
AM Starla R PM Joy VW
AM Budget, Bldg. Proj. Fund
PM Love, Inc
Brandi Wright
Jeromy & Paige De Kok
Jesse Graves

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

5:00 p.m. Worship Service

6:15 p.m. Sunday Evening Bible Study

Monday 7:00 p.m. Elders Meeting
Tuesday 9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study – L2
Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Deacons Meeting

In Church Mailboxes: Deacons' Report
 Inspiration Hills newsletter
 Library Lines

NEW on Literature table: Zuni Christian Mission newsletter

THE LORD'S DAY – October 6, 2024
MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE 9:30 A.M.
Pastor Phil Westra

IN HIS PRESENCE

Prelude: Jamie Carlson

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship: *Psalm 46: 7 - 11*

*Opening Prayer

*God's Greeting

*Song: **"Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me"**

IN HIS GRACE

Call to Confession: *Isaiah 1: 18*

Song: **"Remember Not, O God"** Red 632

Assurance of Pardon: *I Timothy 1: 15 – 17*

God's Will: *Exodus 20: 1 - 17*

*Song: **"Lord, Speak to Me that I May Speak"** Red 754 vs 1 - 4

Congregational Prayer

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

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

Children in Worship for 3 – 6 yr olds ~ Lesson 5 *"The Good Shepherd"*

IN HIS WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Bible Reading: **Philippians 1: 12 – 21** (p 1026)

Sermon: **"To Live is Christ"**

Prayer of Application

*Song: **"Nearer, Still Nearer"** Red 659

IN HIS SERVICE

*Parting Blessing

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

*Postlude

*stand if you are able

THE LORD'S DAY – October 6, 2024
EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE 5:00 P.M.
Guest Pastor: Mr. Dan Tracy

LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS TO GOD WITH PRAISE

Prelude: Jamie Carlson

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship

*Opening Prayer

*God's Greeting

LIFT UP YOUR HEARTS TO GOD WITH THANKSGIVING

*Song: **"The Ends of All the Earth Shall Hear"** Red 594 vs 1, 2, 4

*Song: **"O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"** Red 325 vs 1, 3, 4

*Profession of Faith: Apostles' Creed

OPEN YOUR HEARTS TO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Prayer for Illumination

Bible Reading: **James 5: 1 – 6** (p 1063)

Meditation: **"The Trial of Riches"**

Prayer of Application

*Song of Application: **"Take My Life and Let It Be"** Red 863

PRAYERS AND OFFERINGS

Share Prayer Requests

Congregational Prayer

Offering: **Benevolence**

OFFER YOURSELVES TO GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART

*Song: **"Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"** Red 590 vs 1 - 3

*Parting Blessing

*Doxology: **"Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"** Red 590 vs 8

*Postlude

*stand if you are able

Sermon Notes for Sunday Morning, October 6, 2024
"To Live is Christ" ~ Philippians 1:12–21

Introduction: Ambition for the Gospel of Christ

A. Focusing on Christ in all _____

B. Focusing on Christ facing bad _____

C. Focusing on Christ for our _____

Sermon Notes for Sunday 5 PM Service, October 6, 2024
"The Trial of Riches" ~ James 5: 1 – 6

I. The Disappointment of Riches

II. The Distress of Riches

III. The Deception of Riches