

Cultivating space for people to experience the transforming love of Christ.

Prayers, Praise, and Plans

A WEEKLY PUBLICATION OF CHURCH FAMILY CONCERNS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER PARTNERSHIP

Worship Today, August 11, 2024

Pastor Darren will lead our morning worship and Mr. Nate Van Wyk will lead evening worship.

Church Family Prayers

- > We offer our sympathy to Gary and Alberdina Van Wyk in the death of Gary's brother, Gilbert Van Wyk, on Tuesday, August 6. We pray that they will experience the peace and comfort of God as they mourn this loss.
- > Congratulations to Connor Dunsbergen and Hannah Harrison who were married last week Saturday, August 3, in the Lutheran Church of Hope in West Des Moines. We pray God's rich blessing on the home they establish in West Des Moines.
- > The address for Theda Fopma is incorrect in the directory. Please note that it is: 907 Orchard Dr., Apt. 104, Grinnell, Ia. 50112.
- > Out of a desire to care for all our members, each week we will be placing names of shut-ins for you to remember in prayer. This week we want to specifically remember Henrietta Laverman and Melissa Laverman.

Next Week Sunday, August 18

Offering: Christian Education Encouragement Fund

Greeters: (N) Alvin and Mary Fopma

(S) Brennan and Shelby Veenstra

Nursery Assignment: Linda Menninga and Abbie De Berg

Coffee Servers: Randy and Jodi De Vries
Jason and Jen Lowry

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Bulletin Deadline Thursday Noon.)

Budget Giving

Total Congregational Giving since June 1, 2024: \$83,119.50

Budgeted goal by August 31, 2024: \$113,853.00 Budget Giving Goal by May 31, 2025: \$455,412.00 "Many hands make light work," and you proved that to be true when so many of you turned up last week Saturday to take the brick off of the parsonage! Thank you so much for all of your hard work which accomplished the task quickly!

The annual Rededication Service is set for Sunday, August 25, at the Lynnville Sully High school gym. Our speaker is Curtis Fry of CHOICES Ministry.

Curtis and his family live in Dallas Center Iowa where they run their own construction business. He grew up on a farm near Wilton Iowa, where he was active in sports and local Christian youth groups and attended church regularly with his family. After a 21st birthday celebration in Iowa City, he found himself in jail charged with 2nd degree murder. This experience inspired him to share with others how our choices affect us and choosing Christ over our own desires is the best way to lead our lives

Coffee Break needs someone to lead the Little Lambs program. Little Lambs is for children 3-5 years old. Story time and simple craft materials are provided. Contact Norma Beerends at 594-3498 if you would be willing to help with this.

Bible League Retreat: You won't want to miss the day of inspiration planned for the Fall Bible League Conference. It will be hosted at Calvary CRC of Pella on September 12. The event will include keynote speakers, Craig and Molly Sanborn, worship led by Debbie Nelson and the Cornerstone Praise Team, and a Bible League ministry report from the Asian-Pacific. An offering will be taken for Bibles for the Nations. Register online at bibleleague.org/tickets/ or call 708-367-8921, \$40 per single or \$70 per married couple by August 26.

Sully Christian School Hostess Supper: Please mark your calendars for Saturday, August 24th at 6 PM, Sully Christian School Gym, and join us for a wonderful celebration featuring a meal, time of fellowship, and entertainment by Higher Power Men's Quartet to worship our great God at our Hostess Supper Fundraiser.

We hope a school family has been in touch with you, but if your path has not crossed with a school family, I would like to personally invite and encourage you to RSVP with a SCS Family or online, on our school website www.sullychristian.org (Events Tab). We would be honored to have you with us and to connect with you.

Hospice of Pella invites you to the upcoming Volunteer Training. We will gather from 6:00-8:30 PM, on Thursday evenings, August 29 - October 3, to learn about what Hospice is and how Hospice Volunteers can provide care, comfort, and support to patients and their families. If you'd like to learn more or to sign up for the class, please call Beth Loux, Hospice Volunteer Coordinator, at 641-620-5050. We'd love to have you join us!

Roger Zylstra (25)	Team 6	CHURCH PROGRAM	
Gary Christensen (25)			
Landon Van Zante (25)		Sunday	
Dale Van Wyk (26)		Men's Bible Study	8:00 AM
Tim Vander Schel (26)	Team 2	Prayer Meeting	
Nolan Vos (26)		Church School	
Mike Van Soelen (27)	Team 1	*Growing in Grace	
Jeff Pastoor (27)	Vicar	*Truth Seekers	7:00 PM
Joel Vos (27)	Team 4	Tuesday	
Pastor Darren		*Coffee Break Ministry	9:30 AM
		Wednesday	
DEACONS		*Ruth Circle	1:00 PM
Mike Vander Molen (25)Ben		*Share Your Faith	
Trevor Nikkel (25)	Secretary, Team 6	*GEMS	6:45 PM
Dennis Schut (26)	Chairman	*Cadets	6:45 PM
John Kramer (26)Vicar	/Auditor, Team 4	*412 High School Youth Group	7:00 PM
Zach Dunsbergen (26)	Team 1	* Indicates these groups meet Septemb	
Clint Vos (27) Missi	ion Fund /Team 2	Prayer Meeting	. 7:00 PM (year-round)
Lauren Van Wyk (27)	Team 5		
Nathan Nikkel (27)Ger	neral Fund Treasurer		
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