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Prayers, Praise, and Plans

A WEEKLY PUBLICATION OF CHURCH FAMILY CONCERNS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER PARTNERSHIP

Worship Today, October 27, 2024

Pastor Darren will lead both services today.

Church Family Prayers

> 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 Sheryl Cooling, Zelda Engbers, and Theda Fopma.

Next Week Sunday, November 3

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Offering: Sully Christian School

- (N) Randy and Jodi De Vries
- (5) Roger and Marlene Bruxvoort

Nursery Assignment: Brooke Dunsbergen and Aspen Kramer

Coffee Servers: Kyle and Kendra Van Kooten Melvin and Wanda Lanser

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Bulletin Deadline Thursday Noon.)

Budget Giving

Total Congregational Giving since June 1, 2024: \$167,225.22

Budgeted goal by October 31, 2024: \$189,755.00 Budget Giving Goal by May 31, 2025: \$455,412.00

Please Note: Next week Sunday, November 3, we will go back to standard time, evening worship will go to 5:00 pm start time.

The choir will be singing during morning worship on November 3. We will be singing "I Sing Because I'm Happy" by Rollo Dilworth. You can listen to it on You Tube if you would like to hear it. All ages are welcome.

Dinner and Game Night: Our annual Dinner and Game Night is coming up on Wednesday, November 6. We are looking for homes that would enjoy hosting a group of about 5-7 youth and leaders for a meal and game from 7-8:30pm! If interested, please reach out to Candice @ 515-321-7456 or clvos6@icloud.com. Thanks!

Church Pews available: The pews by the organ are being removed to make room for a grand piano. If anyone has ideas on how they can be used or would be interested in one (or more), please contact Lauren Van Wyk -641-891-0146.

From the facility team. There are three exterior steel doors and one window from the parsonage that are free for the taking. Contact Merl Van Zante (641-831-0696) for details.

Mark your calendars: Sew Day will be Thursday, November 7. Be sure to come for a fun day of working together along with great fellowship and food.

Advance Notice: Cadet Hog Roast will be Wednesday, November 20, from 5:00-7:00 at the Sully Christian School.

Dutch Letters for Sale! Sully Christian is again selling delicious, hand-rolled Dutch Letters. Each 12" stick is stuffed with yummy almond filling and comes frozen and ready to bake at your convenience. A box of 6 Dutch Letters is \$30.00. You can place your order by using our online order form on our website or Facebook page, by contacting Sandi De Vries at 641-780-4049 or by emailing scsdutchletters@gmail.com. Pick-up date is Friday, Nov. 1 from 12:00 noon-8:00 p.m. at Sully Christian School or from 4:00-6:00 at Grace Fellowship Church in Pella. Thank you!

SCS Apparel - SCS is offering a new apparel order this year. If you would like to view the web store, check out our Facebook page or contact Larissa Huisman at <u>secretary@sullychristian.org</u>. Orders are due at noon on Wednesday, October 30.

Pella Christian High School Presents Fiddler on the Roof

Pella Christian High School's Theatre Troupe will begin its new year—their 75th Diamond Jubilee Season—with Broadway's favorite classic, *Fiddler on the Roof*. Production dates are October 31, November 1 and 2, 2024 with Reserve Tickets available for purchase on-line beginning October 21. Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$8 for students (\$2 more at the door). Visit www.pceagles.org for more information.

Thrive Faith Formation Tip - Today is Reformation Sunday, when churches in a variety of Reformed denominations celebrate the work of Martin Luther and others who influenced generations of Reformed churches like those in the CRCNA. The "five solas" provide a helpful summary of Reformed faith teaching: solo Christus (Christ alone), sola gratia (grace alone), sola fide (faith alone), sola scriptura (Scripture alone), and soli deo gloria (glory to God alone). Spend time reflecting on these solas this week, thinking individually, or discussing as a family how important these are in your relationship with Christ. Brought to you by Thrive: crcna.org/Thrive

COUNCIL FUNCTION/DISTRICT **CHURCH PROGRAM** Roger Zylstra (25) Team 6 Gary Christensen (25).....Team 5 Sunday Men's Bible Study 8:00 AM Prayer Meeting...... 8:45 AM Tim Vander Schel (26).....Team 2 Nolan Vos (26)......Team 3 *Growing in Grace......7:00 PM Mike Van Soelen (27)Team 1 Tuesday Joel Vos (27)......Team 4 *Coffee Break Ministry 9:30 AM Pastor Darren Stephen's Ministry Training.......6:30 PM **DEACONS** Wednesday Mike Vander Molen (25)..... Benevolence, Team 3 *Ruth Circle......1:00 PM Trevor Nikkel (25)..... Secretary, Team 6 *Share Your Faith......6:45 PM Dennis Schut (26)......Chairman *GEMS6:45 PM John Kramer (26)...... Vicar/Auditor, Team 4 Zach Dunsbergen (26) Team 1 *412 High School Youth Group......7:00 PM Clint Vos (27)...... Mission Fund /Team 2 * Indicates these groups meet September through March. Lauren Van Wyk (27) Team 5 Nathan Nikkel (27).....General Fund Treasurer **INFORMATION** Worship Coordinator Jodi De Berg – 319-243-8754 email: jodideberg@gmail.com Custodian Randy and Karen Altena – 641-840-1235 Right Now Media Access: Custom Link: https://app.rightnowmedia.org/ioin/sullvchristianreformedchurch **Missionaries** World: Mike Ribbens, c/o Resonate Global Mis. Nigerian Courier, 1700 28th St, SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49508email: mribbens@gmail.com Amy Hoogeveen, c/o Nicaragua Christian Academy, Apartado 842, Managua, Nicaragua.....email:myhgvn@gmail.com Ryan & Jody Faber, Justo Mwale University, Munali Road, Chambia Valley, PO 310199, Lusaka, Zambia.....email: rfaber@crcna.org Mark Klompien; c/o Resonate Global Mis., Nepal 1700 28th St SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49508 email: mklompien@proton.me Home: Craig Brock, The Table, 1812 S Lincoln St. Denver, CO 80210..... email: craig.brock@gmail.com Live Streaming at Sully Christian Reformed Church Website – sullycrc.org