

**Morning Worship ~ 9:45 a.m. / Evening Worship ~ 6 p.m.**

**August 5, 2018**

**Welcome to Lebanon Christian Reformed Church! The mission of Lebanon CRC is to live by and grow in faith, hope, and love—together.**

**Today's offerings: CRCNA Ministry Shares / New Roots Ministry**

Next Sunday's offerings: Building Fund / Kingdom Boundaries Prison Aftercare

## **Serving One Another**

Nursery today: Broc & Sara Yesda / Nursery next Sunday: Darryl & Christy Zeutenhorst

Refreshments after morning worship today and visiting our shut-ins this week: Josh & Leah Gradert

Refreshments after morning worship next Sunday and visiting our shut-ins next week: Myron & Nancy Gradert

## **Congregational Announcements**

**This morning**, Jesse and Brendan Zeutenhorst, having given an appropriate testimony of their faith, lives, and doctrine to the elders, will make public profession of faith. Praise God from whom all blessings flow!

**Women of all ages** are invited to a time of fellowship on the first and third Tuesday of each month (August 7 & 21) at 10 a.m. at Casey's Bakery to connect with and encourage each other. You may come and go as you please.

**Our new and improved church website** ([lebanoncrc.org](http://lebanoncrc.org)) is now live and looks great! Recordings of morning worship are now available on the website via the YouTube link.

**The facilities improvement project** is paid for in full but the building fund has been depleted. Please consider this in future offerings for the building fund and thanks again for your generosity in funding the facilities improvement project.

**We are providing and serving** the supper meal at The Banquet (900 East 8<sup>th</sup> Street) in Sioux Falls on Monday, August 13 from 6 to 7:30 p.m. We need 6-8 volunteers to prepare the meal at 2 p.m. and 35-40 volunteers to serve the meal at 5:15 p.m. Everyone able and available, including children and young people age 10+, are encouraged to help. There are signup sheets by the mailboxes. "I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink,..." Jesus. [thebanquetsf.org](http://thebanquetsf.org)

**Consistory (elders) and council (elders and deacons)** will next meet Tuesday, August 21; consistory at 6:30 p.m. and council at 7:30 p.m. As always, direct any questions or concerns to an elder or deacon or Pastor Cory.

## **Congregational Prayers and Praises**

\*For our shut-ins:

Elmer Bonnema Resides at Crown Pointe in Sioux Center

Adrian Kruid Resides at home in Sioux Center

Severt & Christina Vander Esch Reside at Oak Hill Assisted Living in Hawarden

\*For our elderly members and parents and grandparents whose health is declining due to age

\*For those grieving the death of loved ones and longing to be reunited with them through Jesus

\*For others dealing with health concerns; for healing mercy and/or sufficient grace

\*For our children, that they would grow in the grace and knowledge of Jesus

\*For our marriages, that they would reflect the love of Jesus for the church

\*For the Dekkers' & Maletoungou's, and their work in College Station, Texas and Guinea, Africa

\*For Cate Cave, living in Chiapas, Mexico

\*For Tyler Dunn as he attends U.S. Army Advanced Individual Training at Fort Leonard Wood, MO

\*For Jon and Lydia and Jenny and baby Korthuis, due in November

\*For Joseph Cave and Francis Momberg, engaged to be married December 1

## Other Announcements

**The 27<sup>th</sup> annual Western Christian Booster Club golf tournament** is Friday, August 10, at 12 p.m. at the Ridge Golf Course in Sioux Center. The cost is \$90 per person and includes 18 holes of golf, cart, supper, and the opportunity to win prizes. Please call Mike Broek at (712) 395-0699 or Mike Roetman (712) 449-5199 to reserve your spot or if you have any questions.

**LifeLight is bringing a free festival** to Rock Valley on Saturday, August 11 from 4 to 10 p.m., headlined by Hawk Nelson and featuring Bread of Stone, Bobby Bugattii, Rachele Hope, Everchanged, Cade Thompson, Abby Robertson, speaker Josh Brewer, plus the Stunt Dudes BMX Team. Kids' Zone with inflatables and activities starts at 3 p.m.

**Sioux County Youth for Christ** is selling 18 lb. lugs of Colorado peaches (\$36.50 per lug) for delivery on Monday, August 20. Order online at [siouxlandyfc.org/events/peach\\_sales](http://siouxlandyfc.org/events/peach_sales) or by contacting Tom Cook at [tom@siouxlandyfc.org](mailto:tom@siouxlandyfc.org) or (701) 269-6259. Deadline to order is Monday, August 13.

**A GriefShare support group in Sioux Center** will meet on Thursdays, August 23 to November 8 from 6:45 to 9 p.m. at New Life Reformed Church's Chapel. The cost is \$20 for the workbook and scholarships are available to cover this cost. For more information or to register, please call Arlis De Boer at (712) 441-0217. Registration is also available online at [www.nlrchurch.org](http://www.nlrchurch.org). To learn more about GriefShare, go to [griefshare.org](http://griefshare.org).

**Western Christian High School** is anticipating its 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary in August 2019. A book is being put together to commemorate this anniversary and we would like to include memories from former and current students as well as former and current faculty in the book. Email your reflections to [wes.fopma@westernchristianhs.com](mailto:wes.fopma@westernchristianhs.com) or mail them to: Western Christian High School, P.O. Box 658, Hull, Iowa 51239.

**Unity Christian High School** friends, we invite you to consider financially supporting the Refresh Drive 2018. We have distributed over 2500 brochures describing the project. Our goal is to refresh our school with air conditioning units in classrooms, update lights in the Knight Center and spruce up our gym with new features. Thank you!

**Friendship Bible Study** in Sioux Center needs ten people to be mentors to friends with special needs for their upcoming season. If interested in this opportunity, talk to Orlan and/or Evie Gulker about the details.

**“Good Battle” Israel Tours:** There are still trips to Israel in 2018 or 2019 with author Cliff Graham and his team at 60% off of the normal price for a guided Israel tour—first come, first served. If interested or for more information, go to [goodbattletours.com](http://goodbattletours.com), or contact Cliff Graham at [hello@cliffgraham.com](mailto:hello@cliffgraham.com), or check out his Facebook page at [facebook.com/cliffgrahamauthor](https://facebook.com/cliffgrahamauthor), or talk to Charlie or Nola or Amanda Van Driessen.

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