

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

September 30, 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: General Fund / Sioux County Youth for Christ

Next Sunday's offerings: CRCNA Ministry Shares / Amistad Cristiana

Serving One Another

Nursery today: Harry & Pam Dekkers / Nursery next Sunday: Ver & Karel Dekkers

Refreshments after morning worship today and visiting our shut-ins this week: Darin & Amy Noyes

Refreshments after morning worship next Sunday and visiting our shut-ins next week: Joe & Alissa Richardson

Congregational Announcements

This morning, Caden and Allyson Yesda, 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!

Sunday school and catechism classes will meet following morning worship today.

Today, we will provide the chapel service at Hillcrest Care Facility in Hawarden at 12:30 p.m. Everyone available is welcome and encouraged to come!

Tonight after the evening worship we will be having fellowship coffee in the church basement. Mylasah Cave and Kylie Koenen will be serving refreshments.

We are seeking a new church custodian due to Christy Zeutenhorst accepting full-time employment with Hope Haven. A job description is available from Dan Gradert. If you are interested in this part-time paid position, please inform Dan as soon as possible. Thank you Christy for your time serving as our custodian!

Thank you for the anonymous donation of a new digital piano! We will sing and make music to the LORD!

Thank you for all the care and concern shown to us following Donna's knee dislocation. The visits, calls, food, etc. were great appreciated. Wayne and Donna Searcy

Thank you Lebanon CRC for your gift of \$316.50 for the support of Dordt College under the Synodical Ministry Share Program. John Baas

Tyler Dunn's address at U.S. Army Advanced Individual Training is: PFC Tyler Dunn ~ 5th PLT, A CO, 554th EN BN ~ 6221 Iowa Ave. ~ Ft. Leonard Wood, MO 65473. Please encourage him with mail while he is away at training!

Women of all ages are invited to a time of fellowship on the first and third Tuesday of each month (October 2 & 16) at 10 a.m. at Casey's Bakery to connect with and encourage each other. You may come and go as you please.

Consistory (elders) and council (elders and deacons) will next meet Tuesday, October 9; 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 Assisted Living in Sioux Center

Adrian Kruid Resides at home in Sioux Center with Greeta

Severt Vander Esch Resides at Oak Hill Assisted Living in Hawarden with Christina

*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

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- *For our marriages, that they would reflect the love of Jesus for the church
- *For our missionaries and their work in College Station, Texas and Guinea, Africa
- *For Cate Cave, living in 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
- *For Josh and Leah and baby Gradert, due in January

Other Announcements

Dordt College's First Monday Speaker Series resumes on Monday, October 1 with Rev. Dr. Gabriel Salguero. He is the president and founder of the National Latino Evangelical Coalition (NALEC). NALEC is a coalition of Hispanic evangelical churches and non-profits committed to Gospel-centered advocacy. He has served on the White House Faith-Based and Neighborhood Partnerships Advisory Council and the board of the National Association of Evangelicals. He is a pastor at Calvario City Church, a Latino-led Assemblies of God multicultural church of about 4,000 people in Orlando, Florida. He will speak in the morning at 11 a.m. in the B.J. Haan Auditorium with a presentation titled "Beyond Despair: Lessons from Narnia and the Gospel"; and in the evening he will be part of a panel discussion at 7:30 p.m. in the Science Building titled "Who is Our Neighbor? Immigration, Justice, and Christian Hospitality." Both presentations are free and open to the public.

KDCR Radio's 50th Anniversary Open House is Tuesday, October 2. Please stop by KDCR Radio on the Dordt College campus for a tour of our station building and meet the KDCR staff and student employees. (KDCR's first broadcast was in 1968.) Coffee & cookies will be served from 1-5 p.m. and hamburgers will be served from 5-7 p.m.

Justice For All invites you to their Fall Banquet & Annual Society Meeting on Tuesday, October 9 at 6:30 p.m. at Faith Reformed Church in Rock Valley. Special guests Mike and Dawn Menning with Great Commission Utah will share about their work in Utah, supporting and mentoring the wonderful Christian ministries that are ministering among the FLDS, as well as their own experiences of reaching out and being a presence in a community which so desperately needs to hear God's truth!! There will also be a short business meeting. Reservations for the meal are necessary by calling (712) 476-2804 or emailing joevz@jfa-nwiowa.org by October 5. An offering will be taken for JFA ministry.

Ireton CRC will be hosting a soup supper & bake sale on Wed, Oct 10 at the church. Serving will be from 5-7 with a free will donation going towards the Christian Ed. Community is welcome!!! Hope to see you there!!

Friends of Western Christian High School Banquet is Thursday, October 11 at 5:30 p.m. in the Western Christian Event Center. Cost per meal is \$10. Orlin Te Slaa, an attorney from Minneapolis and a 1976 graduate of Western Christian, will share some of his thoughts about Christian education. Attendees will also be treated to a recital by Mary Lou Wielenga on the new Steinway grand piano that was recently donated to Western Christian. Please RSVP by calling the school (712) 439-1013 or by emailing wes.fopma@westernchristianhs.com before October 8.

Sioux Center Christian School's Fall Soup Supper is Friday, October 19 from 5-7 p.m. at school. A variety of delicious soups, sandwiches, and desserts will be served for a free-will donation.

Unity Christian High School is hosting the Christmas with Selah Tour featuring Selah and Geoffrey Andrews on Saturday, December 1 at 7 p.m. in the Knight Center. Tickets, which are \$23, are now on sale online at the following link and will likely sell out quickly: itickets.com/events/402864.html. Prior to the concert, there will be a dinner in the gymnasium from 5:20 – 6:40 p.m. This dinner requires an RSVP to the school office at (712) 737-4114. It is a catered meal with an opportunity to give a free-will donation and is replacing the Hostess Supper that has taken place in the past. In addition, we will be auctioning off delicious desserts at the end of the meal to each table. You may bid on the desserts as a second way to support the mission of Unity Christian High School that evening.

Ireton Christian School Fall Building Fund Drive: Ireton Christian School is currently holding its Fall Building/School Improvement Fund Drive to address some issues or improvements we feel are important. We are looking at updating our network equipment (over 10 years old), installing a new security system on our entry door, and updating another bus. With these improvements in mind, we are once again asking for financial support. If you are able to contribute, please send your gift to Ireton Christian School, Attn: Building Drive, 104 5th Street, Ireton IA 51027. Thanks for your support.