

October 3, 2021

Welcome to Lebanon Christian Reformed Church

The mission of Lebanon CRC is
To live by and grow in faith, hope, and love—together.

WEEKLY SERVICES & MINISTRIES AT LEBANON

Welcome to Lebanon Church. Let us glorify the Lord and exalt his name **together!**

This morning, “Glory through Weakness,” explores the Lord’s choosing David as the new king of Israel, from 1 Samuel 16:1-13. ***We will also celebrate the Lord’s Supper.*** Take a moment to review the insert in this bulletin for partaking communion.

This evening, “What’s Wrong?” takes a look at the damage sin does to the image of God we bear. The message is from Romans 3:9-20 and Lord’s Days 3-4 of the Heidelberg Catechism.

Next Sunday Rev. Tinklenberg will lead us in worship. Pulpit supply October 31 will be Rev. Dave Smit.

Today’s offerings: Steve & Tara Dekkers Mission / Zestos

Next Sunday’s offerings: Denominational Ministry Shares / Mid-Sioux Opportunity

Serving One Another

Refreshments after morning worship today and remembering our shut-ins this week: Darryl & Christy Zeutenhorst

Refreshments after morning worship & remembering our shut-ins next week: Arlo & LaVonne Bonnema

October Special Music – Broc & Sara Yesda

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lisa Drenten came home from Avera Behavioral Health Center in Sioux Falls last Wednesday.

Pastor Bob and Jan will be away from October 4-10.

Thank you to Lebanon CRC for your prayers and words of encouragement while I was in the hospital and recuperating at home. And thank you to the ladies that brought in meals, flowers, books and cards. I am so blessed to be part of this caring congregation. God Bless you all, Pam Dekkers.

The council will begin the process of nominations for elder and deacon at the October 11 meeting. You are invited to direct attention to qualified candidates. Let Chairman Wayne Dekkers know of any you wish to suggest for consideration.

Sunday evening schedule for October – December – evening services will be held on the **First** and **Third** Sunday’s for 6:00pm worship. The **Second** Sunday will be Grow Groups.

CALENDAR

Sunday, October 3

9:45 AM – Morning Worship & Communion
– Sunday School & High School catechism

6:00 PM – Evening Worship.

Sunday, October 10

9:45 AM – Morning Worship
– Sunday School and High School Catechism

6:00 PM – Grow Groups

Monday, October 11

6:30 PM – Consistory (Elders) meet

7:30 PM - Council

PRAYERS & PRAISES

- For our shut-ins:
 - Adrian & Greeta Kruid at home in Sioux Center
 - Christina Vander Esch resides at Oak Hill Assisted Living in Hawarden
- Pray for Steve & Tara Dekkers in College Station, TX and for those they serve.
- Pray for Sos and Kara in West Africa, and the cause of Christian education there.
- Pray for the Lord to guide our process of selecting elders and deacons. Remember to pray for each member of our council as they serve.
- Pray for the Habitat for Humanity project in Hawarden. Thanks to our youth group, helping Lebanon Church sponsor a fund raiser for this new home!
- Continue to pray for strength and safety in this harvest season and give thanks for blessing of this year's yield.
- Praying for our Sioux Center Area Congregations: Faith Christian Reformed congregation, Pastors Bob Pollema, Cliff Hoekstra, and David Smit.

ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

August Offerings (Deacon's report)

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| Banquet | \$468.00 | General Fund Balance | \$1,046.27 |
| Benevolent Fund | \$348.00 | Benevolent Fund Balance | \$4,715.88 |
| Budget | \$5,967.56 | Building Fund Balance | \$12,274.95 |
| Cadets | \$390.00 | Cemetery Fund Balance | \$14,348.00 |
| Dekkers Mission | \$633.00 | Tuition Assistance Balance | \$1,782.90 |
| Denom. Quotas | \$339.00 | | |
| Ireton Chr. School | \$441.00 | | |
| New Roots | \$208.00 | | |
| Siouxland Unity | \$407.00 | | |
| Tuition Assist | \$205.00 | | |
| Total | \$9,406.56 | | |

Youth for Christ - Snack Giveaways will restart in October for the West Sioux Middle and High School, taking place every 3rd Wednesday of the month. They need cookies by the 3rd Tuesday of the month. If they have enough bakers and supply, they will look into taking some to Ireton Christian Middle School students. Once a month Youth for Christ has a family style meal with the students. This gives the opportunity to hear their stories over a plate of home cooked food and the students get the chance to set up and clean up after the meal, teaching them life skills. YFC is looking to see if a church is interested in providing desserts for one of the Thanksgiving (November 18th) or Christmas (December 16th) meals.

Western Christian students will be hosting a free will donation car wash at Hull CRC and Bethel CRC in Sioux Center on Wednesday October 13. Students will wash your car in Hull from 9-11 a.m. and from 11:30 a.m. - 1 p.m. in Sioux Center! Funds raised will go towards the DeHoyos and Kooima families' little boys that have lots of medical expenses. There will also be baked goods for sale as you leave with your clean car! Thank you for your support!

Friends of Unity, We are kicking off our Fall Drive for the 21 Campaign. Our goal is to reach \$6 million by December 31. We are seeking gifts from current and new supporters. You can learn more about the project on our website www.unitychristian.net. Thank you for your consideration in support of the project!

You are invited to join us at Dordt, BJ Haan Auditorium, for a Live Concert on *Monday, November 1 at 7pm*, featuring **Andrew Peterson**, singer, songwriter, and author from Nashville, TN. Get tickets [here](#) or on his website: www.andrew-peterson.com. Contact Ruth Clark at Ruth.Clark@dordt.edu or calling 722-6507.