#### June 1, 2025 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

# *"The LORD says to my Lord: 'Sit at my right hand until I make your enemies a footstool for your feet."* – Psalm 110:1 NIV

<u>**This Sunday -**</u> Morning Worship - Today we remember the ascension of our Lord Jesus to the right hand of the Father. We continue to explore our walk with God through the "Psalms of Ascent." *Let's Go!* is based on Psalm 122. We will prepare for holy communion, which we celebrate next Sunday.

<u>Next Sunday - Morning Worship</u> – PENTECOST SUNDAY. Pastor Bob's message, *Power from on High*, will be from Luke 24:36-53. The risen and soon-to-ascend Jesus Christ promised his disciples that the Holy Spirit would clothe them with "power from on high." What would this divine power equip them - and us! - to do? We will celebrate holy communion.

#### Today's Offerings: Classis Iakota Ministry Shares / Love, INC

Next Sunday's Offerings: Steve & Tara Mission Support / Bethesda

#### **Serving One Another**

Refreshments after morning worship today & **remembering our shut ins**: Darin & Amy Noyes Sound Booth attendants today: Rick, Dan, Carly Refreshments after morning worship next week & **remembering our shut ins**: Joe & Alissa Richardson Sound Booth attendants next week: Cole, Shelby, Addy

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS

The council will be assigning households to visit Greeta Kruid, or to send a note or small favor to her, each week. This will be added to the "Refreshments after morning worship" duties for the week.

There's a new feature in our bulletin prayer items. Each week we will feature one of our Lebanon Church households to remember in prayer. The hope is that we can bless each other by intentionally praying for each household at least once a year.

Congratulations to Ethan Steenhoek! He graduated from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Global Conflict Studies and in Homeland Security.

Save the Dates! Summer Combined Worship - June 29, 6:00 PM @ Hawarden CRC - July 27, 6:00 PM @ Lebanon CRC - August 24, 5:00 PM @ Ireton CRC Monday, August 4, - Serving at The Banquet in Sioux Falls

## CALENDAR

Sunday, June 1 9:45 AM – Morning Worship

<u>Sunday, June 8</u> 9:45 AM – Morning Worship & Communion

## **PRAYERS & PRAISES**

#### <u>**Prayer for Our Members**</u> – Myriel Cave & Mylasah Cave <u>**Prayer for Our Community**</u>

- Monte Schoellerman Continued recovery of strength and health.
- Brent Davelaar Blessing upon treatment for cancer.
- Dordt University Completing new construction over the summer.
- <u>Prayer for Church Ministry and Mission</u>
- Remember Sos and Kara as they seek the Lord's leading to develop the Teacher's Garden.
- Remember Steve and Tara as they prepare teams to share the gospel in many cultural contexts.
- Pray for the delegates to Synod 2025 in Ancaster, Ontario, June 13-19. Classis Iakota delegates are Rev. Matt Haan, Rev. Gary Maas, Elder Gerald Zwart, Elder Benjamin Saarloos.
- Pray for Rev. Mark & JinHee Klompien, with Elizabeth and Timothy. Take note of their June prayer letter in your box.
- Pray for churches searching for pastoral leadership: Calvin and Trinity CRCs in Rock Valley, Inwood CRC, Rock Rapids CRC, Shalom CRC in Sioux Falls, New Holland CRC, Hawarden CRC.
- Praying for our Sioux Center Churches Covenant Christian Reformed Congregation, Pastor Joel Kok.

#### SCHOOL & AREA ANNOUNCMENTS

**The Hawarden Community Food Pantry** would like to invite you to a Chicken Dinner Fundraiser on Sunday, June 8 from 11 am - 1 pm at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Hawarden. It is \$12 for adults, \$6 for kids (6-12) and 5 and under are free. If you are unable to attend and wish to give a donation, please send it to the Hawarden Community Food Pantry, PO Box 243, Hawarden, IA 51023.

Come to the **Summer Celebration Pancake Breakfast** at the Sioux Center Fire Station (by Central Park). Faculty and staff from Sioux Center Christian School and Sioux Center Kinsey School will be serving hot pancakes and sausages on Saturday, June 7 from 8:00-10:00am. Freewill donations will be received for the breakfast and shared between the two schools.

**Groundwork: Honor God By Using His Resources Wisely** - The Bible teaches us we are stewards of God's resources. Join Groundwork as we study 1 Timothy 6:17-19, Luke 12:13-21, Philippians 4:11-13, Leviticus 27:30, Numbers 18:25-28, and 2 Corinthians 9:6-8 to discuss stewardship, tithing, and what this means for how we handle the money and possessions we have in this life. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

## **BIRTHDAY'S & ANNIVERSARIES**

- June 2 Verlyn D
- June 11 Tyler D
- June 21 Bob & Jan D
- June 23 Darryl Z
- June 25 Rick & Kay DB
- June 26 Robert & Val H
- June 27 Josh & Leah G
- June 28 Lloyd & Bonnie D
- June 28 Jake & Angie L