

**August 25, 2024**

## **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**

**Today – Morning Worship** – *Forgive Us, Father* from Psalm 32 and Lord's Day 51. The greatest gift God can give us is a gift we must share.

**Evening Worship** - We will join Hawarden and Ireton CRCs **at Ireton CRC, 5:00 PM**, for our final summer combined worship service.

**Next Sunday – Morning Worship** – *Save Us, Father!* based on Psalm 40 and Lord's Day 52. Jesus teaches us to pray not only for protection from sin and evil. We pray that the Father saves us from the trap of sin's snare.

**Today's offerings: Lebanon Budget / Building Fund**

Next Sunday's offerings: Denominational Quotas / Youth for Christ

#### **Serving One Another**

Refreshments after morning worship today: Lloyd & Bonnie Dekkers

Sound Booth attendants today: Arlo, Dan, Carly

Refreshments after morning worship next week: Verlyn & Karel Dekkers

Sound Booth attendant next week: Caden, Myron, Addy

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

On Sunday, August 25, **Ireton CRC will be hosting our final combined worship service** of the summer for the congregations of Hawarden, Lebanon and Ireton. The Japan Mission Team was commissioned for their mission trip at our July combined service. They served with missionary, Rev. Ken Lee, from August 5 to 13, and they will give a report on what they experienced God doing in Japan. **The service will begin at 5 PM** with refreshments and fellowship afterward.

Pastor Bob and Jan will be away this coming Thursday - Friday to be with Jan's sister Julie in Zeeland. Your prayers for Julie's battle with cancer are appreciated.

COMING UP - We will resume our evening *Faith, Food, and Fellowship* gatherings on September 15 at 6:00 PM.

### **CALENDAR**

#### **Sunday, August 25**

9:45 AM - Morning Worship

5:00 PM - Combined Evening Worship **at Ireton CRC**

#### **Sunday, September 1**

9:45 AM – Morning Worship

## PRAYERS & PRAISES

- Pray for Darin and Amy Noyes, and Ava, as they recover from the losses in their flooded home.
- Pray for the communities of Hawarden and Rock Valley as they rebuild from the flood.
- Remember Willie Dragstra and Greeta Kruid at Crown Pointe Estates.
- Continue to pray for Emmett Haverhals, with parents Mark and Molly, and their daughter Clara. Emmett was transferred to a hospital in Cincinnati last week for more specialized care.
- Pray for our mission partners Sos & Kara. Pray that the Lord continues to supply for their needs, protect their well-being, and promote the work of The Teacher's Garden.
- Remember our mission partners Steve and Tara in College Station, Texas. Pray for the impact Steve's bible studies are having on those who are meeting Jesus.
- Schools are gearing up for another season of education and activities. Pray for teachers and professors as they prepare for their classes. Pray especially for those schools repairing the damage of this summer's floods.
- Pray for God's continued grace for Duane Bonnema's journey with cancer.
- Pray for neighboring churches seeking pastoral leadership, including New Holland CRC, Inwood CRC, Hawarden CRC, and Shalom CRC in Sioux Falls.
- Praying for our Sioux Center Churches – New Life Reformed Congregation, Pastors Bobby Van Otterloo & Dan Kruse.

## SCHOOL & AREA ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please join the Unity Moms in Prayer group on Monday, August 26 at 7:00pm to pray over the school community - students, staff and activities - as this school year begins. We will praise God for his power and might, and pray for his favor, provision and protection over the Unity community. We will meet in Unity's lobby and follow a simple prayer sheet as we walk through the school campus.

Calvary CRC and Heartland Christian Schools invite you to a **Rook Tournament and Trivia Night Fundraiser** at Orange City Christian School on Wednesday, September 4 from 4:30 - 9:00pm. Funds raised will go toward sending Heartland teachers and Calvary members to Guinea, Africa to work with **Sosthene and Kara Maletoungou** sharing educational resources with Christian School teachers in Africa. Food trucks will be available from 4:30 - 7:30pm, the Rook Tournament will take place from 5:30 - 7:00pm, and the Trivia Competition will be from 7:30 - 9:00pm. Rook teams and Trivia teams can register by calling Nicki Kuiper at 712-301-3839, or an email to [heartland@dordt.edu](mailto:heartland@dordt.edu). Registration for Rook is \$30 for a team of 2. Trivia teams can register a team of 2 - 6 members for \$50 per team. Desserts will be available, and donations will be received.

**Guiding Star Siouxland has moved!** Now located at 111 Arizona Ave NW in Orange City, Guiding Star Siouxland is building a culture of life through women's healthcare! We are in need of volunteers to assist with Childwatch, Boutique Organization, and office work. Hours are Mondays and Thursdays from 9am-7pm, and Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 9am-3pm. Please email [info@guidingstarsiouxland.org](mailto:info@guidingstarsiouxland.org) for more information. We are hiring for a full or part time Patient Care Coordinator. This is the perfect role if you are passionate about women and families receiving the best pro-life care possible! Duties include volunteer coordination, patient care, office management, and donation center organization. Please contact [kaleigh@guidingstarsiouxland.org](mailto:kaleigh@guidingstarsiouxland.org) to apply.

**Groundwork: Called To Be God's Prophet** - It can be hard, even shocking to follow God's call on our lives and share his message. Join Groundwork as we study Ezekiel 1-3 to learn from Ezekiel's experience and discuss what it means to be called, to be a prophet, and to speak truth. Listen now at [GroundworkOnline.com](http://GroundworkOnline.com) and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

## BIRTHDAY'S & ANNIVERSARIES

- September 9 – Joy S
- September 9 – Ava N
- September 14 – Derek & Kylie K
- September 16 – Peighton Z