# **Platte Christian Reformed Church**

"In All Things, Christ Pre-Eminent"

#### Pastor Drew Hoekema



# Sunday, August 17, 2025

10:00 AM Morning Worship Service 6:00 PM - Evening Worship Service

Both services will be Live Streamed on web & scanners.

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#### Mission Statement

To Know Christ-as Savior and Lord
To Be Like Christ-by Our Words and Actions
To Share Christ-at Home and Throughout the World

# **Sunday Morning Worship**

August 17, 2025

#### Praise of God

Welcome and Announcements
Call to Worship and Greetings
\*Come Now Is The Time to Worship

#### Reconciliation with God

Reading of God's Law Prayer of Confession Word of Assurance

#### Thanksgiving to God

Profession of Faith: Briana DeGroot [PH pp.134-135]

Ministry of Music: Abby Sybesma

Morning Pastoral Prayer

#### Guidance from God

Scripture Reading: **Deuteronomy 3:12-29** 

Message: "Land Values" -

Deuteronomy: Love in God's Land [5]

Prayer of Petition

# Sending by God

\*On Jordan's Stormy Banks - CH 777

\*Benediction

\*Hallelujah! Hallelujah! - PH 310

<sup>\*</sup>Collection will be taken for **DCS** at the exits as you leave\*

# August 17, 2025 – Morning – Deuteronomy 3:12-29 "Land Values"

Deuteronomy: Love in God's Land [5]

Deuteronomy. Love in God's Land [5]						
1. Land observed: What you have						
2. Land shared: When others can get it						
3. Land desired: How you get it						
What <b>one truth</b> struck you about this message?						
What <b>one thing</b> will you seek to do differently this week?						

## **Sunday Evening Worship**

August 17, 2025

### Gathering

Song Service Invocation and God's Greeting \*My Song Forever Shall Record – PH 169 [vv. 1-2, 7-9]

# Learning

Scripture Reading: Jeremiah 31:31-34

Message: "The New Covenant" -

Scanning the Promises of God [8]

# **Sharing**

In Christ Alone
Evening Pastoral Prayer

#### Sending

<sup>\*</sup>Blessed Assurance - CH 572

<sup>\*</sup>Parting Blessing

<sup>\*</sup>All Praise to You, My God, This Night

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# August 17, 2025 – Evening – Jeremiah 31:31-34 "The New Covenant"

Scanning the Promises of God [8]

"The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want. He makes me to lie down in green pastures; He leads me beside still waters, He restores my soul." Psalm 23:1-3a

**WELCOME**: Today as you worship here, it is our prayer that you also know the Lord as your personal Guide and Shepherd. As you face the coming week, may you experience His leading beside still and refreshing waters. As you listen to His Word, may He personally restore your soul and nourish you for your journey.

**Please join us** after this morning's service for a time of refreshment in the Fellowship Hall.

**Children aged 3-5** meet **Jeanette Pheifer** in the foyer before the sermon this morning for **Children's Church**.

**Today**, we are grateful to hear **Briana DeGroot** publicly profess faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. We praise God for His work of sovereign grace, and pray that she would grow in the grace and knowledge of Christ!

**Next Sunday,** we will be having a **fellowship breakfast** before morning worship. A full breakfast with all the fixings will be served, so come hungry! Serving will take place from **8:45-9:30am**.

#### PRAYER & PRAISE

**Thank You!** The shoeboxes have been shipped to the office in Texas! There were 480 shoeboxes and 20 bulk boxes! A big thank you to all who took the time & finances to put the boxes together & also to those who donated either bulk items or monetarily to make this outreach a success. Many children will be blessed by your giving & will also hear the Christmas story of the birth of the Savior of the world!

#### **OUR ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Next week**, we intend to welcome a visit from a representative of Rehoboth Christian School, a mission in Rehoboth, NM supported by many Christian Reformed members and churches.

**Combined Worship Service:** On Sunday evening, **August 31**, we will host a combined worship service with the area sister churches on the occasion of Labor Day weekend. Rev. Joshua Stammis, of Lakeview CRC, will bring the message.

Address Change: Ruth Vanden Bos; Leisure Living, 310 North Dakota Ave. - Room #114, Corsica, SD 57328. She has a phone in her room and would love to hear from you. (Address also posted on the bulletin board!!)

<u>Counselors Need!</u> Cadets is **looking for male counselors** for this fall. If you are interested or have questions, **talk to Brady Kok** or **Ian Kuipers.** 

**Prayer Room:** as a reminder, the newly-furnished prayer room (Sunday School Room 5) is available as a quiet space for you to meet with God. Use it as a retreat space during the week, a meeting place with a prayer partner, or a place to pray before or after worship!

**Discipleship:** for men looking for guidance in taking the next steps in their faith, Pastor Drew would like to meet regularly for a season of one-to-one discipleship. Speak with him if interested!

#### **AREA ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Worship Night:** You're invited to a special night of worship and prayer at South Park, **TONIGHT** at **7pm**, hosted by Molly DeHaai and Emily Muilenburg, alongside a few other locals! Bring your friends and family—everyone is welcome!

**DCS Scrip Order** will be placed on **Tuesday**, **August 19**. Orders may be placed in Joan's mailbox until Sunday evening or brought to DCS by 8:30am on Tuesday. The deadline for online orders is midnight Monday night. Thanks for using this means to support Christian education!

#### THIS WEEK PRAY FOR OUR FELLOWSHIP

Sunday-Missionaries: Victor & Lori Selemani (Victoria, Clara,

Joshua, David & Mikayla) YWAM-Mozambique, Africa

Monday: Special Grace: Cheryl Reed

Tuesday: Jeremy, Keri, Hailey, & Merritt Bultsma

Wednesday: John & Gracia Kuipers, Jaden Meyerink

**Thursday:** Ken & Kim Lieuwen, Abby Sybesma **Friday:** Roy & Norma Lorensen, Jean Sybesma **Saturday:** Curt & Kristi Pheifer, John Tronvold

#### **ADVANCE NOTICES**

\*\*Sun., Aug. 24 - Fellowship Breakfast (8:45-9:30 AM)

\*\*Sun., Aug. 31 - Combined PM Worship Service (Work Grp. #1)

\*\*Tues., Sept. 2 - Deacons & Elders Mtg. @ 7 PM, Council Mtg. @ 8 PM

\*\*Sun., Sept. 7 - Communion - Sunday School Starts!

\*Work group #2 will be in charge of the next event/funeral.\*

**Serving Schedule:** 

Date:	Sound	Proj.	Nursery	<u>Valet</u>	Coffee	Offering
Aug. 17	Larry H.	Rylan D.	Judy H./ Alyssa M.	Ryan VZ.	Roland B./ Anthony H.	DCS
Aug. 24	Jay S.	Tony H.	Keri B./ Addison K.	Curt P.	Larry H./ Elroy K.	Student Aid