

Sunday Morning Worship

January 25, 2026

Praise of God

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

**Behold Our God*

*God's Greeting

*Profession of Faith: Apostle's Creed

**Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone*

Reconciliation with God

Prayer of Confession

Reading of God's Law

Thanksgiving to God

Trust and Obey – CH 571 [v. 5 a cappella]

Morning Pastoral Prayer

Guidance from God

Scripture Readings: **Deuteronomy 15:19-16:17**

Message: **"Party People"**

Prayer of Petition

Sending by God

**10,000 Reasons [Bless the Lord]*

*Benediction

**Praise Jehovah, All Ye Nations – PH 231*

Collection will be taken for **Cadets at the exits as you leave**

(*) – indicates congregation standing (**) – indicates member or praise team led

**January 25, 2026 – Morning –
Deuteronomy 15:19-16:17
“Party People”**

What **one truth** struck you about this message?

What **one thing** will you seek to do differently this week?

*This is the day that the Lord has made;
let us rejoice and be glad in it!"*

Welcome: Today, being preparatory Sunday, we want to begin our week of preparation by focusing on God's requirement that we turn from all sin and dedicate our lives to our Savior, Jesus Christ. Next Sunday morning, we anticipate celebrating the Lord's Supper together.

Please join us after this morning's service for refreshments and fellowship in our Fellowship Hall.

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

This evening, we return to our practice of holding a **prayer meeting** on the final Sunday evening of the month. We will meet this evening to devote ourselves fully to prayer in the fellowship hall.

Next Sunday, we will welcome Brad Veurink, member of New Holland CRC, to our pulpit in the morning and Rev. Scott Nichols, of the Corsica Community Reformed Churches, in the evening.

This morning, the **orange** fellowship group will be meeting for prayer immediately following worship in the Family Room. The full fellowship group listing is posted on the mailboxes in our entryway.

PRAYER & PRAISE

This coming Tuesday, Jan 27th, **Jobje Lammers** is scheduled to begin the 2nd Cycle of her Clinical Trial battling Pancreatic Cancer. (Each cycle is three weeks in duration, which includes a 7-hour day for infusion, and then 4 follow-up appointments for monitoring, EKGs with multiple blood draws and analysis.) Please pray for the Lord's continued mercy for Jobje that He might grant stamina to endure.

Thank-you, Platte Christian Reformed Church, for a wonderful gift of \$600. At New Roots Ministry, we have the great blessing of working with many who are of other faiths, largely because we mostly work with people originally of other countries. No matter their faith, our friends often offer kindness, generosity, and appreciation; it must be cultural. As well, it is a privilege to learn much, including how others think and act, including on a spiritual level. Finally, we love our opportunity to be ambassadors/representatives/messengers of God and His goodness. May God bless you and your Kingdom work in 2026! ---Fred W., New Roots Ministry, Sioux Falls, SD

Friends in Christ, thank you for your recent gift of \$750. Your church's generous support enables us to support doctors and nurses who are living out their calling to make Jesus Christ known in the world. ~Luke Society

OUR ANNOUNCEMENTS

Communion: for the month of February, our monthly celebration of the Lord's Supper will take place on **February 8**.

Leaders' Meetings: this coming Thursday we plan to hold our monthly leadership meetings. The Diaconate will meet at 6pm, with Council convening at 7pm, and then Consistory to follow. Please speak with an Elder, Deacon or Pastor Drew if you have a matter to be addressed by one of these bodies.

We were happy to hear that many of you are glad to serve one another by providing cookies or cakes for funerals. For that reason, we have decided to reverse our decision and once again offer that ministry to our church family. This decision will be updated in your care group assignment sheet. Please check your mailbox for the updated **(GREEN)** 2026 Care Group sheet. Thank you, the Care Group Committee

AREA ANNOUNCEMENTS

A Night of Worship: Bethel Church invites you to "A Night of Worship" featuring: Dillon & Molly Dehaai, Winston & Renae LaJesse, and Corbin Davis - **Tonight!**. Guest Speaker: Evangelist/Church Planter Jeremiah Frey. Everyone is invited to come early for our **FREE Prime Rib & Pork Rib Dinner Party**. **Dinner at 6pm with worship from 7-8pm.**

The Platte-Geddes School District invites you to a **free public presentation** to learn how we can protect our kids from online exploitation and keep them safe in today's digital world. The presentation will be held on **Monday, February 9, at 5:30 PM**, in the **high school gym**. Mary Beth Holzwarth (SD DCI) and Doris Cardwell (SD Kids Belong) will speak about Online tactics predators use to target youth, how to spot and report exploitation, community partnerships protecting South Dakota's Kids, and increasing awareness of challenges kids are facing today.

Vine Table Meal: **Pancake Brunch** Saturday, **February 14**, (Valentine's Day) serving at **11:30**. Sign up in the entryway of Platte CRC or call Norma Lorensen to be put on the list. *If you would like to be a help in this community outreach, please call me at the above number.

Save The Date! Women's Retreat at New Hope Christian Camp, **Saturday, April 18th** featuring Chris Bordewyk as speaker. More information to follow or check it out at: <http://www.newhopechristiancamp.org>.

THIS WEEK PRAY FOR OUR FELLOWSHIP

Sunday–Missionaries: Andi Voss

Monday: Special Grace: Mae Lieuwen

Tuesday: Peyton, Lizzy, & Harvey Nelson

Wednesday: Randy & Nancy Pheifer, Danica Middendorp

Thursday: Rod & Jeanette Pheifer, Lexy Overweg

Friday: Doug & Christy Pranger, Kamilla Pheifer

Saturday: Dale & Char Severson, Cheryl Pruett

ADVANCE NOTICES

*****Thurs., Jan. 29 - NOTE CHANGE! Deacons Mtg. @ 6 PM,
Council Mtg. @ 7 PM, Elders Mtg. @ 8 PM***

*****Sun., Feb. 8 - Communion***

Yellow Grp. Prayer Meeting (after worship)

*****Sun., Feb. 22 - Green Grp Prayer Meeting (after worship)***

Work group #3 will be in charge of the next event/funeral.

Serving Schedule:

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Sound</u>	<u>Proj.</u>	<u>Nursery</u>	<u>Valet</u>	<u>Coffee</u>	<u>Offering</u>
Jan. 25	Jared P.	Rylan D.	Briana D./ MJ D.	Vic B.	Dennis, Kaylinn, Brady K./ Duane M.	Cadets
Feb. 1	Larry H.	Tony H.	Sarah K./ Jessa VZ.	Ryan VZ.	Kenny L./ Bob M.	DCS