

## This Week @ First CRC



**Heidelberg Catechism**  
Today after service

**Women's Bible Study**  
Proverbs  
Tuesday, January 27<sup>th</sup> @ 9:30



**Women's Evening Coffee Break**  
Hebrews  
Tuesday, January 27<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 PM

**Men's Life Bible Study**  
Romans  
Wednesday, January 28<sup>st</sup> @ 6:30 AM



**Women's Morning Coffee Break**  
Genesis  
Wednesday, January 28<sup>st</sup> @ 9:45 AM



**GEMS & Cadets**  
Wednesday January 28<sup>th</sup> @ 6:00 PM



**Common Ground**  
Sunday, February 8<sup>th</sup> @ 4:30

## Prayer Requests

### Church Family

**Joanna Banta** - Had finger surgery, pray for a complete recovery.  
**Shelaine Goebel** - Broken leg, pray for continued recovery  
**Janet Henshaw** - Pray for a complete recovery in rehab.  
**Ginger Hernandez** - She is on a prescribed diet preparing for surgery.  
**Nancy Hird** - Pray for complete recovery from surgery.  
**Steven Koelewyn** - Valley Fever.  
**Anita Lemos** - Back home, pray for a complete recovery.  
**Francisco Macias** - Healing & employment.  
Yanet Macias - Lost her Aunt Carmillo Padilla this week  
**Ruth Stryd** - Pray for complete recovery from surgery.

### Extended Church Family

**Rachel Bradley** - Surgery went well, recovering.  
**Michael Cuellar** - Needing more tests to determine treatments.  
**Chuck Dyer** - Cancer is back, receiving treatments.  
**Elijah & Elizabeth** - Genetic eye disease, under top specialist care.  
**Betty Johnson** - Cancer.  
**Rachelle Riggs** - Cancer in lymph nodes.  
**Rick Stryd** - Cancer.  
**Elizabeth Young** - Stage 4 pancreatic cancer, on chemo.  
**Michael Young** - Recovery from recent stroke.

### Shut-Ins

Martha Chandler, Rose DeRuiter, Janet Henshaw, Ginger Hernandez, Harriet Johnson, Sondra Koelewyn, Dave & Vera Krumpe, Marilyn Maccagno, Linda Reenders, Grace Schraa, Jeanette Stout.

### **Celebration of Holy Communion**

As we prepare to celebrate the Lord's Supper next Sunday, let us take time to prepare our hearts for the celebration. Let us examine our love for both God and our neighbors. Do we love the Lord our God with all our heart, soul, mind, and strength? Do our lives reflect the fact that we belong to him? Do we love our neighbors as ourselves? Do we seek to be reconciled with our neighbors in the case of an offense? Lord our God, thank you for your great love in sending Jesus to this earth to die for our sins. Lord Jesus, thank you for bearing the weight of our sin upon the cross so we can be reconciled to God. Holy Spirit, prepare our hearts to receive the sacraments. Help us to be spiritually revived and strengthen in our faith.

Amen

### Office Schedule

Monday - Friday 8:30 - 2:30 pm  
The deadline for church publications is Thursday at 1 pm.  
Send to [communications@hanfordcrc.org](mailto:communications@hanfordcrc.org)



**FIRST  
CHRISTIAN  
REFORMED  
CHURCH**  
THE GOSPEL IN COMMUNITY

**January 25, 2026 9:30 am**

Series: Celebrating Sacraments

Sermon: Thank You, Jesus

Scripture: Matthew 26:17-29

Offering: Cadets International

Welcome Center: Hannah Bos

Greeting: Cadets

Lions: Jennifer Lawrence, Tamara Phelps

Lambs: Jordan Tos, Jana Zonneveld

Nursery: Ashlyn Villalobos, Diana Schmidt,  
Aiden Villalobos, Casey Goebel

Snacks: Bob & Betty Stewart  
Jimmy & Dena Holden  
Ben & Julie Dragt

**Today** we will be recognizing Cadet Sunday. Our Cadet club is part of an organization with men helping boys grow more Christlike in all areas of life in over 400 churches across North America as well as numerous churches around the world. Our offering this week will go to the head office of Cadets, helping them create materials, training, and support, allowing Cadets to grow into a life of "Living for Jesus."

Nursery is available for infants and toddlers. Children aged 3 through 2nd Grade are invited to Children's Worship. Kids are called forward during service and then dismissed to their classrooms. Pick-up is upstairs following the service.

### **Our Mission**

To glorify God by making  
"More and Better Disciples"

### **Our Vision**

We see everyone intentionally building caring relationships with one another, and with the unchurched and unbelieving, for the sake of the Kingdom of God

**We believe** that the Bible is the infallible and authoritative word of God. (1 Tim. 3:16)

**We believe** God created the world; the world fell into sin; God redeemed and is redeeming the world. We believe that Jesus Christ saves us from the consequences of sin and that the world will be complete when He comes again.

**We believe** God is a God of Grace. His grace, not human decision is the decisive factor in our salvation. Believers do not choose God as much as God chooses believers. (John 3:5)

**We believe** that covenant is the richest biblical concept to describe God's relationship with His people. In covenant God binds himself to His people in promise and commitment. Covenant relationship is why God sent Jesus, because of a commitment to save His people. (Jer. 31:31-34)

**We believe** in God's sovereignty. God is the main actor in creation. He is ultimately in control. So despite a world we humans have broken with sin, ultimately God's plans will triumph and all will be made new. (Jer. 29:12 & Rom. 8:28)

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and drop in the offering bag, visit us here:  
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## February 1, 2026

Series: Celebrating Sacraments

Sermon: Communion as Lord's Supper

Scripture: Isaiah 25

Offering: Benevolence

Welcome Center: Sheri Tos

Greeting: Ryan & Andrea Clark

Lions: Hannah Bos, Amanda Clift

Lambs: Reanna Bergman, Gayle Zonneveld

Nursery: Cheryl Zonneveld, Rebecca Banta,  
Noreen Mackey, Macy Holden

Snacks: Adam & Raine Danielson  
Tony & Kelly Bekedam  
Nathan & Brigit de Jong



**GOD CALLS**  
WE GATHER

**GOD SPEAKS**  
WE LISTEN

**GOD PROVIDES**  
WE GIVE THANKS

**GOD SENDS**  
WE OBEY  
AND SERVE

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### JANUARY 25, 2026

God's Greeting & Call to Worship

*In Tenderness*

Mutual Greeting

Time of Celebration: Cadets

Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon

God's Guide for Grateful Living

*Living For Jesus*

Children's Moment

Preparation for the Lord's Supper

Series: Celebrating Sacraments

Sermon: Thank You, Jesus

Scripture: Matthew 26:17-29 (Pg 1057)

Pastor Andy Hanson

*Give Thanks*

Prayers of the People

Offering - Blue: General/Red: Cadets International

*Behold The Lamb*

Sending

*Shine, Jesus, Shine*

God's Blessing

Doxology: *Trinitarian Hymn*

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## SERMON GUIDE

### THANK YOU, JESUS

Matthew 26:17-29

1. Israel remembered the first promise - "I am the LORD, and I will bring you out from under the burdens of the Egyptians..." with the Cup of \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Israel remembered the second promise - "I will deliver you from slavery to them..." with the Cup of \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Israel remembered the third promise - "I will redeem you with an outstretched arm and with great acts of judgment..." with the Cup of \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Israel remembered the fourth promise - "I will take you to be my people, and I will be your God, and you shall know that I am the LORD your God..." with the Cup of \_\_\_\_\_.
5. As Christians, we show our \_\_\_\_\_ to God for our lives and our salvation, by following God's \_\_\_\_\_.
6. We get the word Eucharist from the Greek word for \_\_\_\_\_ is eucharistia.

## FAMILY AND FRIENDS CONFAB

1. What do you have to be thankful for?
2. How have you shown your gratitude to God for everything he's given you?