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**Sunday Morning Worship**

**April 26, 2026 @ 9:30 AM**

**Series:** The Life of Joseph

**Sermon:** God Guided Reconciliation

**Scripture:** Genesis 45

**Special Offering:** Faith Promise

## **Sunday Morning Servants**

Welcome Center: Pete and LuJean Verhoeven

Greeting: Ministering Deacons

Lions: Hannah Bos, Becky Villalobos

Lambs: Erin Kootstra, Jana Zonneveld

Nursery: Kelly Bekedam, Michelle Lawrence, Presley Zonneveld, Ivy Zonneveld

Snacks: Stephen & Joanna Banta, Josh & Raina Neal, Dave & Kim Danielson

**Pray For The Lynch Family  
As They Prepare to Move.**



Please continue to pray for (and to reach out to)  
Eric and Clara through coming months  
as they are preparing to join us soon!

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**Clara:**

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Grand Rapids, MI 49546

**Milestones**

# MARCH

4/24 THROUGH 5/1

## BIRTHDAYS

4/24 MICHAEL VRYHOF

4/25 ROSE DERUITER

4/25 DAVE KRUMPE

4/27 DONALD KOELEWYN

5/1 BARBARA VAN HERRINGEN

### Prayer Requests

A Memorial Service will be held for Bob Duyst  
(Brother of Bert Duyst, Ruth Stryd, and Grace Vander Moren)

**tomorrow, April 25th at 11:00 AM at Fresno CRC.**

Pray for healing, patience, endurance, and comfort  
as they face ongoing tests and treatments.  
Pray for their doctors to discern and administer the best treatments.

**Church Family**

**Ginger Hernandez** - Ginger has a new doctor and a new treatment plan.

Pray that the plan will be successful and Ginger will have the patience to follow it.

**Nanci Groenenberg** - Continue to pray for Nanci as she prepares for radiation treatments in May as a follow up to her breast cancer surgery.

**Nick Groenenberg** - Nick Groenenberg's shoulder surgery was successful and he is home. Pray for continued healing during this recovery period.

**Steven Koelewyn** - Steven continues to struggle with Valley Fever. Pray for God's guidance in this process and for healing.

**Marilyn Maccagno** - Pray for continued healing from her recent surgical procedure.

**Victoria Tos** - Victoria is convalescing at home. She appreciates the congregation's care and concern. Pray for complete healing in her life.

**Shut-Ins:** Martha Chandler, Rose DeRuitter, Janet Henshaw, Ginger Hernandez, Harriet Johnson, Sondra Koelewyn, Vera Krumpe, Marilyn Maccagno, Helen Mauger, Linda Reenders, Jeanette Stout.

**Extended Church Family**

**Michael Cuellar** - (Esther Scheeringa's brother) Michael is getting more testing done. The cancer is in his voice box. Please pray for healing.

**Chuck Dyer** - (Michelle's husband, Esther Scheeringa's grandchildren's stepfather) Has an aggressive recurrence of cancer, is in pain and needs our prayers for God to be with him, his family, and his doctors as they support him.

**Elijah & Elizabeth Hofmans** - (grandchildren of Dick and Janice Hofmans) Pray that the specialists will have wisdom and successfully treat their eye disease.

**Sean** - (Family are friends of Laine and Brandon Stepp, daughter of Jim and Teri Koelewyn) Sean is a first grader diagnosed with Leukemia and has started chemo.

**Betty Johnson** - (Diana Schmidt's mom) Continue to pray for Betty as she is living with cancer. Remember her family also in your prayers.

**Rachelle Riggs** - (Marilyn Maccagno's daughter) Her cancer has returned and is in her lymph nodes. She's currently undergoing chemo and radiation treatment. Pray

that these treatments are effective and won't be too hard on her body, and for complete healing and for her to be cancer free

**Rick Stryd** - Living with cancer, pray for strength and healing

**Elizabeth Young** - (Esther Scheeringa's niece) Diagnosed with Stage 4 pancreatic cancer, she is on chemo.

## Common Ground's Spaghetti Supper

By attending the Common Ground Spaghetti Supper, you are helping to offset the expense of HI-Camp 2026 for our High School students.



## What Is HI-Camp??

**HI-Camp** is a vibrant, multi-denominational ministry supported by local churches and regional CRC congregations. HI-Camp isn't a typical speaker-centered convention.

Instead, HI-Camp is counselor and activity-centered. With a 7-to-1 camper-to-staff ratio, the priority is on relational ministry. This ensures every student—whether from a public or Christian school—is fully known. It creates space for students to respond to Christ's claim on their lives through intentional relationships and shared experiences.

*This is a 3 minute overview of HI-Camp 2025....*



CVC Annual School Sale Today

The CVC Annual School Sale is  
**TODAY!**

Click **HERE** to find out more!

# CVC's Annual SCHOOL SALE

→ Friday, April 24, 2026

4:00 - 7:00 Fundraiser Dinner

4:00 - 8:30 Silent Auction

6:00 - 9:00 Live Auction

Finale Raffle Giveaway

★ ★ How to get involved — *choose what's best for you:*

## DONATE

Any new items,  
experiences, OR shop  
our Amazon Registry

## VOLUNTEER

Before, during, or  
after the event -  
a spot for everyone!

## GIFT

Make a monetary gift  
before the event,  
& join us on **4/24!**

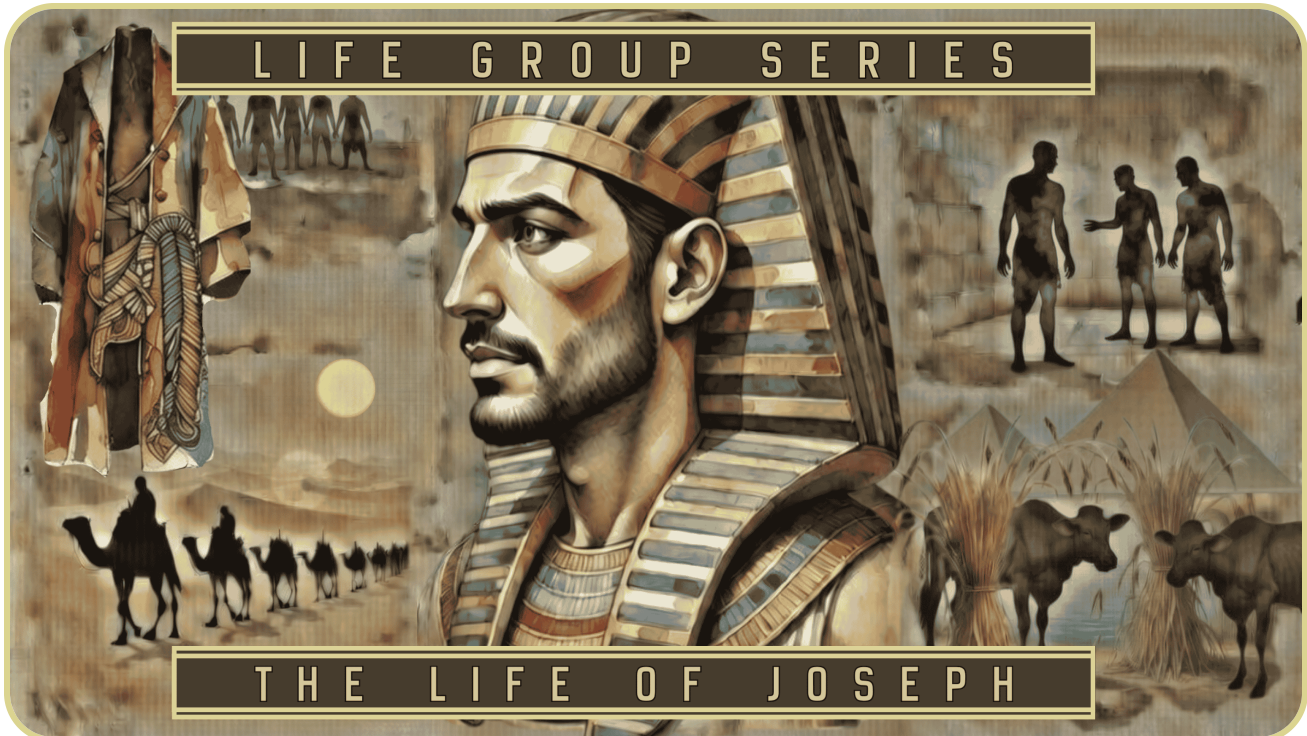
Don't forget to  
buy your  
tuition raffle  
tickets!



Visit [cvc.org/SchoolSale](https://cvc.org/SchoolSale) for all the details!

## Life Groups Week 6

### LIFE GROUP SERIES



### THE LIFE OF JOSEPH

Week 6 Life Group Study

More Information on Life

Guide

Groups

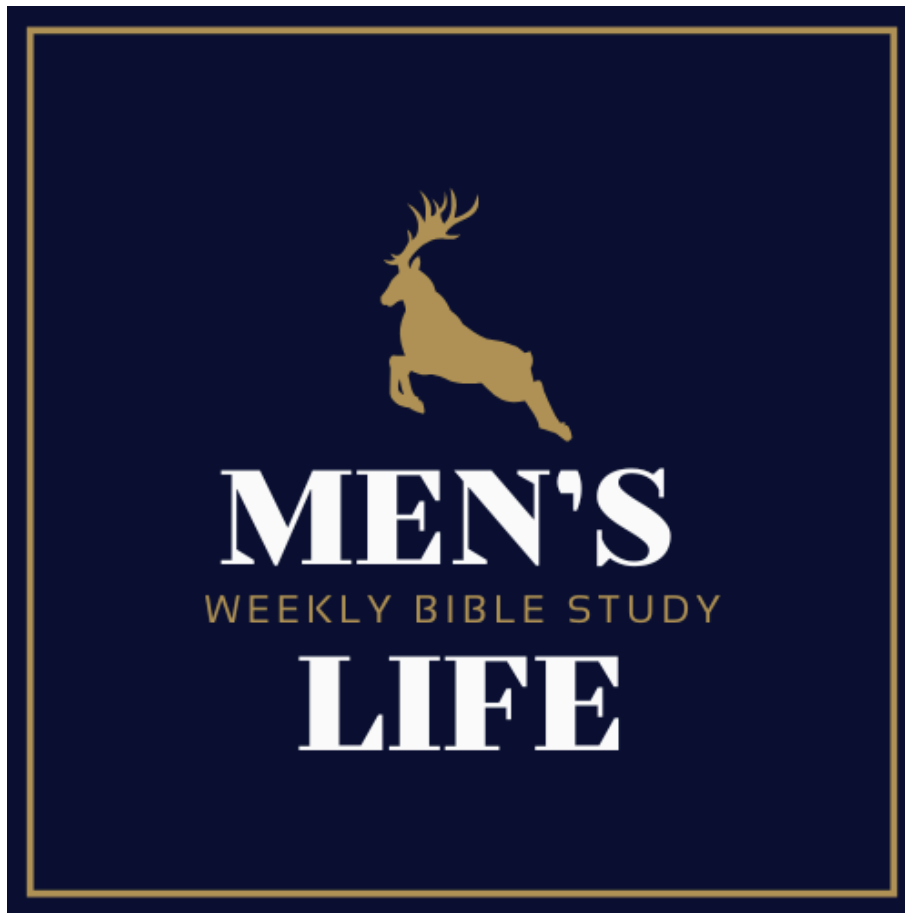
## Adult Bible Studies

The Women's Morning Bible Study, and both Women's Coffee Breaks are finished for the season. They will begin again in the Fall.

## Wednesday Morning

### Men's Life Bible Study

Wednesday April 29th @ 6:30 AM



## Youth Ministries



Youth Ministries Leadership

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

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VBS 2026

Answers VBS  
**THE INCREDIBLE RACE**  
 Incoming Kinder through Incoming 5th  
 Come explore God's love for the nations at  
**VBS**

**Hanford**  
 First CRC  
**June 8th-12th**  
**FREE LUNCH**  
**9am - Noon**  
**REGISTER TODAY!**

Scan This!

Click the **QR CODE** to register a VBS student.

First CRC is seeking a strong group of **VOLUNTEERS** willing to support the kids in roles of leadership, assisting, decorating, crafts, games, AV, nursery, food and more!

Just tell us where you want to pitch in!

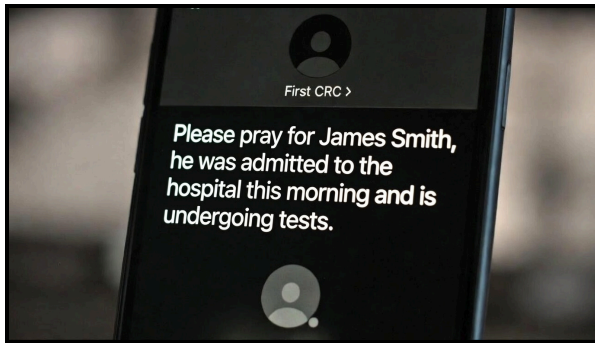
Click on a **SHIRT** to be a VBS Volunteer.



## A Ride to Church!



## Text Prayer



### Text Prayer Request List

[Sign Me Up To Pray](#)

Text messaging will supplement email distribution of prayer requests.

## Sermon Schedule

THE LIFE OF JOSEPH

## SERMON SCHEDULE

Apr 26 The Life of Joseph ✦  
God Guided Reconciliation

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May 3 The Life of Joseph ✦  
Resting in God's Plan



### CVC's Annual Society Meeting

Members in good standing of Hanford First Christian Reformed Church are society members of Central Valley Christian Schools and are invited to the CVC Annual Society Meeting on Tuesday, April 28, 2026, at 7:00 PM in the HS Chapel/Auditorium.

Click [HERE](#) to download the Information Packet.

Save the Date!

JOIN US FOR CVC'S  
*Annual Society Meeting*

Tuesday, April 28, 2026  
7 p.m. | CVC Chapel

This meeting is a platform for sharing the State of the School address and providing insights into CVC's progress and plans.

All Society members are invited, and we hope to see you there!

Before the meeting, all are invited to a retirement reception for Mr. Tim Kornelis from 5:45–6:45 PM in the courtyard outside the HS chapel.



CENTRAL VALLEY  
CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS

## Retirement Reception



In honor of Mr. Tim Kornelis  
for his 45 years in Christian education,  
including the last 40 at CVC.

April 28, 2026 5:45–6:45 PM

Courtyard outside the HS chapel

All CVC community members are welcome to join us  
prior to the School Society Meeting at 7:00 PM to  
express gratitude and well-wishes to Mr. Kornelis.



Save The Date

## HCS's Annual Spring Festival

Friday, May 8th, @ 4:30 PM

Click [HERE](#) for more details.



**Jr High Summer Camp:**

**May 31 - June 5, 2026.**

**Hosted by Visalia CRC.**

**Click the image below to register or for more information.**

Join us for the best week of the summer at Camp Jubilee,  
a one week Junior High summer camp!

May 31 – June 5, 2026



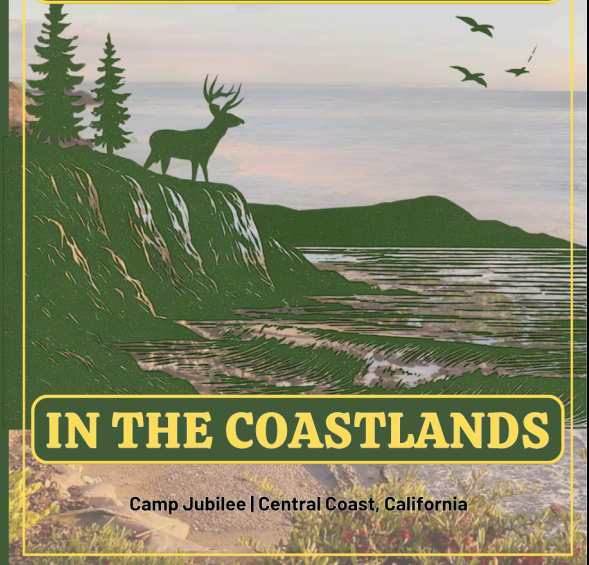
Camp Jubilee exists to bring glory and honor to God above all. To bring restoration and rest to God's people. To show love to the outcast. To bring joy to the hurting. To enable growth to God's followers. To change lives forever.

Camp is open to any Junior Higher from incoming 7th graders to outgoing 8th graders.



Hosted by  
Visalia CRC Youth Ministry at  
Whisper Canyon Christian Camp  
in Bradley, CA

**PROCLAIM HIS PRAISE**



**IN THE COASTLANDS**

Camp Jubilee | Central Coast, California

## Today Devotional



**April 2026**

*Click the button to download.*

April PDF

Today's Devotion Online

More "Today" Resources

## Christian Vocation



# HANFORD CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

## We Are Hiring!

**FOR THE 2026-2027 SCHOOL YEAR**

FULL-TIME JUNIOR HIGH SCIENCE TEACHER

FULL-TIME ELEMENTARY TEACHER X 2

PART-TIME ELEMENTARY ART TEACHER

**SCAN THE QR OR VISIT  
HANFORDCHRISTIAN.ORG  
TO APPLY TODAY!**



# CENTRAL VALLEY CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS

**We're Hiring  
for the  
2026/27 School Year!**

**Apply  
Today!**

- Ag Education Instructor/FFA Advisor
- High School Bible Teacher (part-time)
- Substitute Bus Driver (part-time)
- Education Support Services Teacher and/or Aide

[cvc.org/employment](https://cvc.org/employment)

Office Hours

Monday - Friday 8:30 AM - 2:30 PM

Have an announcement, update, or correction we should know about?

Please send it to [communications@hanfordcrc.org](mailto:communications@hanfordcrc.org)

The deadline for all church publications is Thursday at 1:00 PM

Please submit graphics (posters, invitations, etc.) in a 16 x 9 format.



Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the  
earth;  
break forth into joyous song and sing  
praises!

Sing praises to the Lord with the lyre,  
with the lyre and the sound of melody!

With trumpets and the sound of the  
horn  
make a joyful noise before the King,  
the Lord!

Psalm 98:4-6



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