

KICK OFF YOUTH GROUPS
WITH A SPLASH OF FUN AT THE

GEMS & Cadets POOL PARTY

Hosted by
The Goebel Family

August 26, 2026
6:00pm-7:30pm
97275 Idaho Ave
Hanford, Ca 93230

*Don't forget to bring a
towel!
*Pizza and refreshments
will be served!

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MEN'S
WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY
LIFE

Men's Life Weekly Bible Study
Wed, Aug 12th @ 6:30 AM

August 16, 2026

Series: Fear Not

Sermon: From Silence to Presence

Scripture: Mark 1

Offering: Resonate Global Mission Family

Welcome Center: Tiffany Mackey
& Sienna Godfrey

Greeting: Dave Roach

Lions: Bob Beede, Piet Zonneveld

Lambs: Michelle Lawrence, Marit Bergman

Nursery: Diana Schmidt, Shelaine Goebel
Presley Zonneveld, Ivy Zonneveld

Snacks: Gerry Wintz
Caroline & Charlene Van Heeringen
Kevin & Amanda Clift

Church Family

Kristen Reenders - Please remember to pray for Kristen, Allison, Daphne, and Daisy as they mourn Corey's passing, and for a rapid recovery for Kristen's broken leg.

Grace Schraa - Grace has been transferred to Brighton Post-Acute Care in Hanford. She is experiencing some discomfort. Pray for patience & healing

Victoria Tos - Victoria is back home convalescing. She appreciates the congregation's care and concern. Continue to pray for complete healing.

Extended Church Family

Michael Cuellar - Awaiting tests to determine treatment.

Chuck Dyer - Aggressive recurrence of cancer and is in pain. Pray that God would be with him, his family and doctors.

Chic Hanson - (Pastor Andy's Father) Chic will be receiving cancer treatments.. Please pray for strength and endurance.

Elijah & Elizabeth Hofmans - Genetic eye disease.

Betty Johnson - Pray for healing from cancer.

Rick Stryd - His cancer is still progressing, and he has a blood clot in his lungs being treated. He is very weak and tired.

Elizabeth Young - Stage 4 pancreatic cancer, on chemo.

Shut-Ins
Martha Chandler, Rose DeRuiter, Ginger Hernandez, Harriet Johnson, Sondra Koelewyn, Vera Krumpe, Linda Reenders, Jeanette Stout.

WOMEN'S
WEEKLY BIBLE
STUDY

Women's Tuesday morning Bible study begins on September 8th at 9:30 AM.

COFFEE
WEDNESDAY MORNING
BREAK

Women's Wednesday morning Coffee Break starts September 16th with a social at 9:30 AM.

New Sermon Series Starting Next Week

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**FIRST
CHRISTIAN
REFORMED
CHURCH**

THE GOSPEL IN COMMUNITY

August 9, 2026 9:30 am

Series: Bad Examples from the Bible

Sermon: The Ready and the Presumptuous

Scripture: Matthew 25:1-13

Offering: Crossroads Pregnancy Center

Welcome Center: Hannah Bos

Greeting: Jack & Gayle Zonneveld

Lions: Rachel Schroeder , Colin Mackey

Lambs: Moira Mackey, Macy Holden

Nursery: Cheryl Zonneveld, Anneke Clark
Andrew Zonneveld, Casey Goebel

Snacks: Piet & Heather Zonneveld
Matt & Kelly Verdegaa
Murray & Connie Minnema

REMINDER:

Voting on First CRC's Council nominees.
will occur today after worship.

Also, our annual meeting is scheduled for
Monday, August 17 at 7 PM.

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. (2 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. (Titus 3:4-7)

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)

New or Visiting? Let's Connect!!
Complete the connection card in the pew and drop in the offering bag, visit us here: hanfordcrc.org or QR code.





GOD CALLS
WE GATHER

GOD SPEAKS
WE LISTEN

GOD PROVIDES
WE GIVE THANKS

GOD SENDS
WE OBEY
AND SERVE

ORDER OF WORSHIP

AUGUST 9, 2026

Call to Worship

Everlasting God

God's Greeting & Greeting One Another

Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon

God's Guide for Grateful Living

King of Kings

Children's Moment

Series: Bad Examples from the Bible

Sermon: The Ready and the Presumptuous

Scripture: Matthew 25:1-13 (Pg. 1055)

Pastor Eric Lynch

Blessed Assurance (PsH 490)

Prayers of the People

Offering - Blue: General Fund/Red: Crossroads Pregnancy Center

Is He Worthy?

Sending

As For Me

God's Blessing

Doxology: *King of Kings (Reprise)*

SERMON GUIDE

THE READY AND THE PRESUMPTUOUS

Matthew 25:1-13

1. What we will find this morning is that _____
_____ is not some sort of desire to see us go mad, but it's what Peter tells us in his second letter that he is not slow as some count slowness, but because _____
_____ saving knowledge of him.
2. There's a seeming readiness in the characters of Jesus' story, but what differs is that 5 were _____ while the others were spiritually _____ for the bridegroom's return.
3. Their not bringing extra oil reveals their _____
_____ and honestly a lack of respect for their wise friends. And the rejection from the wise bridesmaids reveals a

_____.
4. We are _____ tomorrow, because death could come at a moment's notice or Christ can return without a moment's notice with a blast of a trumpet. _____, so Jesus tells us to
"_____" to "_____", so _____
_____ for him to come.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS CONFAB

1. Have you ever considered your state before God? Share your testimony of God's mercy and grace towards you as an undeserving sinner with someone this morning.
2. When have there been times you've grown weary or "drowsy" in your walk with Christ? How has God brought you out of these times?