

MEN'S LIFE
WEEKLY BIBLE STUDY

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 20TH
@ 6:30 AM

BAD EXAMPLES FROM THE BIBLE

NEW SERIES STARTS MAY 31



May 24, 2026

Sermon: TBD

Scripture: Acts 2:1-21

Offering: Faith Promise

Welcome Center: TBD

Greeting: Mike & Doreen Richwine

Lions: Cheryl Zonneveld, Jonathan Lawrence

Lambs: Reanna Bergman, Sonya Zonneveld

Nursery: Connie Minnema, Rachel Schroeder
Tamara Phelps, Noreen Mackey

Snacks: Darin & Wendy Reenders
Brian & Reanna Bergman
Donald & Deanna Koelewyn

Church Family

Prayer Needs

Ginger Hernandez - Pray that surgery can move forward.
Kevin Henderson - Continued recovery after receiving a pacemaker.
Steven Koelewyn - Valley Fever.
Victoria Tos - Please keep Victoria Tos in your prayers as she convalesces at home. Pray for complete healing in her life.

Extended Church Family

Michael Cuellar - Needing more tests to determine treatments.
Chuck Dyer - Aggressive recurrence of cancer, is in pain and needs our prayers that God would be with him, his family, and his doctors.
Elijah & Elizabeth Hofmans - Genetic eye disease
Sean - Sean is a first grader diagnosed with Leukemia & has started chemo.
Betty Johnson - Cancer.
Bernhard Ollech - Multiple myeloma. Developed an infection and moved to ICU. Pray for stabilization, proper intervention and Gods healing hand at this critical time
Rachelle Riggs - Cancer in lymph nodes, undergoing treatment.
Rick Stryd - Cancer.
Elizabeth Young - Stage 4 pancreatic cancer, on chemo.

Shut-Ins

Martha Chandler, Rose DeRuiter, Janet Henshaw, Ginger Hernandez, Harriet Johnson, Sondra Koelewyn, Vera Krumpe, Helen Mauger, Linda Reenders, Jeanette Stout.



FIRST CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH
THE GOSPEL IN COMMUNITY

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

May 17, 2026 9:30 am

Sermon: The Living God is the God of the Living

Scripture: Luke 24:36-53

Offering: General Fund

Welcome Center: Jeff & Sheri Tos

Greeting: Governing Council

Lions: Andrea Clark, Shelaine Goebel

Lambs: Erin Kootstra, Marit Bergman

Nursery: Jennifer Lawrence, Elena Godfrey
Aiden Villalobos, Macy Holden

Snacks: Corey & Kristen Reenders
Michael & Claire Noland
Tom & Esther Scheeringa

CHANGING BABIES: TAKE & FILL A BOTTLE WITH CHANGE!

Hanford First CRC VBS 2026
June 8th-12th
9am - Noon

THE INCREDIBLE RACE
VOLUNTEER REGISTRATION

STUDENT REGISTRATION

CHECK THE FRIDAY FLYER OR VISIT OUR WELCOME CENTER FOR MORE DETAILS.

One Family, One Race, One Savior

PRAY FOR VBS THIS WEEK:

- 1. PRAY THAT THE CHILDREN WOULD GRASP THE BIBLE TRUTHS BEING TAUGHT.**
- 2. PRAY FOR UNITY & JOY AMONG ALL OF OUR VBS VOLUNTEERS.**
- 3. PRAY THAT FAMILIES WOULD COME TO KNOW JESUS AND BEGIN A GENUINE WALK OF FAITH.**

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)

Please continue to pray for and to reach out to both Eric and Clara now and in the coming months as they are preparing to relocate and join us here in Hanford.

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.

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

ORDER OF WORSHIP MAY 17 2026

God's Greeting & Call to Worship

Praise

Mutual Greeting

Prayer of Confession & Assurance of Pardon

God's Guide for Grateful Living

House Of The Lord

GOD SPEAKS
WE LISTEN

Children's Moment

Sermon: The Living God is the God of the Living

Scripture: Luke 24:36-53 (Pg 1126)

Pastor Andy Hanson

GOD PROVIDES
WE GIVE THANKS

Crown Him With Many Crowns (PsH 410)

Prayers of the People

Offering - Blue: General Fund

Shout To The Lord

GOD SENDS
WE OBEY
AND SERVE

Sending

Jesus

God's Blessing

Doxology: *Jesus* (Reprise)

SERMON GUIDE

THE LIVING GOD IS THE GOD OF THE LIVING

Luke 24:36-53

1. Scripture screams from the rooftops, "GOD _____
_____!" - but there are many of us who then look at what
Jesus promises the church and doubt.
2. When the disciples talked to Jesus, they were not talking to or
conjuring the _____. Jesus was and is _____!
3. The disciples' _____ or _____ had no effect
on Jesus' promise to die and rise again. Jesus kept his promise despite
their _____.
4. The ascension of Jesus shows the full culmination of God's
_____: humanity, his image bearers, _____ with God
again.

FAMILY AND FRIENDS CONFAB

1. Do you always trust in God's promises?
2. If you sometimes doubt God's promises, what can you do to strengthen your faith?