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Sunday Morning Worship

September 7, 2025 @ 9:30 AM

Series: SHORT BOOKS OF THE NEW TESTAMENT

Scripture: Colossians 4

Sermon: Pray for Everything

Special Offering: Benevolence

Sunday Morning Servants

Hospitality - Julie Dragt

Greeting - Theo and Jeanne deHaan

Lions - Andrea Clark, Rachel Schroeder

Lambs - Elizabeth de Jong, Presley Zonneveld

Nursery - Heather Zonneveld, Ella Goebel, Michelle Lawrence, Aiden Villalobos

Snacks - Jim & Teri Koelewyn, Johnny & Lauren Zonneveld, EddyDell Huffman

Birthdays This Week

9/8 - Kate Zonneveld

9/8 - Greg Garcia

9/10 - Andrew Zonneveld

9/12 - Hannah Schroeder

Lead Pastor Prayer Time

Let's pray together for our next Lead Pastor and the Search process!

Interested members may join the search team for a time of focused intercessory prayer immediately following our Sunday Morning Worship services.

We will gather in the Music Room for a few minutes to pray collectively and directly for the Lead Pastor search process.

The Music Room is the at the front of the sanctuary behind the piano.

Please Join Us.

Prayer Requests

Church Family.

Ginger Hernandez - Please pray for the pain from her bruised rib to subside and that the doctor will find a suitable treatment.

Steven Koelewyn - Please continue to pray for Steven as he struggles with Valley Fever. Pray for God's guidance in this process and for healing.

Vera Krumpe - Vera was in ER this week for low hemoglobin. She received a blood transfusion and is now resting back home. Continue to pray for good health.

Francisco Macias - Please pray that Francisco continues to heal from his injuries and is able to find employment.

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

Extended Church Family.

Bob Carvalho - (Linda Carvalho's husband) Continue to pray for Bob and Linda as Bob is now in hospice care.

Michael Cuellar - (Esther Scheeringa's brother). He had his PET scan and is awaiting the results. Please pray for peace for the family as they await the results, and that the results are good.

Chuck Dyer - (Michelle's husband, Esther Scheeringa's grandchildren's stepfather) Continue to pray for his appetite and for better health. They appreciate your prayers.

Betty Johnson (Diana Schmidt's mom) Please continue to pray for Betty as her cancer has returned. Remember her family also in your prayers.

Rick Stryd - (nephew of Jake Stryd) Rick had very encouraging news after his last MRI. The tumor on his adrenal gland is drying up and no surgery is required. Thank you all for your prayers!

Jasmin - (Yanet Macias' sister) Jasmine, in your prayers. She's 29 weeks pregnant, and the doctors have told her the baby isn't likely to survive. Jasmine is currently in

expectations, and that both mom and baby leave the hospital healthy.

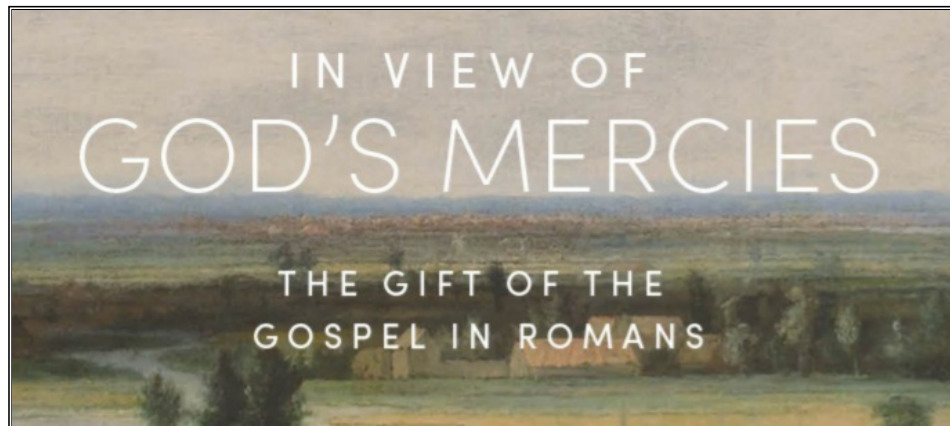
Elizabeth Young - (Esther Scheeringa's niece) She has been diagnosed with Stage 4 pancreatic cancer. She lives in Sacramento and will begin chemotherapy treatments this week. Pray for the doctors and people involved with her treatment. Give her the strength she needs to withstand the therapy. May God heal her and be with Esther as she supports her niece.

Adult Ministries

Pray for our Adult Ministries and Leaders

Women's Bible Study

Tuesday ,September 9th @ 9:30 AM
in the First CRC Council Room.



We will be studying "**In View of God's Mercies**" (9 lessons).
A workbook is provided & we will watch a video with a discussion following.
For more info contact Gayle Zonneveld 269-7600

Tuesday Evening Coffee Break

Tuesday, September 9th @ 6 PM
In the First CRC Social Hall.

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Tuesday Evening Coffee Break

Ladies, you are invited to Tuesday Evening Coffee Break.

We will begin with a potluck social on

September 9th at 6 PM

in the First CRC Social Hall.

Our first study of the year will be 1 & 2 Timothy.

For further information please contact
Carla Kootstra at (559)289-8238 or Jennifer Koelewyn (559) 707-5294.

Thank you



Wednesday Morning Coffee Break

Wednesday, September 10th @ 9:45 AM

In the First CRC Social Hall.

Wednesday Morning
Coffee Break
Begins Wednesday, September 10th at 9:45 AM.

This year marks the 40th anniversary of Coffee Break at our church! The new season kicks off with a study on "Shalom" over the first four weeks—starting with an address from Pastor Andy. Help us grow the ministry, too: Pray for Coffee Break's continued success here in the community and invite someone local to join our women's Bible Study using the flyer in your church mailbox.

We are in need of more co- leaders this year and would love to have your help!
Call Jeanne deHaan ☎ (559) 740-8237 with any questions or to volunteer.

Men's Life Bible Study

Wednesday, September 10th at 6:30 AM

in the First CRC Council Room.

The topic: "Spiritual Warfare"

WARFARE



Youth Ministries

Pray for our Youth Ministries & Leaders

GEMS & Cadets

Wednesday September 10th @ 6 PM

Common Ground Kick Off

Sunday, September 14th @ 4:30 PM



Youth Ministry Leaders Contact Information:

Kristen Reenders (Common Ground)

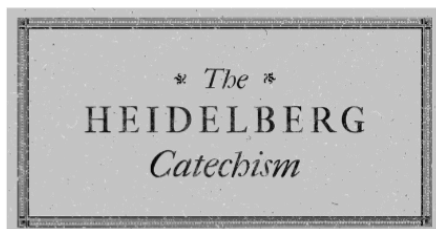
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Dave Danielson (Cadets)

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RETURNING SEPTEMBER 7TH

CATECHISM

GRADES 3 THROUGH 8

15 minute lesson

Council Room

Church Directory Updates

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Library Update

Greetings from your library! For kids 9-12 we have a couple of books to read about LarryBoy. Also, for those of you who are interested in westerns, author Al Lacy has written two series that are connected have a Western theme.

For Kids: LarryBoy and the Emperor of Envy: The city of Bumblyburg's in danger and LarryBoy's the only one who can save the day. Everyone is weak with jealousy after the diabolical Napoleon of Crime and Other Bad Stuff—a.k.a. the Emperor of Envy— tainted the Slushee supply with his envy formula during Mister Slushee's Slushee Slurping Contest. What will LarryBoy do? Will he conquer his own envy?

LarryBoy Versus the Volcano: When LarryBoy and his superhero buddies are invited to Superhero Island, they are in for a surprise of volcanic proportions. Trouble erupts when LarryBoy discovers he's a second-class citizen, because he doesn't have "super" powers

Journeys of the Stranger by Al Lacy: (1) Legacy: Finding citizens of Riverton, Wyoming held in a grip of fear, John Stranger assumes the identity of a new pastor. Using a Bible and a Colt .45, can he free the town and bring a young man out of corruption? (2) Silent Abduction: The man in black and the woman he loves help a small town targeted by cattle rustlers. Can the Stranger keep Jim Logan's family from destruction and rescue a beautiful woman separated from the man she loves? (3) Blizzard: When three murderers escape from the Colorado Territorial Prison, Marshal Holloway and the mysterious stranger track them down. A thrilling tale of faith, soul-stirring love, and a violent family vendetta. (4) Tears of the Sun: John Stranger is summoned to Apache Junction, Arizona, where a hard-fought land dispute between the local Apache and Zuni Indians has led to the wedding-day kidnapping of the son of Arizona's governor. As terms for his return, the warriors demand weapons that can only escalate the fighting between the tribes, as well as the white men who come to the area looking for gold or-as it's known to the Indians-"Tears of the Sun." (5) Circle of Fire: John Stranger works to break up an eight-man band of night riders who are terrorizing local ranchers near Billings, Montana. As he works to bring justice to the outlaws, John remains unaware that another "stranger" has adopted his identity and is robbing and murdering people in the area. Can the Stranger clear his name? (6) Quiet Thunder: John Stranger becomes involved in the lives of a brave and skillful Sioux warrior named Quiet Thunder and the white Army captain who has been his blood brother since childhood. Despite the disapproval of both their people, Quiet Thunder and Thane Tyler remain faithfully true to their friendship...both in their hearts and on the battlefield. Which will win out: love or duty? (7) Snow Ghost: John Stranger is called in to track the "ghost" of a murder he captured three years earlier, in Butte, Montana -- a man who had vowed to come back from the grave to kill the judge, the jury, Sheriff Johnson ... and John Stranger. Now, the jury members are turning up dead. Certain that the killer is no phantom, the Stranger sets out to find the true murderer and bring him to justice in Snow Ghost.

Return of the Stranger by Al Lacy: (1) Outlaw Marshal: For Chief U.S. Marshal John "The Stranger" Brockman, becoming a friend to former outlaw Whip Langford is easy. Saving his life is more complicated. With John Brockman strongly encouraging him to accept salvation, former outlaw Whiple Langford determines to go straight. He won't turn his life over to Christ, but he won't go back to a life of robbing banks and trains either. Whip intercepts a train robbery and catches two of the thieves, but is framed for murder. John must ride hard and fast to save his friend from the noose. (2) Deadlock: are seasoned outlaws with a reputation for killing. Already wanted in two states, The Zarbo brothers, set their sights on Colorado and a string of bank robberies. They don't count on running into Chief U.S. Marshal John Brockman. (3) The Iron Wagon: At twenty-one, Paul Brockman is the newest deputy U.S. marshal in his father's arsenal of lawmen. Bold and courageous, Paul proves to be every bit as skillful with a revolver as the chief U.S. marshal, John "The Stranger" Brockman. During a hazardous journey, Paul encounters Lisa Martin, whose parents were murdered by renegade Indians. She desperately needs his help and Paul is just the deputy to help. Could she be the answer to his prayers for a wife?

Save the Date Events

Sunday, September 28th

Life Group Kick-Off

A - M - Side Dish

N - Z - Dessert

Life Groups



SAVE THE DATE

CHRISTIAN COLLEGE FAIRS™
VISALIA AREA
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25
6 - 8 PM
Central Valley Christian High School
FREE and open to the public
FindYourChristianCollege.com

Any high school student is
welcome to attend.





As we prepare to celebrate the Lord's Supper on 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 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

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