

Sunday, October 3, 2021

		TODAY	NEXT WEEK
NURSERY	AM	Sharla Gradert, Emmett Rens	Sara Hulshof, Lila Sieck
	PM	Nicki Weida, Eli Wielenga	Marlene De Weerd, Cooper Rens
USHERS		Arlin De Weerd, Les Dorhout, Kevin Eisma	Bryce Fedders, Zach Fedders, Art Hamming
GREETERS & COFFEE SERVERS		Dick & Harriet Bonnema Tim & Lori Bonnema	Doug & Audrey Broek Brent & Cindy Davelaar
MUSICIAN	AM	Celia Ten Napel	Shirley Ten Napel
	PM	Sara Hulshof	Celia Ten Napel
SOUND SYSTEM		Weida	Dekkers
LIBRARIAN		Janice Fedders	Calvin Bootsma
OFFERING	AM	Christian Ed	Building Fund
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— Our Church Family —

Gerald Postma received discouraging biopsy results that suggest the cancer is in other places. He will have a few weeks to recover from surgery and then will begin with scans and discern further treatments.

Continued prayers for those who are not able to worship with us regularly due to illness and inability. **Kory Bonnema, Megan Miedema, Jason De Wit, Priscilla Lockhorst, Velda Juffer, and Debbie Van Bruggen.**

— Ireton CRC News and Announcements —

THE THURSDAY MORNING LADIES will meet 8:30 AM, October 7 to study John 11:38-44.

NEXT SUNDAY, OCTOBER 10, WE WILL WELCOME REV. DOUG VAN AARTSEN to preach God's word to us for both Sunday services. Pastor Nate is filling a classis appointment to preach at First CRC of Sheldon.

BULLETINS: If you have bulletin announcements, please only send them by email (nickiweida@gmail.com) or speak directly to Nicki over the phone by Thursday at noon as they will not be picked up from church.

Ireton Christian School

IRETON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL IS TAKING PRE-ORDERS FOR FRESH CHRISTMAS WREATHS, to be delivered at the Festival of Trees on November 19-20! If you are interested in ordering a wreath, basket, or swag, please reach out to any Ireton Christian student or staff (or there is an order form in the back of church). There will still be artificial wreaths offered at the event, we are just adding another option for this year! Orders are due by October 18th, payment is due when you pick up your wreath. Thank you for your continued support!

Area Community News

ARE YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW IN NEED OF A SAFE, DECENT AND AFFORDABLE PLACE TO LIVE? **Siouxland Habitat for Humanity** is now accepting partner family applications for our homeownership program for 2022 home builds in **Alton, Hospers** and **Sioux City**. Application forms are available online at www.siouxlandhabitat.org or by calling Kevin at 712-255-6244 ext.6. Applications will be accepted **October 1-31**.

THE NAMI (NATIONAL ALLIANCE ON MENTAL ILLNESS) SUPPORT GROUP will meet in the Fireside Room of Central Reformed Church in Sioux Center from 7 to 9 p.m. on **Tuesday, October 5**. Speaker Wade Koenen will present "At My Wit's End: My Experience with Schizophrenia." Individuals and family members affected by mental illness are welcome. For information call Shirley Matheis 722-4462.

DORDT UNIVERSITY HOSTS ITS DEFENDER DAYS CELEBRATION WITH A WIDE RANGE OF EVENTS, including the 4th Avenue Jazz Concert at 3:00 p.m. on Friday, October 15, the Fall Music Festival featuring Campus-Community Band, Chamber Orchestra, Wind Symphony, Bella Voce, Canons of Dordt, Chorale, and Concert Choir at 7:00 p.m. on Friday, October 15, and a hymn festival titled "In Christ Alone: Hymn-Based Organ Music by Larry Visser" on Saturday, October 16, at 10:30 a.m. presented by organist, choral conductor, and composer Larry Visser as part of the Joan Ringerwole Organ Recital Series. Go to www.dordt.edu for more Defender Days weekend highlights.

<i>Week At A Glance</i>			
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>October 3</i>	<i>9:30 AM</i> <i>10:45 AM</i> <i>6:00 PM</i>	Worship Service Sunday School and Catechism Worship Service
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>October 7</i>	<i>8:30 AM</i> <i>12:00 NOON</i>	Thursday Morning Ladies Bible Study Bulletin Announcements Due