

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 25, 2022

		TODAY	NEXT WEEK
NURSERY	AM	Angie Zomeraand, Ryder Zomermaand	Angela Kuperus, Kambrie Dekkers
	PM	No Worship Service	Jessica Vander Windt
USHERS		Josh Hooyer, Howard Hulshof	Cory Kuperus, Scott Miedema
GREETERS & COFFEE SERVERS		Dave & Nicole Wielenga Jacob & Sara Zomermaand	Ryan & Angie Zomermaand Sander & Jordan Abraham
MUSICIAN	AM	Donna Koopmans	Amanda Van Driessen
	PM	No Worship Service	Haley Kuperus
SOUND SYSTEM		Kuperus	Dekkers
LIBRARIAN		Janice Fedders	Wanetta Vander Plas
OFFERING	AM	General Fund	
	PM	No Worship Service	

CHRIST IS BORN! HALLELUJAH!

THE ANGEL ANNOUNCED TO THE SHEPHERDS, "I BRING YOU GOOD NEWS OF GREAT JOY THAT WILL BE FOR ALL THE PEOPLE. TODAY IN THE TOWN OF DAVID A SAVIOR HAS BEEN BORN TO YOU. HE IS CHRIST, THE LORD!"
MAY WE ALL EXPERIENCE THE GREAT JOY OF THE GOOD NEWS OF OUR SAVIOR AND KING TODAY!

— OUR CHURCH FAMILY —

Karen Towers continues treatments for bone cancer.

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, Nelma Byker, Winnifred De Jong, Velda Juffer, Priscilla Lockhorst, and Debbie Van Bruggen.**

— IRETON CRC NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS —

A special thank you to **Rhonda Postma** who has given the beautiful poinsettias at the front of church in loving memory of Gerald Postma.

UPCOMING SERVICES

Throughout season of Advent we have several wonderful opportunities to glorify God and ask for his protection. Please note these special worship services on your calendars.

Christmas Service

Sunday, December 25, 9:30 AM (no 5:00 PM service)

New Year's Day Services

Sunday, January 1, 9:30 AM and 5 PM

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING UPDATES: Despite the bad weather, we were able to hold our congregational meeting this past Wednesday evening. At our meeting we approved the budget for this coming year as well as the financial reports from last year. Our new council members are Don Van Sloten and Arlin De Weerd as elder and Zach Fedders for deacon. The ordination and installation of new council members will be during the Sunday, January 8 morning service. We thank our outgoing members of council, Elder Mike Vander Windt and Deacon Alex Blankespoor, for their faithful service in Christ's Church. We also thank Elder Tim Bonnema for staying on one additional year to fill the remained of Elder Gerald Postma's term.

NEWSLETTER ITEMS: Please have items for the newsletter to Nicki Weida (nickiweida@gmail.com) by 6:00 PM on **Tuesday, December 27.** Thank You!

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES next meeting will be: Wednesday PM: January 11 @ 6:30 PM

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 —

SAVE THE DATE! IRETON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL WILL BE HOSTING ITS 7TH ANNUAL ICE FISHING TOURNAMENT on January 21, 2023 at Emerson Bay on West Lake Okoboji. More details and registration forms will also be available on the school website at <http://www.iretonchristianschool.com> or our Facebook event page "ICS 7h Annual Ice Fishing Tournament." Please invite family and friends to participate in the fun with many great prizes to be won! For any questions, please contact committee members Mary Hooyer (712-540-3019), Angie Zomermaand (712-441-4337) or Nicole Wielenga (712-449-5044).

<i>WEEK AT A GLANCE</i>			
<i>Sunday</i>	<i>December 25</i>	<i>9:30 AM</i>	Worship Service
<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>December 27</i>	<i>6:00 PM</i>	Newsletter Items Due
<i>Thursday</i>	<i>December 29</i>	<i>12:00 NOON</i>	Bulletin Announcements Due