

Sunday, September 30, 2018

TODAY:

NURSERY: AM: Kaitlyn Lockhorst, Wyatt Rens
PM: Pamela Fedders, Sydney Miedema

USHERS: Mike Kramer, Gerald Postma, Mike Rens

GREETERS & COFFEE SERVERS:

Don & Marie Mulder (4 dozen cookies)
Kelly & Carmen Noteboom (4 dozen cookies)

ACCOMPANIST: AM: Donna Koopmans
PM: Sara Hulshof

SOUND SYSTEM: Weida

LIBRARIAN: AM Wanetta Vander Plas

OFFERING: AM Steve Dekkers
PM Steve Dekkers

NEXT WEEK:

Cindy Davelaar, Lila Sieck
Tammy Sieck, Gage Koopmans
Scott Miedema, Kelly Noteboom, Don Mulder

Gerald & Rhonda Postma
Mike & Kim Rens
Donna Koopmans
Tammy Sieck
Fedders
Jan Fedders
Christian Education
Christian Education

Our Church Family

Our condolences to **Jo Dekkers** at the passing of her sister last week.

We continue to pray for **Pete Dekkers** battling leukemia, **Velda Juffer** with their ongoing infection in her legs, and **Celia Ten Napel** who is receiving ongoing therapy following her broken ankle.



Baby Shower for Maveryk Gradert. With the Gradert's still adjusting and their busy schedules, we have decided to not have a shower at church. Instead, will be collecting money and will be purchasing a gift for them as a church family. There will be a box sitting on the back table and a card for you to sign. Please have your gift in the box by **October 1**. Any questions, please contact Angela Dekkers. Thanks!



Ireton CRC News and Announcements ...

MARK BIBLE STUDY: Everyone is welcome to come study the book of Mark with Pastor Nate. We will be meeting at Arlin and Marlene De Weerd's house after the evening service on **Sunday, October 7**. Contact Pastor Nate if you would like to get the book we are using: *Let's Study Mark*, by Sinclair Ferguson. For this session, we will be covering material on pp. 156-178 and covering the questions on p. 294.

NOMINATIONS FOR ELDERS AND DEACONS: Our church will be selecting new office bearers in the coming months. As we believe that selecting the new leadership is critically important to any organization, how much more so in Christ's Church! The congregation's part in the early part of the selection process is to be in prayer for the process of selecting new leaders. The congregation is invited to submit the names of specific men to council who show Christian character, commitment to the church, and have the potential to serve well as a council member.

HILLCREST SERVICE will be **Monday, October 1 at 6:30 pm**

(Chairman is requested to call Hillcrest (551-1074) before 9am on the morning of your service to remind them that your group will be there in the evening.) Nate Kuperus (chair), Celia Ten Napel (piano), Tim Bonnema, Winnifred De Jong, Bob Eisma, Velda Juffer, Scott Miedema, Mike Rens, Chris Schouten, Wes Westra.

NEWSLETTER ITEMS - Please have items for the newsletter to Pam De Wit (pam.dewit@yahoo.com) by **8:00 pm Tuesday, October 2**. Thank You.

DEADLINE FOR BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS: Please put any bulletin announcements in Pam De Wit's Church mailbox or via email (pam.dewit@yahoo.com) by **NOON on Thursday, October 4**. Thank You.

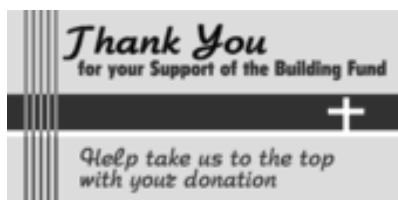
MEAL WILL BE PROVIDED on **Sunday, Oct. 7** to celebrate the beginning of church education classes. We will also have special guest from the F Street Church in Lincoln, NE. Brody Van Roekel will give a presentation about what they are doing in the heart of Lincoln.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION SOUP SUPPER - Plans for the Christian Education Soup supper on **Wednesday, October 10** are in full swing. Please check the work and food lists along with recipes on the table in the back of the Fellowship Hall. We are asking the congregation for dessert donations. Please sign the dessert sign-up sheet also on the table in the back of the Fellowship Hall if you would be willing to help us with this. Thank you!

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION BAKE SALE: The Christian Education Unit will be having a bake sale with the Soup Supper on **Wednesday, October 10**. We are asking each Christian Ed family to bring 3-4 items to sell – more is welcomed. Please have your items to church by 4:30 on Wednesday afternoon. If anyone in the congregation wants to bring items for the bake sale, we would greatly appreciate it. Any questions, please ask Nicki Weida or Pam Fedders.



Ireton Christian School ...



IRETON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL FALL BUILDING FUND DRIVE:

Ireton Christian School is currently holding its Fall Building/School Improvement Fund Drive to address some issues or improvements we feel are important. We are looking at updating our network equipment (over 10 years old), installing a new security system on our entry door, and updating another bus. With these improvements in mind, we are once again asking for financial support. If you are able to contribute, please send your gift to Ireton Christian School, Attn: Building Drive, 104 5th Street, Ireton IA 51027. Thanks for your support.

Unity Christian High School ...

NIGHT OF CELEBRATION, FELLOWSHIP AND WORSHIP - To all friends of Unity Christian: on **December 1** at 7:00 p.m. we invite you to join us at Unity Christian for a night of celebration, fellowship and worship. Recording artists *Selah* will be performing live in our Knight Center. Tickets are on sale now for this event. Click here to order online and reserve your seats today: <https://www.itickets.com/events/402864.html>

Prior to the concert, we are hosting a dinner in the gymnasium from 5:20-6:40pm. This dinner requires an RSVP to the school office (737-4114). It is a catered meal with an opportunity to give a free-will donation. This dinner is replacing the Hostess Supper that has taken place in the past. In addition, we will be auctioning off delicious desserts at the end of the meal to each table. You may bid on the desserts as a second way to support the mission of Unity Christian High School that evening. (2)

Area Community News ...

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 2**. Presenter: Shelly Rock — "Make It OK - Stop mental illness stigma." Individuals and family members coping with mental illness are welcome. For information call Shirley Matheis 722-4462.

JUSTICE FOR ALL invites you to attend the Fall Banquet & Annual Society Mtg on **Tuesday, October 9** at 6:30PM at Faith Reformed Church of Rock Valley. Our special guests this year will be Mike & Dawn Menning with Great Commission Utah. They will share about their great work in Utah, supporting/mentoring the wonderful Christian ministries that are ministering among the FLDS, as well as their own experiences of reaching out and being a presence in a community which so desperately needs to hear God's truth!! There will also be a short business meeting. **Reservations for the meal are necessary** and can be made by calling 712-476-2804 or emailing joevz@jfa-nwiowa.org by Oct. 5. Please join us as we celebrate JFA ministry over the past year and look forward to what God is calling JFA to in the next year! An offering will be taken for JFA ministry. (1)

WEEKEND WITH THE SHEPARDS IS NOW OPEN FOR REGISTRATION! Speakers: Rev. Walt and Valerie Shepard (daughter of Jim and Elisabeth Elliot). Coming to Orange City November 2-3! See the flyer in the back of church for more info. Register online at www.shepards.eventbrite.com or purchase discounted tickets at Radio Shack in Sheldon, Rock Valley or Orange City. Hope to see you there!

Week at a Glance ...

Sunday	September 30	9:30 AM	Worship Service
		10:45 AM	Sunday School / Catechism
		6:00 PM	Worship Service
Monday	October 1	6:30 PM	Hillcrest Service
Tuesday	October 2	8:00 PM	October Newsletter Items Due
Wednesday	October 3	7:00 PM	Youth Group
Thursday	October 4	12:00 Noon	Bulletin Announcements Due