



Announcements & Upcoming Events

June 29, 2025

THIS WEEK'S OPPORTUNITIES

(June 29 - July 5)

Sunday 9:30 AM - Worship Service
Wednesday 5:00 PM - EARLY Announcements & Prayer Sheet Deadlines
6:30 PM - Prayer Time @ Hospitality House

SUNDAY, JUNE 29

NURSERY ATTENDANTS:

Jean De Waard
Ava Nikkel

USHERS FOR MONTH OF JUNE:

Nathan Knipper – Summer Knipper –
Ethan Van Arendonk – Kevin Van Arendonk

OFFERING CAUSE FOR JUNE 29:

Pella Christian Schools

NEXT SUNDAY, JULY 6

We will celebrate communion next Sunday.

NURSERY ATTENDANTS:

Gloria Van Zee
Alaina Wiersma

USHERS FOR MONTH OF JULY:

Ben Arends – Chris Arends – Brad Engbers – Devin Reimer

OFFERING CAUSE FOR JULY 6:

Trinity Christian College

UPCOMING SERMON SERIES

For those who like to read ahead!! Starting on July 6th our summer sermon series will be supported by the book *How to Pray: A Simple Guide for Normal People* by Pete Greig. The Council read this book over the past several months and it produced many wonderful conversations, so we are invited to engage it together as a church family throughout the summer. If you want to start reading ahead, feel free to purchase the book early and read along as we go!

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Join us at the Lord's Table Next Sunday

God meets us in the sacraments...

*In the Lord's Supper, Christ offers
his own crucified body and shed blood to his
people...*

*By the Holy Spirit,
he feeds us with his resurrection life
and binds us to each other
as we share one loaf and cup.*

*We receive this food gladly,
believing, as we eat,
that Jesus is our life-giving food and drink
and that he will come again to call us
to the wedding feast of the Lamb.*
(from the Contemporary Testimony, para. 40)



Christ has died!
Christ has risen!
Christ will come again!

UPCOMING WORSHIP SERVICES

To help you prepare your heart and mind for worship, below are the passages/theme that we will be studying in our upcoming worship services.

6/29 Matthew 18:1-5; 19:13-15
Welcoming Greatness
7/6 Psalm 131
Centering
7/13 Psalm 67
Adoration
7/20 Pastor Brad Meinders

(announcements continued on back...)

CONGREGATIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Happy Birthday

CONGRATULATIONS to Eileen Van Kooten on her 85th birthday on July 5.

FAITH PHOTO DIRECTORY BINDER UPDATE—An



update is going to be made to the Faith Photo Directory Binder this summer, so now is the time to turn in updated family photos, address changes, email changes, phone number changes, etc. Please turn in any changes you want made to your photo directory page **by**

TODAY, JUNE 29 to Nancy at office@faithcrcpella.org or bring them in to the church office. Thank you for your help keeping your information up-to-date!

EARLY DEADLINES & OFFICE CLOSED: The



deadline for announcements and the prayer sheet this week is 5:00 PM on Wednesday, July 2. The church office will be closed July 4.

SAVE THE DATE! Our Faith Church outdoor worship service is being planned for Sunday morning, July 13 at 9:30 a.m. at the Caldwell Park Shelter, 3 blocks west of church on University Street. The Fellowship team will be serving cinnamon rolls, fruit cups, juice, and coffee before the service from 8:30-9:15. Nursery will be provided at church. Please bring lawn chairs if you have them, and come early to enjoy fellowship over a light breakfast!



TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLGAME! You are invited



to join a group from Faith Church at an Iowa Cubs game on Friday night, August 1. Cubs will play the Indianapolis Indians at 7:08 and there will be fireworks after the game. Group ticket price is \$11 each. Please sign the sheet at the Welcome Desk by next Sunday, July 6 so we can get the tickets ordered and have good seats. Questions? Ask Bonnie Verburg, Linda Jansen or Mary De Jong.

OVER 60 OUTING: August 1 to Des Moines. We'll visit the Better Homes & Gardens Test Garden, classic cars at American Dream Machine, tour the Iowa Historical Museum, and enjoy an Iowa Cubs Baseball Game. Please sign the sheet at the Welcome Desk by next Sunday, July 6. More information in your mailbox.

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

LAKE VIEW CAMP FUNDRAISER—Fresh, delicious, straight from Michigan blueberries are being sold by Lake View Camp as a fundraiser for their summer camping ministry. The blueberries will be delivered to Pella and Parkersburg on Saturday, July 12 (orders due July 7) and to Pella only on Saturday, July 26 (orders due July 21). The order form can be downloaded from the camp's website, lakeviewconference.com or call the camp office at 641-628-2160. Thank you for your continued support of Lake View's camping ministry!

THRIVE FAITH FORMATION TIP—As you celebrate the birthday of our country this week, spend some time praying for our country's leaders. Pray that they will lead with wisdom and act justly, love mercy, and walk humbly (Micah 6:8). Go for a walk this week, near a civic space or building if you're able, praying that our country will walk humbly with God. Brought to you by Thrive: crcna.org/Thrive

MINISTRY BROADCASTS

KIDS CORNER (<https://kidscorner.net/>)—Never Alone: Check out this week's kids' devotion, "Never Alone" at www.kidscorner.net. Discover how God helps us bounce back from challenges by surrounding us with caring helpers and giving us special strengths to share! Dive into the story of Moses and Aaron to see how teamwork, courage, and God's love can make a big difference. Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net, like The Kids Corner Activity Book Collection.

GROUNDWORK—Prayer and Dependence on God: Prayer and dependence on God are the heartbeat of the Gospel of Luke. Join *Groundwork* as we study Luke 3:21-22, Luke 5:16, Luke 6:12-13, Luke 9:18-36, Luke 11:1-13, Luke 22:39-46, Luke 18:1, and Luke 10:21 to learn how following Jesus draws us into deeper intimacy with the Father, why prayer is key to a resilient faith, and what it means to be people of prayer. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

FAITH'S LIVE-STREAM—The worship service will be live-streamed at 9:30 AM on Sundays via Faith's YouTube channel [click here](#) or Faith's Facebook page [click here](#).