

November 3, 2024

10:00 AM Service

Welcome
 * Call to Worship
 * God's Greeting
 * *"All Creatures of Our God & King"*
"Above All"
 Children's Worship Blessings
 (3 years old by Sept. 15, 2024—kindergarten)
 Profession of Faith of Jenna Vande Zande, Erika Sytsma, & Zac Sytsma
 Apostle's Creed
"How Deep the Father's Love for Us"
 Congregational Prayer
 Scripture: Psalm 2 (pg. 431)
 Message: Pastor Brad
"REFUGE IN JESUS"
 Offering: Mission Fund
 God's Parting Blessing
 Doxology
 * *"New Doxology"*

6:00 PM Service

Prelude & Personal Meditation
 Call to Worship
 God's Greeting
 Prayer for our Local Leaders
 Prayer for our State Leaders
 Prayer for our Nation Leaders
 Prayer for our International Leaders
 We Respond with Gifts:
 Offering: Mission Fund
 *God's Parting Blessing
 Postlude

Assisting Us in Worship: AM: Bridget Vande Zande, Ryan Bouwkamp, Kathryn Andringa, Seth Van Gelder, Andrea Vander Ark, Kayla Veenstra, Zach Marsh, Projection: Jeremiah Schutte, Sound: Evan Van Gelder, Video: Roose Family
 PM: Pastor Brad & Pastor Nate , Sound: Gerrit Vande Zande,

About our Members:

- Thanks for all the cards and expressions of sympathy after the passing of my brother Larry. They are greatly appreciated. —Lee Zondervan
- Betty Bruxvoort was able to return home from the hospital on Friday.

Sunday	7:30	Prayer Meeting
	9:00	Sunday School –Starting Jonah
	10:00	Worship
	6:00	Worship
	5:45	Coffee Break
Monday	9:45	Coffee Break
Tuesday	6:30	Cadets
Wednesday	6:30	GEMS
	6:30	Men's Bible Study
	7:00	Youth Group
	7:00	Oasis
	7:00	Spanish Bible Study
Thursday	7:00	Thursday Night Alive RM 107 Hostess: Judy K & Evelyn R.

The annual congregational meeting will be Monday, November 11 at 7:30 pm in the sanctuary. We will be selecting new elders and deacons and reviewing the church budget for 2025. There will also be a time for staff appreciation, and reports on THRIVE Essentials and how the deacons disburse the offerings. You will be receiving an agenda, an Elder and Deacon affirmation ballot, and the proposed budget. Please come and have your voices heard.

Church Staff & Pastors appreciation boxes have been placed in the fellowship hall. Please place cards, notes of encouragement, or gifts in the boxes. They will be given to the staff at the November Congregational meeting.

Adult Sunday School: Join us November 3 at 9 AM in RM 107 as we begin our study on the book of Jonah and explore what missional life looks like today. Nursery is provided during the Sunday School hour.

Youth Group Dinner & Auction Fundraiser: Come support the Calvary Youth Group on Nov. 13th 5:00pm - 8:30pm as we host a Silent Auction and Soup & Salad Dinner until 7, followed by the Live Auction. Church members who would like to donate items or services to the auction are invited to contact Pastor Nate by Nov. 6th. All proceeds will go towards supporting the Calvary Youth Group Budget and summer service trips. Thank you all for your continued support!

Please join us in honoring our Veterans on November 14, 2024, at 1:00 PM in the fellowship hall. Pastor Brad will be speaking to us about his experience in the military, plus more. Please sign up at the welcome center if you plan to attend.

Giving	
Nov 3	Missions/Missions
Nov 10	Chr Ed/Missions
Nov 17	Missions/Missions
Nov 24	Chr Ed/Missions
Nov 28	Missions & Thanksgiving envelopes
Greeters	
3rd	Lee & Tracy Roose: Narthex Randy & Brenda Nugteren: Main Arvin & Judy Kelderman: Kitchen
10th	Aaron & Alex Sandbulte: Narthex Bill Strong: Main Ken & Dottie Monsma: Kitchen
17th	Shawn & Beth De Vries: Narthex Jeremiah & Stacey Schutte: Main Ivan Mulder: Kitchen
Fellowship	
3rd	Levi Vermeer Steve & Marla Ver Meer
10th	Pete & Carol Verhey Rob & Joy Van Beek
17th	Curtis & Robin Vink Kevin & Robin Vos
Ushers (November)	Joe Goodyk Dave Gritters Edgar Gritters
Nursery	
3rd	Angela Vande Zande Brenda Van Hal <u>Jenna Hoksbergen</u>
10th	Pam Gallaher Ladonna Van Zee <u>Kelsey Gallaher</u> Kristin Bierma Lori Vande Zande
Bus (Nov)	Jeff Poortinga 641.780.5585

We've finished up collecting donations for Cary Mississippi. They will be taken to Cary on November 9. Thank you to all who donated! -Mission Circle

Help pack those shoe boxes from Operation Christmas Child. These boxes may be the only Christmas presents these children get. More importantly, every box has a booklet that shares the Gospel. What a great way to share the love of Jesus with kids and their families. Go to www.samaritanspurse.org for more information on what to include in your box or other ways to give OR you can build a shoe box online. Please return the boxes to church by Sunday November 24. Any questions please call Marsha Wetter @ 641.780.5042 Thanks so much for participating in this great ministry!

Mediocrity was never God's plan for you. In this challenging six-part series, Dave Cornes cuts to the chase by letting us listen in on six conversations between God and His people, recorded by the prophet Malachi. If you're tired of going through the motions of an attendance-based faith, then discover what it means to live a vibrant, abundant life fully devoted to the God whose immeasurable love for you is based on His promise, not your performance. Recover faithfulness in your relationships. Learn to practice world-changing justice and radical generosity. And even amidst the struggles and imperfections of your ordinary life, embrace the extraordinary righteousness that is yours through Jesus. Women join Oasis Bible Study on Wednesdays at 7 for this 6 week study starting November 6.

The Young At Heart Group will be taking a trip to see the Winter Wonderland Christmas Lights at the Reiman Gardens in Ames on Friday, December 6, 2024. Please contact Christy Van Zee for a full itinerary.

Peoria Christian School is looking to fill the following positions.
 Bus Driver (Part-Time)
 Janitor (Part-Time)
 Substitute Teachers (As Needed)
 Facilitators (Volunteer)
 Individuals interested in these positions can contact principal, Jeremy Copenhaver at principal@peoriachr.org or Michelle De Haan at office@peoriachr.org.

As we are getting nearer to Thanksgiving and Christmas, this is a wonderful time to remember our members who are not able to join us at church with cards or letters, phone calls and visits.

Here is an update on where our members are at:
The Cottages: Marti DeBoef, Betty Elscott, Roger Jansen, Will Stallinga, Marie Van Maanen, Vern and Geneva Van Zanten, Elva Vos, Ernie De Jong, Joey Bandstra, and Gerrit Steenhoek

Fairhaven East: Lucy Stravers, Goldie Dingeman, and Norma Nibbelink

In their own Homes: June Slagter, Norma Van Weelden, Bill and Lil Nikkel (currently in Michigan), Gene and Norma Roose, Jake and Bernice Van Gorp
Independence Village:, Dorothy Van Kooten, Terry Van Zee, and Jo Ann Blom

Pella Manor: LeNora Van Weelden, Marg Sikma, Bernie Spoelstra, Willa Branderhorst, Janet Jansen, Effie Groenendyk, Lilburn and Geneva Jansen

Northern Mahaska Care, Oskaloosa: Cornie Van Hal

White Oak Estates, Oskaloosa: Nelson Roozeboom,

The Homestead, Oskaloosa: Marilyn Veenstra,

Westridge, Knoxville: Joyce Nikkel

Mill Pond, Ankeny: Grace Van Ryswyk

Calvary Giving Update (through Oct 27, 2024)

General Fund	Actual	Budget	Difference	% Diff
Last Week	\$6,701	\$10,074	(\$3,373)	
Fiscal YTD	\$400,315	\$433,188	(\$32,872)	-7.59%
Missions Fund	Actual	Budget	Difference	% Diff
Last Week	\$2,317	\$3,482	(\$1,165)	
Fiscal YTD	\$138,381	\$149,744	(\$11,363)	-7.59

