



**WEEKLY SERVICE & SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF 7/23/23**

**SUNDAY SERVICE • 9:30 a.m.**

**TODAY**

Nursery is available during the service.

Children who are 3 years by September 15 through those entering Kindergarten this Fall will be dismissed during the service to attend a Children's Service. Visitors are welcome! Parents may pick up their child in the Education Wing after the service.

All are invited to join us for Fellowship Coffee immediately following the service.

**WORSHIP SERVICE**

Prelude

*Hymn of Praise  
Our Father Who Art in Heaven Above  
In the Cross of Christ I Glory  
When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

**OPENING AND GREETING**

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Luke Nieuwsma & Jacob Vaverka Families

**PRAISE TO GOD**

\*Sing

*Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty*

Hymn #3:1, 3

\*Sing

*Only a Holy God*

\*Sing

*Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty*

Hymn #3:4

Congregational Prayer

Children's Message

Bev De Vries

\*Sing

*Build My Life*

**GOD'S WORD**

Scripture Reading

Revelation 2:1-7  
Bibles – page 1914

Sermon

**"Getting Your Act Together"**

Prayer

**RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD**

\*Sing

*Build My Life (chorus)*

\*Blessing

\*Doxology

*Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow*

Hymn #815

\*Offering, as you leave

Cornerstone Missions Fund

\*Postlude

\* = Please stand, if able.

Leading in Worship:

Interim Pastor: Tom Dykman; Assisting Elder: Bryan Harthoorn

Organist: Phyllis De Vries; Worship Team

# July 23, 2023 News and Announcements



BUILDING COURAGEOUS, AUTHENTIC CHRIST FOLLOWERS.

**OFFERINGS:** July 30: Resonate Global Mission

**NURSERY:** Today: Stacia Veenstra, Kayla Jiskoot, Kynlee V.W.

July 30: Mary Van Haften, Taylor Vande Voort, Ciera R.

**DOOR GREETERS:** Today: Bernie & Lois Beekhuizen, Brian & Glenda Van Kooten

July 30: Brian & Sara De Vries, Zach & Stacia Veenstra

**FELLOWSHIP COFFEE:** C = 3-4 Dozen Cookies; J = 1 gal. Juice; S = Serve

Today: Carolyn Harthoorn - C,J,S; Terry McCombs - C,S; Lola Spoelstra - C,S

July 30: Debbie Nelson - C,S; Marilyn Vander Molen - C,S; Allison Van Wyngarden - C,J; Sharon Walker - C,S

**NEXT SUNDAY:** We joyfully anticipate witnessing the public profession of faith by Colby and Sarah Taber, and the baptism of their children, Braden and Jonah, on July 30.

**OUR CHURCH FAMILY:** "I want to thank all of you for your prayers and concern, cards and phone calls while I traveled a rough and bumpy road with lymph node and throat cancer. Also, a huge thank you to those who took me to Des Moines for my radiation treatments." - Bill Stursma

**THURSDAY:** On July 27 at 6:30 p.m. Pastor Tom will be leading a class for those who are interested in making profession of faith and/or membership at Cornerstone Church. This will be held in the Education Wing.

**SIGN A BIBLE:** In recent years we have begun the practice of giving those who make public profession of faith a Study Bible signed by the members/families of the congregation. In the fellowship area there is a Study Bible for you to sign for the Taber's who will be making public profession of their faith on July 30.

**Please sign it today or next Sunday.**

**PASTOR CONTACT INFORMATION:** If you want to contact Pastor Tom or Erin, their cell phone numbers are: Pastor Tom - 512-626-9098; Erin - 512-470-3791, or email: tedykman@gmail.com.

**ADULT CHOIR** will practice next Sunday, July 30, after morning worship, until 11:30 a.m. Please see Barbara Boertje DeVries for additional rehearsal information, and consider joining us if you aren't singing with us currently!

**CHURCH DIRECTORY UPDATES:** Church photo directory update pages are available by the entrance doors near the restrooms. Please take the packet that has your name on it. If you would like someone to make the updates for you, please bring your book back with your name in it and see Susan Pierson or Ruth Van Hal. Please let them know if you have any other questions.

**CHURCH NOTIFICATION SYSTEM:** If you would like to be added to the One Call Now church notification system, there are forms on the table under the TV in the fellowship area. This is the system we use to notify everyone of prayer concerns, cancellations or other important information about church. Please fill out a form to be added to the system. If you are currently receiving messages, you don't need to do anything.

**OUR 2ND ANNUAL "MUSICAL TAPESTRY"** is being planned for Sunday, August 13, 6:00 p.m.! This eclectic musical program will feature some of our church's talented musicians, as well as others from the Pella area. Please start inviting your friends and loved ones to join us, and stay tuned for more details!

**MUSIC MINISTRY THIS SUMMER:** If you and/or your children (of all ages) are interested in sharing your vocal or instrumental talents (Children's & Adult Choirs, Worship Team, Ensembles, Solos, etc.) with us this summer, please see Barbara Boertje DeVries!

**BUILDING PLEDGES:** The Lord has blessed us with funds to completely pay off the new Church building and the ability to start on a new Cadet building. To help accurately budget for these future building costs, the deacons are requesting that everyone confirm their existing pledges or create new ones. A personalized Pledge Update form has been created for all Church members and placed in your Church Mailbox; please prayerfully fill these out and return them to a deacon. For any questions, or if you didn't receive a form, please contact Shane Tukker (303-827-4085) or any deacon.

**HOW TO GIVE:** Undesignated cash or check offerings go towards the mission or organization of the week. If you desire to contribute to Cornerstone Church and its ministries, simply write "Cornerstone" on the memo line of your check. You can also give online by scanning the QR code or by going online to <https://cornerstonepella.breezechms.com/give/online>.



1. Online - Log into Breeze, click "Give Now". Any member can donate through ACH transfer or Credit/Debit Card.
2. Mail - Mail checks to the church (1020 E. Oskaloosa St. Pella, IA 50219) with "Attention: Deacons" on envelope.

**PEORIA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL** is looking to fill the following positions for the 2023/2024 school year: Part-time Spanish Teacher; Part-Time Job Share IXL Teacher; Bus Driver. If you or someone you know is interested, please contact Jeremy Copenhaver at [principal@peoriachr.org](mailto:principal@peoriachr.org) regarding the teaching positions, and Dan Hol at [gr8farmboy@hotmail.com](mailto:gr8farmboy@hotmail.com) regarding the bus position.

**REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENT:** Calvary's Young At Heart group has available space on their bus tours to The Creation Museum and The Ark Encounter in September, and their two-day Fall Tour to Eastern Iowa in October. If interested, please contact Christy Van Zee at 641-628-1068 or [vanzeejc@gmail.com](mailto:vanzeejc@gmail.com) by August 1.

#### CRC NEWS ITEMS

**GROUNDWORK:** Holy People, God's Wisdom, and the Power of the Cross - The Corinthian church was full of imperfect believers sorting out the impact of their faith on how they lived in the world. Join our Groundwork conversation as we examine 1 Corinthians 1-2 and hear Paul's reminder to return back to the basics and the heart of the gospel message. Listen now at [GroundworkOnline.com](http://GroundworkOnline.com)

**KIDS CORNER:** Trusting God - In Genesis 22:1-13, God tested Abraham's trust in a major way. As Abraham followed God's command, he might have wondered what God was doing, but because Abraham knew who God was and how much God loved him and his family, he trusted God's plan. Check out all the great content at [kidscorner.net](http://kidscorner.net) like the Bible story podcast "God's Promise to Abraham".

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