



WEEKLY SERVICE & SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF 1/21/24

SUNDAY SERVICE • 9:30 a.m.

TODAY

Nursery is available during the service.

C4C (Children for Christ) (3 yrs.-Preschool) are dismissed when indicated on the screen.

Visitors are welcome! Parents may pick up their child in the preschool room after the service.

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

Sunday School (3 yrs.-high school) • 10:50-11:35

Youth Group • 5:00-7:00 p.m. at the church; supper provided.

MONDAY

Perk Up • 9:00-10:00 a.m.

TUESDAY

OTL • 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Christian Fellowship Hour • 1:30 p.m., "Ten Words to Live By" – The First Word: Undivided Allegiance

GEMS (2nd-8th Grade) • 5:00-7:00 p.m., Culver's Fundraiser

Adult Choir Rehearsal • 6:30-8:00 p.m.

More information about activities on the back of the bulletin.

WORSHIP SERVICE

Sheep May Safely Graze

OPENING AND GREETING

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

*God's Greeting and Mutual Greeting

*Call to Worship

PRAISE TO GOD

*Sing

Wonderful, Merciful Savior

Blessed Be Your Name

When Trials Come

Installation of Elders and Deacons

Congregational Prayer, ending with The Lord's Prayer

*Sing

How Firm a Foundation

Hymn #408:1-4

GOD'S WORD

Scripture Reading

Colossians 1:9-14
Bibles page 1832

Sermon

"Know God Know Wisdom, No God No Wisdom"

Prayer

RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD

*Sing

It Is Well with My Soul

Hymn #705:1-4

*Blessing

*Offering, as you leave

Rehoboth Christian School & Hope Ministries

*Postlude

* = Please stand, if able.

Leading in Worship:

Interim Pastor: Paul Hoekstra; Elder Assisting: Bryan Harthoorn

Organist: Debbie Nelson; Dan Zylstra Family Worship Team

January 21, 2024 News and Announcements



BUILDING COURAGEOUS, AUTHENTIC CHRIST FOLLOWERS.

OFFERINGS: January 14's Offering for Rehoboth Christian School (see announcement); January 28: Cornerstone Missions Fund

NURSERY: Today: Emily Boender, Laura Sorensen
Jan. 28: Lisa Vos, Crystal Schreur, Luke S.

DOOR GREETERS: Today: Jon & Nicole Yoder, Jim & Barb Gosselink
Jan 28: Kurt & Emily Boender, Phil & Vicky Slings

FELLOWSHIP COFFEE: C = 3-4 Dozen Cookies; J = 1 gal. Juice; S = Serve
Today: Gayle Lamb - C,J,S; Terry McCombs - C,S; Jeanetta Nieuwsma - C,J; Lola Spoelstra - C,S
Jan. 21: Mark Droppers - S; Syndee Droppers - C,J,S; Lindsay Golliet - C,J; Sharon Walker - C, S

TODAY: Welcome to Visitors! If we may reach out to you and you would like to know more about Cornerstone, please fill out a card found in the seatbacks, and put it in the offering plate as you leave.

Installation of Elders and Deacons will take place this morning. New elders are Levi Nieuwsma, Brent Pierson, Calvin Roose and Gerald Van Dusseldorp; new Deacons are Brian De Vries and Lance Nieuwsma. Let us be faithful in our prayers for them as they take up their service in the new year.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY: We extend our Christian sympathies to the family, and to her good friend, Anne Bokhoven, on the death of Anna Mae Vander Wiel on January 13. May God comfort them with the hope of eternal life in Jesus our Lord.

We wish a happy birthday to Billie Vande Lune who will celebrate her 93rd birthday on January 24, and pray for God's continued blessings on her.

OFFERING FOR REHOBOTH, which was designated for last Sunday, can be placed in the offering plate today or next Sunday, designated for Rehoboth Christian School.

GEMS FUNDRAISER: You're invited to join Cornerstone GEMS this Wednesday, January 24 from 5:00-7:00 p.m. at Pella's Culver's for our GEMS fundraiser night. The girls will receive a percentage of sales and have tip jars if you feel called to give. Thank you for your support!

PASTOR CONTACT INFORMATION: Interim Pastor Paul Hoekstra's phone is (562) 396-8966; Ellen's phone is (562) 331-4656. Please answer if we call, even though it seems like we are calling from California. Our email address is pehoeks72@aol.com. Feel free to contact us any time.

CHURCH DIRECTORY LISTING CHANGES: If changes need to be made in your listing in the church directory, they can be written in the directory on the table in the fellowship area or in the online directory, or call the church office (628-2966) or email secretary@cornerstonepella.org.

CHURCH NOTIFICATION SYSTEM: Prayer concerns, cancellation of church activities, etc. to be put on the phone and email systems can be sent to Joel Vander Molen or Regina Vaverka at prayers@cornerstonepella.org or call 628-1303. If you are not currently receiving messages and would like to be added to the One Call Now notification system, you can contact either one of them.

THANK YOU for your generous support for the operations of Cornerstone Church and its mission outreach. – The Deacons

PINEWOOD DERBY CARS: Our church's Cadets and GEMS car races are on Wednesday, March 27. If you would like a car to enter in the Open Class (all ages) please see Jon Yoder or one of the other Cadet Counselors. If you would like us to pour the lead, the unpainted cars are due February 28.

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.

PCHS SERVICE/HOMECOMING ACTIVITIES: Friday, January 26, will be a day dedicated to service projects and our annual homecoming activities. Both of these are intended to provide students with the opportunity to serve one another and build community in a collaborative manner. Lunch will be served at PCHS. Our annual homecoming chapel will begin at 12:30 with homecoming activities beginning in the gym around 1:00. **Parents are welcome to attend our homecoming chapel and activities.**

FALL ALUMNI DRIVE THANK YOU: The Pella Christian High School Board is grateful for the donations received for the annual Fall Alumni Drive and thank all who supported this fundraising effort. Over \$80,000 was raised to support the school's mission, another example of God's faithful provision and the gracious giving of our constituency.

SULLY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL invites you to their Food & Fun Night Fundraiser on Saturday, January 27, at the Sully Christian School. Enjoy a pulled pork dinner from 4:30-6:30 p.m., kid carnival games from 5:00-6:30 p.m., a silent auction from 4:30-7:00 p.m., and a live auction beginning at 7:00 p.m. We hope to see you there!

PEORIA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL HOSTESS SUPPER: Save the date for the Peoria Christian School Hostess Supper on Saturday, February 17 at 5:00 p.m. The evening entertainment will be the Higher Power Quartet. Childcare and supper for children in 5th grade and under is provided if you RSVP your child. If you would like an invitation to this event or to RSVP for childcare, please contact Michelle by February 12 in the office at office@peoriachr.org.

PRAISEFEST MARCH 11-14, 2024: Gospel music lovers won't want to miss this event at the beautiful Mansion Theatre in Branson. Live performances include legendary artists and memorable sounds of The Collingsworth Family, Legacy Five, Booth Brothers, Ernie Haase & Signature Sound, Great Vision, 4Him and more! A bus has been chartered, hotel rooms secured, and group tickets in the Gold Section are on hold so if you'd like to sit back and enjoy with us, please email Glenda.VanWoerkom@gmail.com or call 641-780-2637 for more information.

CRC NEWS AND PRAYER ITEMS

GROUNDWORK: Thankfulness and Gratitude – Why are thanksgiving and gratitude important virtues for Jesus' followers to cultivate? Join our Groundwork conversation as we study Luke 17:11-19, 1 Corinthians 10:16-17, Philippians 4:4-9 and Colossians 2:6-7 to discover why grateful hearts and expressing thankfulness are essential virtues and to discuss the difference these virtues can make in our thoughts and our lives. Listen at GroundworkOnline.com.

KIDS CORNER: Feeling Like Enough – It's easy to compare ourselves to others and end up feeling disappointed. Especially today, when people post so many photos of their lives online, it can be hard to feel good enough. Here's the good news: as a child of God, you are always enough! Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net like KC's The Bible in One Year Plan.

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