



WEEKLY SERVICE & SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF 8/04/24

SUNDAY SERVICE • 9:30 a.m.

TODAY

Nursery is available during the service.
 All are invited to join us for Fellowship Coffee immediately following the service.
 Children practice after worship until 11:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary.
 Adult Choir Rehearsal • 11:00-11:35 a.m. in the Sanctuary.

MONDAY

Perk Up • 9:00-10:00 a.m.

WEDNESDAY

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

UPCOMING EVENTS FOR YOUR CALENDAR:

- Prayer Group - Tuesday, Aug. 13, 6:00 a.m.
- Church Fun Night - Friday, Aug. 16 p.m.
- Musical Tapestry - Sunday, Aug. 18, 6:00 p.m.
- Church Picnic - Sunday, September 15, noon

More information about activities on the back of the bulletin.

WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude	<i>Were You There?</i>	Joyce Boender, Organ
	<i>When I Survey the Wondrous Cross</i>	
	<i>The Power of the Cross</i>	
	<i>Lamb of God</i>	Terry McCombs, Flute

OPENING AND GREETING

Welcome and Announcements	Elder Gerald Van Dusseldorp
*God's Greeting and Mutual Greeting	
*Call to Worship	

PRAISE TO GOD

*Sing	<i>Grace Greater than Our Sin</i>	Hymn #344:1-4
Children's Message		Pastor Ryan Landt
Congregational Prayer, ending with The Lord's Prayer		
*Sing	<i>Thy Word</i>	Hymn #184:1-2

GOD'S WORD

Holy Scripture	Isaiah 49:24-26 (ESV)
	Bibles page 1140
Sermon	The Gospel: "Rescued" (Part 1: "Unshakable Confidence in God")
	Pastor Ryan Landt

Prayer	
*Sing	<i>There Is a Redeemer</i>
	Hymn #308:1-3

RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD

Holy Communion	
*Sing	<i>The Lord Is My Salvation</i>
*Blessing	
*Offering, as you leave	Cornerstone Missions Fund
*Postlude	<i>The Lord Is My Salvation</i>

* = Please stand, if able.

August 4, 2024 News and Announcements



BUILDING COURAGEOUS, AUTHENTIC CHRIST FOLLOWERS.

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.

OFFERINGS: August 11: Lake View Camp; August 18: Geneva Campus Ministries - Iowa City; August 25: Cornerstone Christian Education Fund

NURSERY: Today: Sarah Taber, April Nieuwsma, Liam N.
Aug. 11: Sarah Christensen, Regina Vaverka

DOOR GREETERS: Today: Sophie Landt, Jason & Kayla Jiskoot
Aug. 11: Kurt & Emily Boender, Brian & Sara De Vries

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

Today: Lois Beekhuizen - C,J,S; Crystal Schreur - C; Joyce Vander Molen - C,J,S; Lola Spoelstra - C,S
Aug. 11: Laura Branderhorst - C,J,S; Vicky Slings - C,J,S; Sharon Walker - C,S

TODAY: This morning we look forward to the sacrament of Holy Communion, and we joyfully anticipate taking the benefits of Christ's salvation into our hearts through this holy supper. All those who name Christ as Savior and who undertake to follow him in repentance are welcome to join us at the table.

MONDAY: Governing Board will meet at 6:30 p.m.

OUR CHURCH FAMILY: We rejoice at the birth of a baby girl, Lucy Amelia, on July 25 to Will and Taylor Vande Voort. We thank God for this great gift!

"Thanks for the cards and expressions for good health. I'm doing well, but continue to improve each day. Trusting God to heal me completely." - Mary Ann Vander Molen

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED: Do you have a passion for helping the youth of Cornerstone? We are needing Sunday School Teachers for the 3 year old-preschool classroom and high school. Please contact Regina at rvaverka@cornerstonepella.org if you are interested.

GEMS COUNSELOR NEEDED: We are looking for a GEMS counselor for the Fall. Anyone interested can contact Lisa Vos, (641) 780-9120 or voslisa01@gmail.com.

MUSICALLY SPEAKING 🎵 🎶 (Questions? See Barbara or email worship@cornerstonepella.org.)

CHILDREN! This morning you are invited to a brief time of singing in the sanctuary immediately after worship (finished at 11:00), to possibly sing at the August 18 Musical Tapestry program. We will also practice on Sunday, August 11.

ADULT CHOIR will practice today and August 11, 11:00-11:35 a.m. in the sanctuary for the Musical Tapestry program. Wednesday rehearsals will be on August 7 and 14 at 6:30 p.m.

BABY GIFTS: There is a table in the fellowship area by the mailboxes for anyone who wishes to bring a baby gift to welcome Walter Lee, born July 18 to Zach and Stacia Veenstra, and Lucy Amelia, born July 25 to Will and Taylor Vande Voort.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 16 - You are invited to Stillwaters Cabin, 2052 275th Street, Oskaloosa, on August 16 for a church fun night. You may swim (bring your own life jackets!), fish (bring your own fishing gear!), Ranger ride, or you may come to just hang out and enjoy the fun. Feel free to come anytime after 5:00; a free-will-donation supper will be provided at 6:00. Pack your own beverages, lawn chairs, and any fun yard games you are willing to share! Please RSVP by August 11 on the sign-up sheet near the cookie line or text Emily at 641-780-9179. Let Emily or Linda Van Dyke know if you have questions or are willing to help with food and we will give you an easy assignment!

CONTACT INFORMATION: As the Pastor of Cornerstone Church and your brother in Christ, I would happily connect with you. Feel free to give me a call, send me a text, email, or even "friend me" on Facebook.

(616) 745-4924; ryanlandt@outlook.com; Facebook: Ryan Matthew Landt

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.

BIBLE LEAGUE FALL RETREAT: Join other men and women on September 12 for the Bible League Fall Conference at Calvary Church in Pella. Worship together, hear keynote speakers Craig and Molly Sanborn, and a ministry report from the Asian-Pacific on the dire need for ministry support, the intimidating persecution, and receptive hearts of the people. An offering will be taken for Bibles for the Nations. See the card in your mailboxes for registration information.

PEORIA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL OPENINGS: Peoria Christian School is looking to fill the following positions for the 2024/2025 school year: 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.

FROM BARNABAS FOUNDATION: You are invited to attend this free, live-streamed event with Barnabas Foundation's Lindsay Canan, J.D. on Wednesday, August 21 at 11:00 a.m. Lindsay will share how you can ensure that your will reflects your personal values and goals by avoiding common mistakes in your estate plan. There is no cost for this event, but advance registration is required. Can't make it to the live event? A video recording will be made available at BarnabasFoundation.org/Interactive.

CRC NEWS AND PRAYER ITEMS

GROUNDWORK: Humanity Falls - Just after the story of creation, the Bible tells us the story of humanity's fall. Join Groundwork as we study Genesis 2-3, Romans 5:12, Romans 8:20-22, and Romans 3:9-23 to examine the second major theme of the Bible, the Christian doctrine of the fall. This theme emphasizes the catastrophic impact of sin on humanity and creation, and clearly articulates our universal need for a Savior in Jesus Christ. Listen at GroundworkOnline.com.

KIDS CORNER: Words of Love - Words can change the way we think about ourselves. When you choose your words wisely, it helps your friends remember that God loves them and that you also love them. And that helps your friends feel good about themselves. Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net, like the Faith Practices for Families Ebook Collection.

THRIVE FAITH FORMATION TIP - Look for service opportunities that allow you to serve "with" people in need, rather than doing things "to" or "for" them. And always remember to look for things you can learn from people you serve.

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