



WEEKLY SERVICE & SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF 4/27/25

SUNDAY SERVICE • 9:30 a.m.

TODAY

Nursery is available during the service.

Sunday School (3 yrs.-high school) •
following the service-11:30 a.m.

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

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

MONDAY

Men's Bible Study • 6:00-7:00 a.m.

WORSHIP SERVICE

Prelude

His Name Medley
God and God Alone

Phyllis De Vries, Organ

OPENING AND GREETING

Welcome and Announcements

Elder Will Van Wyngarden

*God's Greeting and Mutual Greeting

*Call to Worship

PRAISE TO GOD

*Sing

Come, People of the Risen King
You Are My Vision

Children's Message

Bev De Vries

Anthem

Order My Steps

Choir

Congregational Prayer

*Sing

Living Hope

GOD'S WORD

Holy Scripture

John 20:24-31 (ESV)
Bibles page 1687

Sermon

"Poor Old Thomas"

Pastor Ryan Landt

Prayer

RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD

*Sing

My Redeemer Lives

Recognition and Blessing of High School Graduates

*Sing

The Blessing

*Blessing

*Sing

The Blessing Reprise

*Offering, as you leave

Pella Freedom House

*Postlude

You Are My Vision

* = Please stand, if able.

Also Leading in Worship:

Worship Team; Adult Choir, Debbie Nelson – Pianist, Steve McCombs – Percussionist,
Barbara Boertje DeVries – Director

April 27, 2025 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: May 4: GEMS International; May 11: Cornerstone General Fund; May 18: Ministry Shares; May 25: Cornerstone Christian Education Fund

NURSERY: Today: Sarah Christensen, Laura Sorensen, Kynlee V. W.
May 4: Lois Beekhuizen, Lisa Vos, Ciera R.

DOOR GREETERS: Today: Wes & Arlys Veenstra, Zach & Stacia Veenstra
May 4: Phil & Vicky Slings, Steve & Kim Roose

FELLOWSHIP COFFEE: C = 3-4 Dozen Cookies; J = 1 gal. Juice; S = Serve
Today: Terry McCombs – C,J,S; Debbie Nelson – C; Kim Vander Molen – C,J,S; Lola Spoelstra – C,S
May 4: Lois Beekhuizen – C,S; Joyce Boender – C; Glenda Van Kooten – C,J,S; Marilyn Vander Molen – C,S

TODAY: Today is the last day of Sunday School for this season.

NEXT SUNDAY: Pella's annual Tulip Time Worship Service will be held Sunday, May 4, at 11:00 a.m. at the Vermeer Global Pavilion. Come hear the inspirational voices of both public and Christian school choirs, and preschool choir along with a time of vibrant praise. You will be blessed by our speaker, Pastor Dave Woodcock, of The Well. Be a part of the community of churches here in Pella as we celebrate God's goodness together once again this year!

CORNERSTONE CHURCH would like to congratulate Deacon Branderhorst, Ryley Hoekstra, Theo Hugen, Eliot Menninga, Robert Schreur, Wyatt Snyder, Cooper Spronk, and Kirby Van Wyngarden on their upcoming high school graduation. We are proud of you and the great work that you have done. We pray that God will continue to work powerfully in and through you. God bless you and all our high school students.

MEN'S MONDAY BIBLE STUDY: We will study Romans 10, starting with Question 4 on page 132.

ADULT CHOIR's next rehearsal will be Wednesday, May 7, 6:30-8:00 p.m. If you haven't sung with us recently but have an interest, please see Barbara Boertje DeVries or a Choir member for more information and encouragement!

BABY GIFTS: There is a table in the fellowship area by the mailboxes for anyone who wishes to bring a baby gift to welcome Walker Jayce, born March 19 to Lance and Megan Nieuwsma.

VISIT THE EAGLE BOOSTERS' BOOTH AT TULIP TIME! Are you visiting Tulip Time this year? Be sure to stop by the Pella Christian High School concession stand located at East First and Franklin (in front of Bredeaux Pizza). We'll be serving Dutch spiced beef, Pella bologna, cotton candy, snow cones, cookies, chips and an assortment of drinks and, back by popular demand, the "Dutch Stack" sandwich (Dutch spiced beef, Pella bologna, and Gouda cheese). All proceeds support PC academics and our athletic, theater and music programs. We promise to satisfy your appetite and thirst while you support PCHS!

POST-HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES: If you or a family member is graduating this spring from any type of post-high school/college, please contact the church office.

TODAY DEVOTIONALS for May & June are in the racks on the mailboxes. You are encouraged to pick up a copy.

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.

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YOU ARE INVITED to join the Calvary Young At Heart Group on a trip to view the Fall colors to the Upper Peninsula of Michigan and Mackinac Island September 22-30, 2025. A deposit is due May 15, 2025. For an itinerary and further information, please contact Christy Van Zee at 641-780-0727.

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.

SULLY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL is prayerfully seeking individuals to fill several part-time positions for the 2025-2026 school year. Open positions include: Kindergarten Teacher Aide, Junior High Literature Teacher, Janitor, Cook (1-2 days), and Bus Drivers. If you or anyone you know is interested in these positions, please contact the school office at secretary@sullychristian.org or visit our school website. We appreciate your prayers as we seek to fill these roles!

GRACE THERAPEUTIC RIDING is a local nonprofit with a mission to enrich the lives through equine-assisted services. At Grace TR we seek to empower people and horses to become who God created them to be and do His work. Our desire is to serve individuals and families who will benefit physically, cognitively, socially, and emotionally from equine assisted services. Grace TR is looking for volunteers! If you enjoy working with kids in a fun and encouraging atmosphere this is the place for you. We have several different ways you can volunteer. Email us at gracetherapeutic1@gmail.com if you would be interested in joining our team. You can visit our website at www.gracetr.org to learn more about us.

PAUL'S MISSIONARY JOURNEYS IN GREECE (Oct. 13-24, 2025): Travel by motor coach (6 days) and cruise ship (4 days) to sites connected with Paul's second and third missionary journeys, as well as visit other major sites of biblical, archaeological, and cultural interest. Jeff Weima, professor at Calvin Theological Seminary and leading Pauline scholar, hosts this inspirational tour. For more information contact Dr. Weima at 616-328-3110 or weimje@calvinseminary.edu.

CRC NEWS ITEMS

GROUNDWORK: Christian Civility: Defending Our Faith without Being Defensive - How do we disagree without being disagreeable, or handle conflicts when people slander or talk against us? Join Groundwork as we study 1 Peter 3:8-17 and Titus 3:1-11 to seek biblical wisdom for responding to and navigating a divisive culture in faithful and Christlike ways. Listen at GroundworkOnline.com.

KIDS CORNER: Needed: Grand Friendships - Spending time with mentors helps us grow in faith, share love, and remember that God is always with us. We can learn to see God's goodness and share it with others, whatever their age. Check out all the great content at www.kidscorner.net, like KC's Earth Day Collection.

TODAY IS ABUSE AWARENESS SUNDAY - On this special Sunday, Thrive invites our congregation to imagine a more holistic approach to nurturing a safe and healthy church community where abuse itself becomes unthinkable and where survivors feel supported and safe.

THE BANNER'S COUNTING ON YOU! Please support the award-winning journalistic ministry of the CRC by giving today. \$500,000 is needed every year to keep *The Banner* going. The more funds raised in this annual drive, the less is drawn from ministry shares, releasing money to other agencies of the CRCNA. Please donate online at TheBanner.org/Give.

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