



**WEEKLY SERVICE & SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK OF 4/06/25**

**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.

**MONDAY**

Perk Up • 9:00-10:00 a.m.  
 Governing Board • 6:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**

Christian Fellowship Hour • 1:30 p.m. – pages  
 119-121 & 141-142  
 Adult Choir Rehearsal • 6:30-8:00 p.m.

**THURSDAY**

Men of the Upper Room • 7:00 p.m.

**SATURDAY**

Mama Bear Apologetics Speaker • 6:30 p.m.

**WORSHIP SERVICE**

Prelude *Medley for Lent* Andrea Van Waardhuizen, Organ  
*As the Deer*  
*Hymne*

**OPENING AND GREETING**

Welcome and Announcements Elder Jeff Vander Molen  
 God’s Greeting  
 Call to Worship  
 Call to Confession  
 Prayer of Confession  
 Assurance of Forgiveness

**PRAISE TO GOD**

\*Sing *His Mercy Is More* led by Worship Team  
*Blessed Be Your Name*  
*Magnificent, Marvelous, Matchless Love*

Children’s Message Sophie Landt

Congregational Prayer, ending with The Lord’s Prayer

\*Sing *Lord, I Need You*

**GOD’S WORD**

Holy Scripture Ecclesiastes 5:10-20 (ESV)  
 Bibles page 1040

**“Breaking Free: From Avarice”**

Sermon Pastor Ryan Landt  
 Prayer

**RESPONSE TO GOD’S WORD**

\*Sing *Be Thou My Vision* Hymn #562:1, 3

\*Blessing

\*Sing *Be Thou My Vision* Hymn #562:4

\*Offering, as you leave Cornerstone Missions Fund

\*Postlude

\* = Please stand, if able.

# April 6, 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:** April 13: Pella Food Shelf; April 18 (Good Friday): World Renew; April 20: Resonate Global Mission; April 27: Pella Freedom House

**NURSERY:** Today: Taylor Vande Voort, Sara De Vries, Laila L.  
April 13: Brent Pierson, Crystal Schreur, Luke S.

**DOOR GREETERS:** Today: Jim & Barb Gosselink, Kurt & Emily Boender  
April 13: Jon & Nicole Yoder, Les & Carla Nieuwsma

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

Today: Barb Gosselink – C,J,S; Carol Ver Woert – C,J,S; Allison Van Wyngarden – C; Sharon Walker – C,S  
April 13: Lindsay Golliet – C; Paula Klyn – C,J,S; Glenda Van Woerkom – C,J,S; Lola Spoelstra – C,S

**NEXT SUNDAY:** Next Sunday, April 13, we will conclude our sermon series on the seven deadly sins. That Sunday, we will examine the last two sins: gluttony and lust. To put people at ease, when discussing lust, while sexual sins will be referenced, they will not be addressed explicitly.

The Gospel Singers Male Chorus will sing in our church on Sunday, April 13 at 6:00 p.m.

**De KINDEREN KLOSET is this week!** We are looking for volunteers to make a batch (or two) of cookies for our shoppers. There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the back. Cookies would need to be dropped off in the church kitchen by Thursday evening, April 10. Thank you!

**MAMA BEAR APOLOGETICS SPEAKER:** Everyone is invited to hear guest speaker Hillary Morgan Ferrer, founder of Mama Bear Apologetics this Saturday, April 12 at 6:30 p.m. here at Cornerstone Church. The topics will include: "Using the ROAR Method to Chew and Spit through Cultural Lies" and "Linguistic Theft - Identifying Unbiblical Ideas Wrapped in Christian-Sounding Words". Please register using this QR code, link <https://forms.gle/aT9TC3m88BvL4Drv8>, or on the sign-up in the fellowship area for a chance to win a Mama Bear Apologetics book. Invite your friends!



**SERVING OPPORTUNITY UPDATE:** We would like to update and add to the list of people willing to help serve food at funerals. There is a sheet in the Fellowship area where **new volunteers** can sign up if you are able to help as needed. The sheet also lists the people on our **present list**. Please check that list and make any corrections necessary. The more people who are willing to help, the less often you will be called upon!

**THE GOSPEL SINGERS MALE CHORUS** invites you to their celebration of 55 years of worshipping our Lord. Please plan to attend a concert at which two other choirs will join us today, April 6, 2:00 p.m. at Pella First Church.

**HOLY WEEK SERVICES:** Palm Sunday, April 13 - 9:30 a.m.; Good Friday (with Communion), April 18 - 7:00 p.m.; Easter Sunday, April 20 - 9:30 a.m.

**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

**ANNUAL SOCIETY MEETING:** The Pella Christian Schools Annual Society Meeting will be held tomorrow, April 7 at 6:00 p.m. in the PCHS music room. The meeting will include honoring staff for years of service, a state of the school report including the '25-'26 budget, and the affirmation of new board trustees. All PC society members are invited to attend. An Endowment Foundation Meeting is scheduled to immediately follow and will include the annual report, a presentation of new board members, and proposed amendments to the bylaws. More information is available at [www.pceagles.org/society-meeting](http://www.pceagles.org/society-meeting) or at either school office.

**A GRAND DAY AT PELLA CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS:** Grandparents and special friends are invited to join us for A Grand Day! The Grand Day at Pella Christian High School is Wednesday, April 16 beginning at 8:40 a.m. The Grand Day at Pella Christian Grade School is Thursday, April 17 beginning at 9:00 a.m. The mornings will include chapels, classroom visits, student performances and lunch. We look forward to spending this time with you and sharing how God’s Story is unfolding at Pella Christian Schools.

**SERVE OPPORTUNITY:** We are called to go and preach the gospel, but many don’t feel equipped. Tulip Time is a great opportunity to share and learn from others with years of experience. Go to <https://www.tulipgospeloutreach.org/> and click opportunity to learn more and volunteer.

**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!

**THE L.O.S.T. (Loved Ones Safe & Together) PROGRAM:** The L.O.S.T. program is a proactive law enforcement initiative to assist local officers in locating and identifying persons suffering from Alzheimer’s, Autism, Dementia, or other medical conditions which could result in the person becoming lost or separated from their families or caretakers. For more information see the poster on the end of the mailboxes.

**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.

**PK-KINDERGARTEN ROUND-UP:** Peoria Christian School is holding Round-Up for students considering enrolling in prekindergarten or kindergarten for the 2025-2026 school year on Wednesday, April 16 from 8:15 a.m.-12:40 p.m. Please contact the office at [office@peoriachr.org](mailto:office@peoriachr.org) if you are interested in your child attending or if you know of a family who has a child who could be interested.

#### CRC NEWS ITEMS

**GROUNDWORK:** What Jesus Taught in His Final Days - As Jesus’ time on earth brought him closer to the cross, he wanted His disciples, and now us, to understand some important lessons. Join Groundwork as we explore Mark 9:30-37, Mark 10:13-40, Luke 12:33-40, Matthew 24:36-51, and Matthew 25:31-45 to learn what it means to be a watchful servant as we wait for the day when Jesus will return. Listen at [GroundworkOnline.com](http://GroundworkOnline.com).

**KIDS CORNER:** Lent: God’s Will be Done - What do you do when it’s hard to obey God? Discover how Jesus prayed for strength and trusted God’s plan in tough times. Learn how to follow His example and seek God’s help when obedience feels hard! Check out all the great content at [www.kidscorner.net](http://www.kidscorner.net), like KC’s Lent and Easter Collection.

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