

January 29, 2012

Greeters

	<u>West Door</u>	<u>East Door</u>
Today:	Darla Faber	Chuck & Char Feikema
Next Sunday:	Bob & Arla Feikema	Mike & Staci Feikema

Ushers

January: Theron Feikema, Monte Van Dyke, Jonathan Pap
February: Joel DeBoer, Nick Bork, Rich Hubbling

Valet Parking

January: Jim, Dominic, & Luke Nibbelink
February: Theron & Derick Feikema, Silas Top

Accompanist

Today: Darla Timmer
Next Sunday: Phyllis Vos

Sound System

Today: Jeff De Witt
Next Sunday: Spencer Kiers

Nursery

Today: A.M. ó Amy Haan, Alanna Van Santen, Haley Pap, Hannah Pap
P.M. ó Michele Van Dyke, Paige Van Dyke
Next Sunday: A.M. ó Kristi De Boer, Marilyn Van Santen, Hunter Bork, Shane Osenga
P.M. ó Nicole Dilly, Nicole Sparks

Children's Worship

Today: Teacher ó Michele Van Dyke; Helpers ó Hunter Bork & Payton Bork
Next Sunday: Teacher ó Lisa Bork; Helpers ó Haley Pap & Luke Nibbelink

Library

Today: Linda Bork, Elaine Steensma
Next Sunday: Elaine Steensma, Carol Hoogland

Song Service

Today: Valley Male Chorus
Next Sunday: Jim Nibbelink

Offerings

Today: A.M. - Cadets; Local & Denominational Ministry Shares
P.M. - Hope Haven
Next Sunday: A.M. - Benevolence; Local & Denominational Ministry Shares
P.M. - Rock County Food Shelf

Letters to Our Missionaries

International Immigrant Ministries: Dale Wynia, Dustin Vanø Hof
Michelson: Bud Ackerman, Steve Mouw
Margaret Njuguna: Jo Mulder, Don Bork
Van Voorst: Henrietta Mulder, Doug Bork

Calling Team

February: Elders ó Rod Fransman, Tim Van Bruggen; Deacon ó Stacey Bork

This Week's Events

We extend a warm welcome to all who have joined us for worship today!

- Today:** 9:30 a.m. **Morning Worship - This morning we observe Cadet Sunday. Thank you to all the Counselors and helpers who put so much time and energy into our Cadet ministry! When we sing the theme song, "Living For Jesus," all former cadets and counselors are invited to come forward.**
Children's Worship
10:50 a.m. **Sunday School and Catechism Classes**
6:30 p.m. **Evening Worship - This evening we welcome the Valley Male Chorus to lead us with ministries of music during out pre-service hymn sing. They will also present several selections at the conclusion of the service. Since the Valley Male Chorus serves as ambassadors for the ministry of Hope Haven, this evening's offering is designated for Hope Haven.**
- Tuesday:** 8:20 a.m. **CoffeeBreak Leaders Meeting**
9:30 a.m. **CoffeeBreak/ Story Hour**
- Wednesday:** 1:00 p.m. **Sunday evening service broadcast on Knology Cable Channel 3.**
2:00 p.m. **Seniors' Bible Study** ó Lesson 8 on Hebrews
6:30 p.m. **GEMS** ó 3rd grade girls
7:15 p.m. **GEMS** – 4th ó 8th grade girls ó Lunch Leah & Sydney
7:15 p.m. **Cadets**
- Thursday:** 7:00 p.m. **Friendship Class**

Church Family

Please pray healing mercies for **Henry Vander Linden** was a patient at Sanford SF being treated for pneumonia and a hole in his lung.

Please continue to pray for **Jo Vander Steen's daughter, Trisha Brummel**, who is scheduled for a cancer-related surgery this Tuesday, January 31.

Coming Events

- ⌚ Mark your calendars, please! **The Luverne CRC Youth Group will host a fund raising supper on Wednesday, February 22 from 5:30 -7:00 p.m. in the church fellowship hall.** The menu includes: pork loin sandwiches, cheesy potatoes, green beans and a variety of homemade desserts. This is the only fundraiser we will be having this year. 100 % of the proceeds will be used for youth group lesson material, local youth group events, and summer mission work assistance for students going to Cary, Mississippi or to other SERVE sites. "Don't let anyone look down on you because you

are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in life, in love, in faith and in purity." (1 Timothy 4:12) Please plan to come out and support our youth!

- ⊕ **United Christian Schools is proud to sponsor Remedy Drive in concert on Wednesday, March 14 at 7:00 at the Southwest MN Christian School gym.** Remedy Drive is a high-energy rock band that loves music and loves God and the music they play is to show God's love. This is a great time to bring your preteen and teen children to a concert that has a high energy and dynamic show but also delivers a message of God and His love for us. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$8 for students and special pricing available for youth groups by calling 507.442.4471. Tickets are available at Chandler Christian, Hills Christian, Edgerton Christian, Worthington Christian, Southwest MN Christian High School, Katie's Closet in Edgerton, Grapevines in Luverne, and Expressions Gallery in Pipestone.
- ⊕ **Cary Auction:** Please mark your calendars for **Monday, March 19** for the annual Cary Auction/Dinner. We plan to meet in the church's fellowship hall at 5:30 for the ham/corn/baked potato dinner while the auction will begin at 7:00. Great appreciation to all who have supported us in the past. It is hard to believe this will be our 10th year! Also look for the Cary sign up sheet in the west entry of the church or email me at kiersusa@gmail.com if you are interested in joining our team this year. The dates are June 14 - 23. Either way you choose to support this wonderful mission trip, you are sure to answer God in his Great Commission! Solo Deo Gloria!

Announcements

- ↪ **Pastoral Note.** Next Sunday evening, DV, I will take part in a post-conference/study time **pulpit exchange** with a number of pastors from our Classis. I'll be leading worship at Leota CRC and Rev. Tim Brown will be with us here in Luverne.
- ↪ **Meals On Wheels.** Just 2 days left for this month. The change in the weather definitely made delivering meals more interesting this past week. Thanks again to all who've volunteered to help the needy in our community.
- ↪ **SWCH Circle 10 will be serving a Hot Roast Beef Sandwich & Hot Dog meal from 5-8Pm on Friday, Feb. 3rd during the SWC vs. MCC Boys Basketball game.** \$6 meal includes a Sandwich or Hot Dog, chips, pop & dessert.
- ↪ **The solicitors for the ECES Building and Livestock Fund Drive have been out this past week.** If you are not contacted soon, and would like to contribute to the fund, please contact the school office at 442-6181. **Thank you to all who have helped and/or contributed to the Building Fund Drive so far.** We have several envelopes that have not been turned in, and checks are still coming in from those who are not home at the time of the drive as well as from those who are spending the winter somewhere else. If you are not contacted and would still like to contribute, you may send your contribution along with your child to school or send it in the mail. We appreciate your financial support and your continued prayers for our school.

Announcements Cont.

- ↪ **Attention Treasurers:** It is time to put together your group's **financial report**. If your group or committee has a checking account, please turn in a financial report in my mailbox or email it to me at luvernecrc@gmail.com by Feb. 5th. Nicole
- ↪ **Women's Crafting Weekend at Bethel CRC in Edgerton on Friday, Feb. 3 (1pm-late) and Saturday, Feb. 4 (8am-3pm).** Friday night supper, breakfast and lunch on Saturday are provided along with table space to craft! Just bring your crafting supplies, a snack to share, and your own drink. Please reserve a spot for the weekend by calling Paula 442-5846 or Julie 220-0682. Can't wait to get crafting again!
- ↪ **We are praising God that ATLAS For Life was able to purchase a new location for our Pipestone office.** We were able to buy the building out-right through the generous support of many people in our community. We will be celebrating God's goodness by having an open house and dedication on Friday, February 3rd at 5:00pm. You will be able to tour our new facility in it's present condition, then we will have a short dedication at 5:30. We will end the evening with bar-b-ques and chips. Please invite your friends, neighbors, and anyone you think would be interested in seeing the location of the new Pipestone ATLAS office 101 2nd St. NE (the old southwest office supply store on the corner of north 2nd St and Hiawatha Ave.).
- ↪ **Dordt College is hosting its annual Day of Encouragement**, a day for leaders in the church to be challenged, inspired, encouraged, and further equipped in their tasks. This year's Day of Encouragement features Rev. Tim Vink of the RCA who will talk about the Power of God's Gospel Now. Join fellow Christians for Day of Encouragement on February 4. You can find information and registration details at www.dordt.edu/events/day_of_encouragement or by calling (712) 722-6028.
- ↪ **GROUNDWORK - Finding Christ in the Scriptures:** What is the Bible really about? Is it a handbook for successful living? A guidebook about the way to heaven? A theology textbook, a source for formulating doctrines? Or is it a storybook about Jesus? Join the Feb. 5 Groundwork conversation based on Luke 24:44-49. Find a local radio station or listen online at www.GroundworkOnline.com.
- ↪ **KIDS CORNER** ó Scooter's Secret: Scooter is tired of getting no respect from his friends, so he decides to win a go-kart competition—no matter what it takes. See if Scooter's plan will work on this week's Kids Corner. Kids Corner is a member of the HisKids.net alliance—working together to provide quality entertainment for kids that is Christ-centered and Bible-based. Visit www.HisKids.net to find great Christian programs and music for kids.