

New Holland Christian Reformed Church

Sunday November 20, 2022

~~Hearing devices are at the sound desk.

~~Nursery is provided in the fellowship hall during worship.

~~Children ages 3 to 5 may leave for Children's Church when indicated. Their leader will meet them at the back of the sanctuary.

~~Everyone is invited for refreshments/fellowship after morning worship.

10:00 AM Worship

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements

Call to Worship

Songs of Praise *Hallelujah Praise Jehovah* **#117**
 It is Good to Sing Your Praises **#171**

God's Greeting/ Mutual Greeting

God's Desire for Living (PowerPoint Responsive Reading)

Congregational Prayer

Offerings DCS/Local Missions

*Song *Be Thou My Vision* **GH #450 Vs 1,2,3,4**
 (Children are dismissed for Children's Church)

Scripture Acts 1:12-26

Message **Seeking the Kingdom—First**

Prayer

*Song *Lead on O King Eternal* **GH #555 vs 1,2**

*God's Blessing

*Closing song *Lead on O King Eternal* **GH #555 vs 3**
(Sunday School students and teachers are dismissed during song)

*Postlude

*Congregation stand if able

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thank you for the thoughts and prayers while Gordon was in the hospital. They were amazing. Gordon is home and off dialysis. The Lord is good. Gordon Veurink and family

Thank you all! I would like to write individual thank you notes to you, but that is not realistic at this time. I really appreciate everything the congregation has done for me. The food, rides, and more...everything has been such a blessing! Barbara Shea

The women's Bible study group will not be meeting this week.

Plans are underway to bring back the Living Nativity this year!

Help us show others the true meaning of Christmas by volunteering to act out scenes from Christ's birth! (No speaking parts required) Costumes & hand warmers provided! We are planning on the evenings of December 22nd & 23rd and need 18-20 volunteers each night. Contact Sarah Baan Hofman to sign up or with any questions you may have!

Happy Birthday and God's richest blessings to our senior member with a birthday this week: Evelyn Niewenhuis (November 21).

A congregational meeting will be held today after the AM service. A copy of the proposed budget can be found in your church mailbox.

- **Elder:** Trent Beltman, Dennis Hubers. Myron Veurink, Gordon Munneke, Leroy Bruinsma, Bob Holleman
- **Deacon:** Jeremy Boer, Travis Dyk, Tyler Veurink, Brady Baan Hofman, Cody Feenstra, Lee Niewenhuis

Starting today, Sunday School classes will not meet. Children instead will be preparing for the Christmas Program, which will be held December 18. Regular classes will resume January 8.

Cherie and I would like to invite more of you to join us for a **fellowship dinner** at the parsonage. Everyone who has not been over for a meal including the kids is invited. Please feel free to come any time after 5:00 the meal will be served at 5:30. There are signup sheets with available dates on the table in the fellowship hall. Please limit 20 per date. See the signup sheets in the fellowship hall for available dates. Please include your phone number and the number attending. Pastor Norlyn

There are many pans and containers here...please check the back table in the fellowship hall, and take yours home.

Thank you to everyone who put in a donation for the new hardware/household items as well as the Bemidji red potatoes that were generously donated by Vic/Laurie Munneke and sold in their garage. \$6000 was taken in for the New Building Fund!

A potato supper fundraiser for the new church will be held November 30. Work group 1 will be in charge. More details soon.

New Building: As of 11/5/22 the New Building Fund total is \$681,890.29. For those that wish to direct their offerings to the new church building project, please make checks payable to NHCRC with the memo indicating New Building Project and cash offerings in an envelope labeled to the New Building Project. Funds can be placed in the offering box in the back of the sanctuary, given to a deacon, or mailed to NHCRC, PO Box 3, New Holland, SD 57364.

No plans for Thanksgiving Day? You are invited to join your friends and neighbors for a Thanksgiving Day dinner (Nov. 24) at Grace Reformed Church, serving from 12 – 1 p.m. in the fellowship hall. No charge for the dinner as we share God's gifts of food and friends. The celebration dinner is sponsored by the Grace Reformed Church and Corsica Christian Reformed Church. Please call Helen 770-3130, Dick 999-5795, Kris 770-0443 or Daren 680-2625 by **today**. Need a ride? Let us know. We look forward to seeing you there!

DCS would like to invite you to join us for our annual **Thanksgiving Luncheon** on Wednesday, Nov. 23. A personal invitation was extended to our Waymakers – the people who walk alongside our youth as they make their way through life (grandparent, aunt, uncle, cousin, parent, family friend). There are many fun things planned as we have dedicated this day to celebrate the special people who support and encourage our youth as they build a firm foundational relationship with Jesus. We welcome DCS family, friends, and supporters to join us for a chapel in the gym beginning at 11:00 a.m. This will be followed by a luncheon consisting of delicious homemade soups and cookies! We are incredibly THANKFUL for you!

DCS 9th grade class is holding a bake sale on December 10, at Dakota Christian School. Any baked good donations would be greatly appreciated. If you are willing to donate, email Donna Veurink: donnaveurink@dakotachristian.net

A fundraiser Soup Day, sponsored by Platte Health Center Avera Auxiliary, is being held today at the Platte Community Building from 11 am until 1 pm. Also included is a silent auction with quilts, Christmas deco, baked goods and miscellaneous.

Dakota Christian is beginning their Matching Funds Drive! Thanks to the extreme kindness of our donors, we have in place a \$50,000 matching donation challenge. All donations to DCS will be matched, dollar for dollar, from now until January 15th, which includes any donations given through local church offerings. The money raised during this time will be used to fund our tuition aid program, building improvements, curriculum improvements, and our operating budget. We thank you in advance for your support, and we pray that God continues to bless our community!

The **Vine's Bountiful Table's next meal will be December 8, 2022.** The menu will be Beef Roast. Signup sheet is in the foyer of Platte CRC or call Norma at 605-680-1691. **Sign up deadline is December 4, 2022.** Invite friends and neighbors to join us.

Recap of bulletin dates:

- **November 20 (Sunday)** Congregational Meeting
- **November 20 (Sunday)** Platte Heath Center Soup Day
- **November 24 (Thursday)** Grace Reformed Thanksgiving Meal
- **November 30 (Wednesday)** Potato Supper Fundraiser
- **December 2-10** Living Water Shoebox Distribution
- **December 18 (Sunday)** Christmas Program
- **December 22 & 23 (Thursday, Friday)** Living Nativity

Usher and Lift Information:

Head: July-Dec. N: Cody Feenstra **S:** Devin DeLange

Nov-Dec. N: Rudy Niewenhuis, Ben Kroese

S: Darin DeLange, Dan Gruenewald

November Lift: Myron Veurink **December Lift:**

Missionary Special Date:

Aldo & Graciella Sarti Anniversary December 2

Please contact Pastor Norlyn or your district elder or deacon with pastoral needs.

District 1 New Holland: Larry VanZee; Rich Van Zuidam

District 2 NW of New Holland: Larry Vander Ley; Michael Zomer

District 3 NE of New Holland: Marty Overweg; Brett Feenstra

District 4 SW of New Holland: Darcy Jongejeugd; Riley Niewenhuis

District 5 SE of New Holland: Jerry BaanHofman; Dillon Munneke

NOTES

Discerning the Lord's Will

Mt 6:33 *But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness...*

1. Feast of Purim
2. Urim and Thummim
3. Ephod
4. Casting Lots
5. Discerning

Seek ye first
the
KINGDOM OF GOD
and His righteousness;
AND ALL THESE THINGS
shall be added unto you.
MATTHEW 6:33

Today, Sunday November 20, 2022

9:30 AM Prayer

10:00 AM Worship

Valet Brad Veurink

Accompanist JoEllen Dykstra

Offerings DCS/Local Missions

Scripture Reader Dawn Lagge

Praise Team Brandi DeLange, Derrick Veurink,
Leroy Bruinsma, Val Feenstra

Nursery Tim & Grace VanderLey; Lee & Amber Niewenhuis

Children's Church Lee & Amber Niewenhuis

Projection Sarah BaanHofman

Sound Dan Veurink

Library Carol Muckey

Coffee Tyler & Bri Veurink

Cookies Rachele Hubers, Albertha Vreugdenhil, Norma
Feenstra

7:00 PM Bible Study

7:30 PM Thanksgiving Service Wednesday November 23

Accompanist Brandi DeLange

Valet Dave VanderPol

Praise Team Nicole Van Zuidam, Myron Veurink, Jeremy Boer,
Brianna Veurink, Janet Beltman

Nursery Jason & Dawn Lagge Family

Projection Jon Dykshorn

Sound Dustin Feenstra

Next Sunday November 27, 2022

9:30 AM Prayer

10:00 AM Worship

Valet Ben Kroese

Accompanist Deb VanZee

Offering Envelope (Choice)/Loose offering to DCS

Praise Team Laurie Munneke, Katelyn DeLange,
Jay Feenstra, Dan Veurink

Nursery Trav & Farrah Dyk; Mitch & Sara Munneke

Children's Church Rudy & Lydia Niewenhuis

Scripture Reader Larry Vander Ley

Projection Kate DeLange

Sound Colin Lagge

Library Sharon Hofstee

Coffee Wayne & Paulette Veurink

Cookies Barb Shea, Mavis Veurink, Jody Niewenhuis

11:00 AM Sunday School