

Bethel Reformed /Ebenezer CRC  
October 18, 2020  
9:30 a.m.

Joining in Fellowship

Welcome and Announcements

Gathering to Worship

\*Call to Worship

\*Prayer of Invocation

\*God's Greeting

\*Hymns of Praise: #12 "Holy God, We Praise Thy Name"

#16 "We Praise Thee, O God, Our Redeemer"

Preparing Our Hearts

Call to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Hymn of Assurance: #43 "Great is Thy Faithfulness" Randy & Wanda

Congregational Prayer

Landhuis

Hearing the Word

Scripture: Romans 10: 5-21

Message: Confess and Believe

Prayer of Application

\*Hymn of Response: #372 "Living for Jesus"

Departing to Serve

\*Confessing Our Faith – The Apostles' Creed

\*Parting Words

\*Closing Song: #394 "In My Life Lord, Be Glorified"

\*Postlude

~Blessings to all on this Lord's Day We praise God for every person here today and pray for the Spirit to rest on each member and visitor alike as we worship together.

TODAY

~Sunday School today @ 10:50 a.m.

~Nomination Ballots will be counted today following the service.

THIS WEEK

~Wednesday, 7:00 p.m. Leota Community Youth Night

~Thursday, Bulletin notices are due before 4 p.m. Either by email or telephone: to vmtink@ hotmail.com or call 443-5751.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

~We Extend Our Sympathy to **Bud Hofkamp, Marcy Feurerhelm & Ryan Hofkamp** in the passing away of their brother & uncle, Don Hofkamp, this past week in Mich.

~Congratulations! to **Ethan & Emily Blom** (son of Keith) with the birth of a son, on October 11, 2020. They named him **Nolan Ethan**, he weighed 8# 4 oz.

~Elder on Call for the month of October: Randy Landhuis – 507-920-0392

~Church Custodian: We are in need of a church custodian. If you are interested in the position, please contact an elder or deacon. We would also like to take this opportunity to thank Martha Pronk for her many years of faithful service.

~Good Used Winter coats, sweat pants/shirts, stocking caps, gloves etc. can again be brought to church for the CENTER OF HOPE. Drop-off box provided.

~Leota Township - Notice to Voters The ballots for the November 3<sup>rd</sup> election have been sent out. If you did not receive one it is because you are not on the roster. You must go to the court house of your county and register, and you can vote at the same time.

~Classis Assessment Drive: We owe our regional classis yearly fees (assessments). These are per-member (\$65) dues paid to Minn. Classis of the Reformed Church. To contribute please give to an elder or deacon. ThankYou!

~We will again be doing **Christmas Shoe Boxes for Samaritan's Purse.** The boxes are at church and must be returned by November 15<sup>th</sup>. Check the brochure inside the box for more details & suggestions. A donation of \$9.00 per box is critical to cover cost of shipping. You can give by check using the attached postage paid envelope. **NOTE: If you are doing a girls box, there are pillow case dresses on the table in the fellowship hall, HELP YOURSELF.**

~**Would you like someone to help you if you should need an ambulance?** The closest ambulance will take about 10 minutes to get to Leota from Edgerton. Those first minutes are critical in medical emergencies or accidents. That's why we need a Leota First Responder Team. Leota's team has dwindled down to 3 members. Wayne Landhuis, Mike Schuller, and Lonna Vis. Perhaps you can be a responder, or if you cannot do it, perhaps you know of someone living around Leota that would be a capable person. Please talk to them, encourage them and if they have questions, call Mike Schuller, 507-329-1497, Wayne Landhuis, 507-360-6275 or Lonna Vis, 507-920-9583. We need help to care for our town.

**PRAYER REQUESTS & CONCERNS**

- ~Prayers for **Tom Giese**, recovering from surgery.
- ~Pray that **Valerie Sinnema** will have no complications in these last few months of her pregnancy.
- ~Prayers for **Bud Van Peurse** who has been having tests for back & hip pain.
- ~Prayers for little **Huxley Schaap** who was flown to Ann Arbor, Michigan last week. There is a possibility that his next surgery will be moved up.
- ~Continued prayers for **Martha Pronk** with her health issues.
- ~Pray for all those who are undergoing treatments for cancer and many in our churches and community who have Covid.
- ~Prayers for **Cornie Van Lant**, he was hospitalized because of an infection and dehydration, he is recuperating at home.
- ~Prayers for our teachers, school and college students during this year.
- ~**Remember those of our congregation who are in care centers,** especially during this covid epidemic, with a card, note, phone call, or window visit:

**Edgebrook Care Center**  
**Tena Winkelhorst**  
**Betty Engeltjes**  
**Dow Rummel – Sioux Falls**  
**Craig Vastenhout**

**Edgebrook Estates**  
**Esther Evink**  
**Poplar Creek – Luverne**  
**Fran Anker**

**REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS**

~**The SWC High Schools Circles/Parent Groups** invites you to their annual Fall Soup Supper on Tuesday, November 3 serving from 5:30-7:30 p.m. This year's fall event will be DRIVE THRU only. Come to the parking lot and follow the signs to select your choice of chili, cheesy vegetable, pea, or chicken tortilla soup. Along with the soup, you will receive a tea roll and cookie for dessert. Your free-will donation for this delicious take-home meal will be gratefully accepted.

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