

## Serving Christ by Serving Others

### Today

#### **Greeters**

Logan & Katie TeBrake

#### **Servers**

Lee & Sandy Duininck  
Ross & Tonya Larson

#### **Valet Service**

TJ Stoel

#### **Lobby Monitor**

Marly Breems

#### **Nursery**

Tonya Larson  
Desi Larson  
Sydney Watson

#### **Nursery Floater**

Angie Rausch

#### **Children's Church**

Cora Watson

### Next Sunday, November 20

#### **Greeters**

Jay & Kris TeBrake

#### **Servers**

Chad & Heather Groen  
Chuck & Sandy Leininger

#### **Valet Service**

Brandon Van Der Puy

#### **Lobby Monitor**

Scott Buteyn

#### **Nursery**

Kaitlyn Vogel  
Madison Vogel  
Neika Leininger

#### **Nursery Floater**

Linda Brouwer

#### **Children's Church**

Alysia Buteyn



**Christmas Poinsettia's** are available to be ordered on the signup sheet in the fellowship hall. They will be purchased again from CMCS for their annual fundraiser for high school class funds. The cost for each poinsettia is \$22. The deadline to order is TODAY, Sunday, November 13th.



There is a list being put together of **substitutes/helpers** that would be willing to be available to serve at an event such as a funeral during the week. We understand that it's hard for some to take off work for such events and would like to call upon this group of people to help out during these times. If you feel led to help in this way please reach out to Marge Breems or Merri-Sue.

# Welcome

## Today's Service



### Today's Message

The Overflowingness of God

### Scripture Reading

Revelations 22:1-5

Communion

### Offerings

General Ministry  
& Love Fund

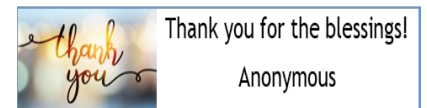
### Lead Worshiper

Jon DeGroot

**Welcome to Worship at Unity!** We are blessed to have you a part of our worship today. Our hope is that you leave here feeling blessed and refreshed!

We welcome **Pastor Larry Vanderaa** to our pulpit this morning. May the Lord use his words to reveal Himself to us and be blessed.

**Children's Church** - Following the prayer during the service, kids ages 3 to PreK are welcomed to leave for a time of Children's Church. They can meet up with their teacher in the back.



## Call to Prayer:

*Urge, then, first of all, that petitions, prayers, intercession, and thanksgiving be made for all people! 1 Timothy 2:1*

Remember to lift each other up in prayer in times of joy and celebration as well as time of struggle and sorrow, addressing spoken and unspoken issues.

We give thanks for answered prayers for the successful splenectomy for **Aaron Zwart** this past Thursday. Let's pray for a full and speedy recovery.

We ask for continued prayers for **Josh Leininger and his family**. Josh has spent the week at U of M Hospital in St. Paul addressing a feeding tube issue. Currently, he is being nourished through IV. Pray for the healing of his feeding tube site.

We give praise for the safe return of **Antonio, Paulaine, Stanley, and Carene Jean Louis** who flew back from Haiti on Tuesday! Let's continue to pray for the country of Haiti as they endure continued turmoil including **Parker and Abby Wierda at Hope Health Action and for Children of the Promise and the entire staff there**.

We extend our sympathy to the family and friends of **Aldean Peterson** who passed away this past Monday. A funeral service will be held on Tuesday, May 15 at 10 AM at the Harvey Anderson Funeral Home. Also, continue to grieve with the **Ninnemans, Ulferts, Thielens, Swieringas, Groens, Ledebors, Elliots, and others** who daily feel the absence of loved ones.

Please also for those who for various reasons are not able to join us for in-person worship such as **Dorothy Slagter, Hubert and Marilyn Wieberdink, Shirley Bonnema, Norm Duininck, Carl and Shirley Marcus, Jim Ninneman, Bob and Rosie Huizenga and Ray and Sadie Tellinghuisen**. These brothers and sisters also love visits!

Pray for improved health for **Jaden Dannen, Greg Verner's mom Sharon, and Lois Cook's brother Clarence**.



**The Roger Ulferts family** would like to thank you for your prayers and concerns during Roger's illness and after his passing. They feel blessed, and appreciate the acts of kindness during this time.



### Sunday (Today)

**9:30 a.m.:** Worship Celebration

Children's Church for ages 3 to PreK will be during the service.

Coffee Time - Fair Trade coffee by Dunn Bros.

Sunday School (K-12) immediately after the worship service

### Monday

**6:00 p.m.:** Thanksgiving Meal Food Prep

**6:30 p.m.:** Full Council Meeting in the nursery

**6:30-8:30 p.m.:** Open Rock - van leaves Unity at 6 and return around 8:50.

**7:00 p.m.:** Friendship Bible Study at ROL. Cookies: Sallie & Nastya

### Tuesday

**9:15 a.m.:** Ladies Bible Study

### Wednesday

**6:30 p.m.:** Cadets Fun Night at CMCS Elementary Gym

**6:30 p.m.:** GEMS Girls Club at Unity

**7:00-8:45 p.m.:** HS Youth Group at The Rock - Van leaves Unity at 6:30 and returns at 9ish.

### Friday

**6:30 a.m.:** Men's Bible Study

### Next Sunday

**8:45 a.m.:** ICare Breakfast



**Prinsburg GEMS** is so grateful that every Operation Christmas Child shoebox has been taken!

**Please return filled (not sealed) and labeled shoeboxes to church no later than THIS Wednesday,**

**Nov. 16.** There are labels to be coordinated with each box, inside the brochure that is on the table in the fellowship hall. Please mark the age group and whether for a boy or a girl. Also, please be sure to check the list of things that can't be put in the boxes.

Donations will also be accepted through Nov. 16 to help cover the shipping costs (\$10 per box). Any additional funds raised will go to Operation Christmas Child. Thank you for your generous support of OCC and Prinsburg GEMS!



## THANKSGIVING DAY Community Meal at Unity at Noon –

Let's come together to eat  
and celebrate!

Whether it's the year your kids are at the in-laws, or plans are to stay put, or you just don't want to fuss with the whole meal, COME!

The main staples will be provided  
(turkey, potatoes, ham, stuffing).

If you have a favorite dish and/or dessert to share,  
you can bring that along!

This is open to EVERYONE. Come with family. Come with friends.  
Come with a neighbor or co-worker.

Pass this invite along to someone who would be blessed to share  
the day with others. No RSVP necessary.

If you have any questions, contact Mindy Grannes - 320-979-4009.

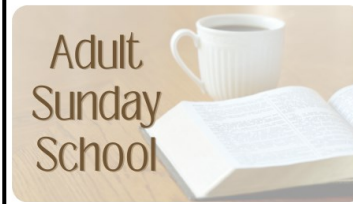


If you would like to participate with the Community Thanksgiving Dinner there are several ways to help before the event. This is a great way to be involved without having to disrupt your Thanksgiving Day plans if you already have them. The following are a few needs.

- \*Turkey and potato prep tomorrow night, Monday, Nov 14 6PM.
- \*Make a pie or prep a green bean casserole the day before. (Two pies and one green bean casserole still needed)
- \*Donation of whole hams (2 needed).
- \*Cash donation to offset cost of event. (Bring to church)

If you are available Thanksgiving day and would like to help the morning of Thanksgiving in the kitchen, you are welcome to join us starting around 8am, meal is served at noon.

Mindy Grannes will be in the fellowship area on Sunday morning for anyone that would like more information or would like to sign up to help. She can also be contacted at 320-979-4009 if you have any questions.



Next Sunday there will be a time after the worship service for **Adult Sunday School with Ruth Veltkamp**. Please grab your coffee and snack and head back into the sanctuary to hear about her work in Nigeria and beyond.



Please join us next Sunday, November 20th in the evening starting at 5:00 p.m. for a time of **Praise and Worship with Ruth Veltkamp**. We will finish the evening with pizza and fellowship!



**The Mission Team is excited to host Ruth Veltkamp from November 17-21!** Unity has supported Ruth's ministry for the past 35

years. We have not hosted her for the past 5 years and are eager to reintroduce her to the Unity body. Would you be willing to host Ruth for a meal? **Currently, we are looking for someone to host her for an evening meal Thursday, November 17 and Friday, November 18.** Other times could be arranged as well, especially for Bible study groups or small groups! Call Marly Breems to sign up at (320) 894-2145.



UPCOMING LEADERSHIP TRAINING COURSE - Register now to take the new Thriving Essentials leadership session on Saturday, December 3 at Rock of Life CRC in Willmar. We want to get all of our active ministry participants on the same page concerning the key concepts of Mission, Discipleship, Discernment, and Leadership. Whether you're a new deacon, a seasoned elder, or even a volunteer ministry leader, this training course will benefit everyone and get us all starting from the same framework. Learn more about the course at this website: [crcna.org/Thrive](http://crcna.org/Thrive). Go to [www.rockoflifecrc.org](http://www.rockoflifecrc.org) to register. Look for the "Thriving Essentials Registration" button or contact Renae Kleinhuizen at [willmarcrc@gmail.com](mailto:willmarcrc@gmail.com). Registration deadline is November 26. There will be a free-will donation box to help cover the cost of lunch and refreshments, but the training is free of charge.

**The Lunch Box Café -**

**Tuesday, Nov. 15th -**

**Lasagna and Garlic Bread**

All Meals are \$6.00/Serving.

Please place order by 1:30 p.m. the day before. 320-978-4187



**Women, you are invited to a luncheon on Saturday, November 19th, 10 a.m. at the Harvest Community Church in Willmar.** At this event you will be able to

meet and greet the director, Val Ferguson, of the new local Faith based program for women, The Well. It

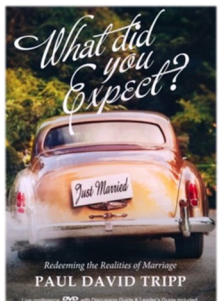
will provide housing and faith based guidance for up to nine women. So many of our friends and family have been affected by addiction one way or another. If you cannot make it that day but would like to invest in The Well there are numerous ways to do that. Mentoring is needed, volunteering to cover some evening hours, purchasing much needed supplies, offering a class in life skills, and so many more ways to invest in these women. A list of needs will be posted on the bulletin board. There are also pamphlets about The Well by the mailboxes.



**CMCS Harvest Festival - November 19**

Mark your calendars to join them for a fun evening with delicious food and great fellowship at the Annual Harvest

Festival on Saturday, November 19. A free-will Ham Dinner will begin serving at 4:30, with a Live Auction beginning at 6:30. Please check out the full schedule of booths and events, as well as the Live Auction link, by scrolling to the bottom of the school homepage at [www.cmschool.org](http://www.cmschool.org). They hope to see you there!



**STRENGTHENING MARRIAGE VIDEO SERIES COMING UP!**

Redeeming the Realities of Marriage, by Paul David Tripp

There will be a FREE 5 week strengthening marriage video conference held at the Roseland Reformed Church from 6:15-7:15 PM on Wednesday nights. It will begin on November 9th and run through December 14th, (no meeting on Dec 7).