



Unity Church Bulletin

September 22, 2024

Today

Welcome to Unity!

We are happy to worship with our beloved missionary, Ruth Veltkamp, who will be preaching the Word today and sharing more about her ministry after the morning service. Please grab a cup of coffee while you wait for your kids in Sunday School and catch up with Ruth and the IMANI ministry in Nigeria.

A special offering will be taken today for Bob Dykstra and his ministry at the La Courte Oreilles Reservation. Please remember Bob and the team in your prayers this week as they work on special projects and minister to Bob's friends.

9:00 PRAYER TIME

9:30 WORSHIP

Message: *Ruth Veltkamp*

Title: *Baskets and Wings*

Scripture: *Zechariah 5:5-11*

Offering: *General Ministry & Special offering for Bob Dykstra*

Worship Leader: *Bryan De Groot*

TONIGHT: 7:00

YOUNG MEN'S BIBLE STUDY in the HS SS room

THIS WEEK

Thursday—Sunday, September 26-29

Chad Hoekstra and his team of hard workers will be serving with Bob Dykstra this week as they work to finish projects and minister to those living on the reservation.

This Week at Unity...

- **Today: Ruth Veltkamp**
—Sunday School after the service. Snacks in classrooms
—Adult Sunday School with Ruth in the sanctuary after the morning service.
- **Monday:** —Pastor Dan appointments Noon—7
- **Tuesday: Women's Bible Study**
—9 am Coffee & Fellowship
—9:30 Study of Discovering Daniel
- **Wednesday: 7:00 MS/HS SRYG** van leaves at 6:30
- **Thursday—Sunday—Bob Dykstra mission trip**
- **Friday: 6:30 a.m.** Men's Bible Study
- **Saturday: 6:00 p.m.** PUZZLE TIME —All are welcome!

...TODAY

Greeters

Todd & Cheryl Watnaas

Servers

Skyler & Madison Garman

Brad & Darla Ryks

Lobby Monitor

Bev Marcus

Children's Church

Maddie Vogel

Nursery

Sue De Groot

Etta Grannes

Giada Grannes

Floater

Brenda Ten Pas

NEXT WEEK...

Greeters

Steve & Terri Zondervan

Servers

Tanner & Annie Swierenga

Isaac & Emma Swierenga

Lobby Monitor

Darrel Frikke

Children's Church

Maddie Vogel

Nursery

Mindy Grannes

Kaylee Dannen

Mya Dannen

Floater

Linda Brouwer

Pastor Dan Munson — #612-366-4991 — dcmunson@gmail.com

Pastor Dan will be here Monday, September 23.

You can schedule an appointment by phone or in person with him from noon—7:00.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

...Find more info and details in the Friday Update

- **Unity Part-Time Custodial Position Is Still Available**

Please contact Wilson Brouwer at 320-444-0500 or Shannon if you are interested.

- **NEW WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Every Other Wednesday Beginning Oct 9 : 6:45 p.m. (Opposite Gems Nights)**

(*notice change of date & topic due to space & time conflicts)

Topic - Discerning the Voice of God by Priscilla Shirer

Where: High School Sunday School Room

Contact: Katrina Miedema or Shannon Stoel to reserve a book for the first meeting or just show up and we'll place a second order.

- **It's PUZZLE TIME NEXT SATURDAY (28th) 6 pm**

Even if you're not a puzzler, neither am I! But maybe your neighbor is and they would like to come! Bring them along and you can sort... or just chat! We have puzzles for the competitors and puzzles for those who are not! This group is not limited to size or ability! ...so come at the last minute if you like. Snacks will be provided or bring some to share! Puzzle time is for everyone!!

- **Family Photo Sundays—October 13 & 20 ... MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!**

We'd like to provide an opportunity for you to take a free family photo and in turn be able to update the church directory app. Photographers will be available both Sundays before church from 8:30 – 9:15 and after the morning worship service. Please plan ahead and remember your smiles!!

- **Women's Retreat Is Still Open for Registrations**

Still time and room to sign up for the Women's Retreat held at Lake Koronis November 8-10. Do you have a friend or neighbor or sister who needs some time away? You can sign up in the app / Stay Connected / Sign-Ups / All-In, or the unitycrc.org website/Connect/Events, or you can contact Tara Stoel or Shannon in the office.

- **Volunteers needed at New to You Thrift Store**

Whether you have a little time to give or a lot, no matter your skill set, there are many ways to get involved. We can find the right fit for you! Participation can vary from a couple hours a month up to one to two times a week, mornings or afternoons. New to You would not be where it is today without the help of volunteers over the years. Would you consider helping us continue in our ministry? Stop in to pick up a Volunteer Questionnaire or call 320-231-1850 for more information. Thank you!

LET US PRAY...

- For the team who will be traveling to Wisconsin this week to help our missionary, **Bob Dykstra**, and his friends at the La Courte Oreilles Reservation.
- For our **Search Committee** who have been waiting on the Lord's lead and timing as God reveals and works through everyone to continue His will for our church. Our Search committee members are: **Perry Breems, April Swierenga, Logan TeBrake, Chad Hoekstra, Scott Buteyn, Megan Taatjes, Jonah Marcus, Joi Huisinga and Jer Slagter.**
- For the **farmers** and all those involved in the fall harvest. May God show his grace and mercy through safety and weather and productivity.
- Our **nation and it's next leader.** May God be glorified in the process and the outcome. Dear Lord, have mercy on the United States of America.
- Our future shepherd
- Unity Leadership, Pastor Dan Munson
- Our widows, expectant and young mothers
- Those who struggle silently or daily with chronic illness, disease, palliative care or undetermined sickness and their caregivers
- Those who serve secretly... but seen by God.
- Our young families as they raise their children in the ways of the Lord.
- Our beloved shut-ins—Shirley Marcus, Jim, Betty, Shirley B., Dorothy, Ray & Sadie, and Bob & Rosie.