BULLETIN

AUGUST 9TH, 2026

GIVE ONLINE!

TODAY

Greeter
Isaac & Emma Swierenga
Servers
Jeff & Angie Rausch
Bradon & Jaedyn Swart
Lobby Monitor
Eddie Mulder
Children's Church
Ella Brouwer
Nursery
Carol Negen
Katie TeBrake
Sabine TeBrake
Floater
Angie Rausch

NEXT WEEK: AUGUST 16

Greeter
Tanner & Anna Leigh Stoel
Servers
Dan & Gina Oden
Bob & Shannon Stoel
Lobby Monitor
Dan Oden
Children's Church
Alysia Buteyn
Nursery
Michael & Tracy Borstad
Oaklie Slagter
Floater
Carrie Moorlag

WELCOME

Welcome to worship!

We are glad you are here as we gather to praise God, hear His Word, and celebrate the Lord's Supper together. Life often brings challenges, uncertainties, and moments when we wonder how God is at work. This morning, we will be reminded that even when the path ahead is unclear, the Lord remains faithful, present, and in control.

May our time together encourage you to trust Him more deeply and find renewed strength in His promises. Whether you are a longtime member or a first-time guest, we pray you experience the grace, peace, and hope of Jesus Christ today!

THIS WEEK

TODAY

- 9:00 Prayer Time in HS Room
- 9:30 Morning Worship
  - Children's Church

MONDAY

- 6:30 PM SRYG Open Rock

TUESDAY

- 6:30 Full Council Meeting

WEDNESDAY

- 7:15 Church Softball

FRIDAY

- 6:30 AM Men's Bible Study

TODAY

MESSAGE	Travis Berry
SERMON	"Take Courage"
SCRIPTURE	Acts 22:22-23:11
WORSHIP	Etta Grannes
OFFERING	General Fund & Love Fund

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LET'S PRAY

- Val Duininck's great-granddaughter, Adelyn
- Parker Broberg has a heart procedure to repair holes in his heart on Aug. 25.
- Landon Groen in New Zealand, to serve with Campus Outreach
- God's peace and presence for those walking with silent struggles.
- God's wisdom as we discern the next steps for Unity
- Pray for our church's ministries, including small groups and Sunday school, launching this fall.
- Pray for church leaders, volunteers, and ministry teams as they seek to serve the congregation faithfully.
- Pray for those who have been absent from fellowship or are feeling disconnected, that they would experience renewed encouragement and community

CONTINUE TO PRAY FOR...

- **Lucas Schwitters & family**
- **Connie Knapper**
- **Darrel Frikke**
- **Jennifer Waryas**
- Our beloved shut-ins:
  - **Bob Huizenga**
  - **Shirley Bonnema**
  - **Ray & Sadie Tellinghuisen**

Unity Happenings

- **Small Groups** – Interested in leading a small group this coming fall? Reach out to Anna Leigh for further information and resources.
- **Crossroads Prison Ministries Meeting –** Saturday, September 12 in the First CRC Fellowship Hall, Crossroads Prison Ministries (CPM) will host a mentor training and informational meeting for those interested in becoming mentors in their program. The training will run from 10:00 to 11:30 AM, with a light lunch available afterward for those who RSVP to Denise Bakker (320-894-1971).
- **Mark your Calendars for August 30 - UNITY FALL FESTIVAL:** Hayrides, grilled hot dogs, and more! Ask your elder for more information about this great day. You don't want to miss it!
- **Building Project Feedback:** Thanks to all who submitted questions and feedback. The admin team will provide updates after the full council meeting in August. Please continue to send any additional questions or concerns.
- **Kindergarten-3rd Graders:** For two more weeks, K-3rd graders are welcome to meet Tuesdays and Thursdays at the church building from 10–11 AM for a Bible Study. Please get in touch with Anna Leigh or the office if you are interested!
- **Congratulations to Austin & Nette TeBrake on the arrival of James Bernard on August 2!** Join them for a Sip & See baby shower on August 15 from 10 AM to 12 PM to meet their newest blessing, enjoy refreshments, and celebrate this special occasion with family and friends.
- **Open house Baby Shower: August 29, 2 PM at Unity:** Please join family and friends to celebrate and support Kayla Savage as she prepares to welcome her new baby. Registry information can be found at Babylist.com
- **La Courte Oreilles Trip - Sept 24th-27th:** It's time to start praying and thinking about joining our trip to support and visit Bob Dysktra and his ministry! Please sign up on the church app, or you can email the church office. Contact Jon Setrum for any questions or details- Jscotset@hotmail.com
- **Campus Ministry Center -** They will be having a groundbreaking celebration for their expansion project on Monday, August 17 at 11 AM. It's open to the public, and we want to celebrate what God has done! For more information, contact Jeff Schmitz at 320-905-0345 or ridgewatercia@gmail.com.

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