

ANNOUNCEMENTS

2025 Consistory Nominees: The following names have accepted their nomination to serve. **Elders:** Dwayne Bonestroo & Brad Nielsen. **Deacons:** Tony Bonestroo & Troy Woelber. At the Congregational Meeting today we will ratify these nominees.

Starfish Project is selling their newest products this morning. Fiona has women's and men's jewelry as well as coasters, trivets, planters, and plant hangers. Lots of new merchandise. Everything is on sale - the home decor items are 75% off. All proceeds benefit the ministry of Starfish - leading women to Christ.

★ **Prayer Blanket Meeting:** Thursday, Dec. 5, from 3-7pm. It's time to join together in our blanket ministry as we make new blankets and unite in our mission to bring peace to those experiencing life altering events. Feel free to come and go as your schedule allows. We will have a pizza party during the supper hour. We welcome any new people. Call Jan Wissink at 470-2994 for info and if you'll be able to attend. See you then! ★

FRC's 10th Annual Cookie Walk, Saturday, Dec. 7, from 9:00-11:30am in the Fellowship Hall. Sign-up at the Connections table to bring your favorite holiday goodies. Find Cindy Moeller or Beth Webb with any questions or suggestions.

On Sunday, Dec. 8, from 2-5pm, TEC will be holding a reunion in our church.

The next Community Meal is Wednesday, Dec. 11, from 5:15 - 6:45pm in the Fellowship Hall. The free meal is pulled pork sandwiches, mac & cheese, green beans, apples and dessert. Dwayne Van Leeuwen's Care Group is serving the meal. In addition to the meal, Sandi Breuer and Maria Van Den Top will offer a Christmas craft. All are welcome!

Christmas Caroling: Add Thursday, Dec. 12, at 6pm to your calendar and join in blessing others with an evening of singing favorite carols. Meet at church to go caroling and afterward we'll come back to church and have chili together.

We are looking for students in grades 2-6 to play a Christmas song on piano or instrument at the Sunday School Christmas program on Sunday, Dec. 15. Contact Jacinda Zoet (712-470-2887) with name of child, instrument, and song title.

Setting Anchors Children's Gifts: Bless a child in foster care with pj's, underwear and socks. Pick up a gift tag from the Giving Tree in the Fellowship Hall, purchase the item, and return it to the tree by Sunday, Dec. 22. No need to gift wrap.

Candlelight Service Readers: We are needing some readers for the Candlelight Service on Sunday, Dec. 22, at 6pm. If interested, sign up on the form on the Connections Table.

Do you have a knack for decorating? The members of the Flower Committee do an excellent job of providing decorations for the pulpit. If anyone would be interested in joining this group with your talents, please contact Lena Vollink at 712-470-2983 and she will get you added to the 2025 schedule.



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CONNECT

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Consistory Leadership

Arvin Boote (1st VP of Consistory)
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Keith Vollink (Deacon Chair)
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MINISTRY

NURSERY

Today Jennifer & Ashlie Saavedra Family
Next Week Tina Woelber Family

CHILDREN IN WORSHIP (3 Y.O.-K)

Today Leader: Avery Dokter
Greeters: Maggie Van Schepen & Destiny Klarenbeek
Message: Baby Jesus presented to God
Next week Leader: Laura Hurley
Greeters: Abbie Eichmann & Virginia Leusink
Message: The Boy Jesus in the Temple

GREETERS

Today John & Hendrene Z.; Arlan & Glenda B.; Les & Bridget V.T.
Next Week Laura B. & Sue B.; Arvin & Lauri B.; Ron & Jane B.

YOUTH MINISTRIES SNACK ROTATION

ROCK 12/4 Tyler & Jakob P.; Marcus R.
Adv. Club 12/4 Grayden V.R.; Milly V.S.
Refuge 12/8 Ian W.-P.; Brevin W.

PRAYERS

Barb Van Es is undergoing chemotherapy for cancer.

Eldon Sneller, brother of Leon Sneller and Lavonne De Jong, is undergoing chemotherapy for cancer.

Joy De Jongh's 2-year-old niece, Taylyn Vander Schaaf, has been diagnosed with acute lymphoblastic leukemia.

Gail Schenk is hospitalized in Texas after having had a heart attack and subsequent surgery to put in stents.

Keith Hulstein is home following hospitalization.

Nelva Nyenhuis is recuperating at RiverView Ridge in Rock Valley after breaking her foot.

Jonathan Schmidt is deployed to the Middle East. Cards can be placed in Stacey Schmidt's church mailbox and the family will see that he gets them.

Thank you to everyone who remembered me with visits, cards, prayers, and words of encouragement during my past surgery for aortic valve replacement. Your kindness is truly appreciated. Gerrit Van Der Zwaag

WORSHIP

Approaching God

Welcome

Call to Worship

- # 277 Hark! the Herald Angels Sing
- # 278 Angels We Have Heard on High
- # 250 O Little Town of Bethlehem

Greeting

Kids' Bells: The First Noel & Silent Night

Advent Wreath & Congregational Prayer

Offering

Children In Worship Blessing & Prayer

Encountering God

Message: Go, Tell It on the Mountain

Scripture: Psalm 137

*Next Week

Message: O Come, All Ye Faithful

Scripture: Matthew 2:11, Luke 2:8-16, Philippians 2:5-7

Responding to God

Response Song

- # 258 Go, Tell It on the Mountain

Doxology

THE WEEK AHEAD

TODAY

- o 1st Sunday of Advent
- o Kids' Bells
- o Children In Worship
- o Congregational Meeting after worship

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, Dec. 2

- o 6pm Discipleship Team mtg.
- o 6:30pm Executive Team mtg.
- o 7pm Impact Team mtg.

Wednesday, Dec. 4

- o 7pm Adventure Club
- o 7pm Sanctuary Choir practice
- o 7:30pm ROCK

Thursday, Dec. 5

- o 3-7pm Prayer Blanket Ministry mtg.
- o Pizza provided during supper hour

Friday, Dec. 6

- o 7:45am FCA
- o Set up for Cookie Walk

Saturday, Dec. 7

- o 9:00-11:30am Cookie Walk in the Fellowship Hall

Sunday, Dec. 8 ~ 2nd Sunday of Advent

- o Rev. Missy Dokter giving the message
- o Building Fund offering
- o Baptisms & Professions of Faith: Cara Dokter & Mackenzie Balsley
- o Children In Worship
- o 2-5pm TEC reunion in our church
- o 7pm Refuge

Monday, Dec. 9

- o 10am Aspen Heights Bible Study
- o 7pm Elders' meeting
- o 7pm Deacons' meeting
- o 8:30pm Consistory meeting

SERMON NOTES