



Hope Christian Reformed Church Hull, Iowa

Faith
is being sure of what
we hope for and certain of
what we do not see
Hebrews 11:1

October 27, 2019

Pastor's Office: 439-1201
Church Office: 439-1279
www.hullhopecrc.org

Morning Service 9:30 AM
Evening Service 6:00 PM
Pastor Todd Zuidema

GREETERS, COFFEE, CARE VISITING

Oct 27: 1A- Marlo & Viv Covey
November 3: 1B- Nate & Allie Van Kley

SOUND SYSTEM AND PROJECTOR

October 27: Kent Z & Drew H
November 3: Jerry V & Dave E

SONG SERVICE

October 27: Randy Ten Pas
November 3: *Requests*

CHILDREN & WORSHIP

Age 3 (potty trained) through 2nd grade may leave for Children & Worship during PM services after the creed
Oct 27: Lindsey VO/ Allison VO
November 3: Shelly VO/ Miranda TP

USHERS

Jerry Boer, Jake Van Voorst, Kobi Baccam

NURSERY SCHEDULE

October 27: **AM:** Julie K, Maggie F, Ariana VG, Teigen DK
PM: Andrea W, Maliyha DB
November 3: **AM:** Bri R, Tyson B, Kyra B, Allison VO
PM: Lavonne B, Zakiah VDZ

OFFERING SCHEDULE

October 27: 1st General Fund
2nd Hope Education Fund
PM: Sioux City Gospel Mission
October 27: 1st General Fund
2nd Paradise Bound Orphanage
PM: Zuni Christian School

THIS WEEK AT HOPE

SUNDAY: 9:30 AM ~ Morning Worship Service
10:45 AM ~ Coffee Fellowship *Sunday School *Potluck
6:00 PM ~ Evening Worship Service
WEDNESDAY: 10:00 AM ~ Coffee Break
5:00 PM ~ Potato Supper



5 DAYS-5 MINUTES-GOD'S PEOPLE PRAY

Please pray and/or send an encouraging card, letter, or e-mail to the pastor or missionary who appears after your name.

MON: Aldie & Bev Altena The Broeks)
TUES: Sou & Mindy Baccam, Kobi, Bailey, Miles(The Crulls)
WED: Dwight & Jan Bakker(The Ribbens)
THURS: Nathan & Chanda Bakker, Kyra, Japen, Jasmine(The Zuidemas)
FRI: Cody & Kathy Bauer, Isabella, Conner, Kylee, Zoey(Paradise Bound)

Hope Council Members 2018-2019

Elders: Arlyn Boon, Mike Broek, Mark Fenchel, Pete Steiger, Craig Stiemsma,
Stewart Vander Stoep, Jamie Van Voorst,
Deacons: Nathan Bakker, Scott de Boom, Brad De Kam, Mark Steiger, David Van Lingen, Scott Westra

Our Morning Worship Service

*Please stand if you are able.

God Gathers and Greets Us

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

*Song of Praise: *"Lord, Most High"*

*Call to Worship

*God's Greeting

*Song of Praise: *"Here I Am to Worship"*

We Confess and God Forgives

Call to Confession: Galatians 5:13-25

Song of Assurance: *"Not What My Hands Have Done"* PH 260:All

Prayers of God's People

God Speaks through His Word

*Song of Preparation: *"I Love to Tell the Story"* PH 530:1 & 3

Children's Message *(Led by Pastor Todd)*

Scripture: Acts 14:8-19

Sermon: **"Understanding Good News"**

Prayer of Application

In Gratitude We Share Our Gifts

Offering and Offertory: 1st General Fund 2nd Hope Education Fund

Song of Application: *"Across the Lands"* v1,2

God Sends Us to Serve with His Blessing

*Parting Blessing

*Closing Song: *"Across the Lands"* v3

Postlude

Accompanist: Melissa Boer
Leading Us in Worship: Pastor Todd Zuidema

Our Evening Worship Service

*Please stand if you are able.

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Song Service: *(Led by Randy Ten Pas)*

"Be Though My Vision" v1,2,3 & 4

"They'll Know We are Christians" v256:1,2,3, & 4

"How Firm a Foundation" v427: 1,2,3, & 5

Call to Worship

*God's Greeting

*Profession of Faith: (Unison) The Apostles' Creed

Prayers of God's People

*Song of Preparation: *"Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God"* v1,2

*Song of Preparation: *"What Shall I Render to the Lord"* PH 178:1,2, & 5

Scripture: Genesis 15

Sermon: *"What Good is Faith?"*

Catechism: Lord's Day 23, Q & A 59, 60, 61

59 Q. What good does it do you, however, to believe all this?

A. In Christ I am righteous before God and heir to life everlasting

60 Q. How are you righteous before God?

A. Only by true faith in Jesus Christ. Even though my conscience accuses me of having grievously sinned against all God's commandments, of never having kept any of them, and of still being inclined toward all evil, nevertheless, without any merit of my own, out of sheer grace, God grants and credits to me the perfect satisfaction, righteousness, and holiness of Christ, as if I had never sinned nor been a sinner, and as if I had been as perfectly obedient as Christ was obedient for me all I need to do is accept this gift with a believing heart.

61 Q. Why do you say that through faith alone you are righteous?

A. Not because I please God by the worthiness of my faith. It is because only Christ's satisfaction, righteousness, and holiness make me righteous before God, and because I can accept this righteousness and make it mine in no other way than through faith.

Prayer

Offering and Offertory: Sioux City Gospel Mission

*Song of Application: *"Now Thank We All Our God"* PH 454:1 & 2

*Parting Blessing

*Closing Song: *"Now Thank We All Our God"* PH 454:3

Postlude

Accompanist: Melissa Boer
Leading Us in Worship: Pastor Todd Zuidema

Sermon Notes

AM

“Understanding Good News”

_____ Jesus with those who don't _____ Him.

Change your method of _____, but don't change the _____.

Remain _____, even when _____.

PM

“What Good is Faith?”

_____ grace.

_____ promises _____ with _____.

_____ Jesus _____.

Welcome to Hope Christian Reformed Church!

- ❖ *Large print Bibles are available; please request one from an usher if needed*
- ❖ *Nursery is available, as well as a quiet room in the northeast corner (Classroom 9) where the service can be viewed on the TV.*
- ❖ *Please join us for coffee fellowship after the morning service.*
- ❖ *You may also view our church service on Channel 77. The morning service will be played at 2:00pm on Sunday and the evening service will be played at 10:00am on Thursday.*
- ❖ *Please send your bulletin announcements to hopecchullsecretary@gmail.com or you may place them in the Secretary mailbox by **Thursday at noon**.*
- ❖ *If you have any prayer requests, you may email them to hopecchull@gmail.com or you may call Pastor Todd at (712)439-1201.*

WORSHIP NOTES

Welcome to Hope CRC! "Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your heart." (Colossians 3:16) As we gather in God's presence today, let us rejoice in God's faithfulness and be encouraged to share the Good News that we have received. Our morning's text will be from Acts 14:8-20 and the evening text from Genesis 15, using Lord's Day 23 of catechism as a guide. Let us worship God today!

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Potluck Dinner: Join us after Sunday School for a Potluck Dinner! We encourage everyone to enjoy a time of fellowship with members of our congregation. New or visiting members are encouraged to join us! (no need to bring anything). We look forward to seeing you all. If you have any questions, please talk to Kathy Te Slaa or Marj Hulstein.

Potato Supper: Join us at church on October 30 for the Young People's annual potato bake. They will be serving food from 5-7pm. The proceeds help fund service projects and activities.

Pleasant Acres: next Sunday, November 3, at 2:15, Hearts & Hands 3B with Justin & Mandy as Care Leaders is responsible for the service at Pleasant Acres.

YCL will meet next Sunday night, November 3 at church. Jerry and Deb Verhoef will lead the next lessonA Life of Joy.

Cadet Fundraiser: Cadets are currently selling those delicious delicacies known as Pastry Puffins! The proceeds this year will again go to defray the expenses of any Cadet interested in attending the International Camporee in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan in July 2020. If you are not contacted by a Cadet and would like to place an order, please call Kent Zevenbergen at 439-1602 or email him at ktzeven@mtcnet.net. Thank you!

Operation Christmas Child brings hope and joy to kids worldwide through a simple gift-filled shoebox. But a shoebox is only the beginning! It also gives the children an opportunity to have a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ through a Bible Study. Boxes will be provided in the kitchen (you can also purchase your own container or use a shoe box). You can choose to pack a box for a girl or a boy, or both! This is a fun project to do with your kids too! Please have your filled boxes in church by November 18. If you have any questions please contact Rebecca Te Slaa or Vanessa Vink.

New Roots Ministry's event---"Looking Back, Yet Looking Forward: Immigrant Stories!" Learn from, and be inspired by, people formerly of Liberia, Nicaragua, Somalia, former Yugoslavia, Ethiopia, and Bhutan as they discuss: 1) the main causes of migration from their home countries & neighboring countries, 2) how things are now there, and 3) answers to, "what do you wish we Americans would have known when you came?" Date & time: Saturday, November 2, 8:30am--12pm, Place: Sioux Falls Ministry Center, 225 E 11th St, Sioux Falls. No RSVP needed for this FREE event. Come also to enjoy a variety of light ethnic treats!

Loving Tree: During this holiday season, Sioux Center Health invites you and your family to honor your loved one by participating in the Loving Tree Project. Through your generous donation, you will receive a personalized ornament in memory of those you cherish. These ornaments will decorate the Loving Tree in the Town Center at Sioux Center Health throughout the holiday season. For more information or to order an ornament, visit siouxcenterhealth.org. Orders are due Friday, November 15.

Justice For All invites you to attend the Fall Banquet & Annual Society Meeting on Thursday evening, Nov 14 at 6:00PM at Faith Reformed Church of Rock Valley, IA. Our special guest this year will be Garry Matthewson, Founder and Director of Harvest Hands Ministries. He will be sharing about the beautiful Kingdom work HHM is doing with Resplandor da Vida Children's Home of Juarez, MX. JFA has been privileged to serve there for many years. There will also be a business meeting. Reservations for the meal are necessary and can be made by calling 712-476-2804 or emailing joevz@jfa-nwiowa.org by November 7. Please join us as we celebrate JFA ministry over the past year and look forward to what God is calling JFA to in the next year! An offering will be taken for JFA ministry.

Katelyn's Fund Auction will be held Friday, November 1, at New Life Reformed Church in Sioux Center. Doors open at 5:30pm with a freewill donation meal served from 5:30-6:30p and the auction beginning at 6:30pm. Childcare is provided. Money raised at the auction is used to fund grants to help bring children into loving, Christian homes and to assist with Katelyn's Funds partnering orphanage in Haiti. Katelyn's Fund is still accepting monetary and merchandise donations for the auction. To make a donation or for questions, contact Wade or Alissa Kroeze, auction chairs, at 733-3140.

SANBORN CRC is hosting a movie/special speaker night on Wednesday, November 6, starting at 6:45pm. The movie is entitled "Unplanned." This film is a true story based on one woman's transformation from being the youngest Planned Parenthood clinic director to joining her former enemies and becoming one of the most ardent pro-life speakers in America. After the movie, root beer floats will be served and then Sue Thayer will tell her story of her 18 years with Planned Parenthood, having a complete life change and now becoming a founder of Cornerstone for Life Pregnancy Center. A special invitation is extended to all area youth groups. *Please note the film is rated "R" and is very graphic containing mature content including disturbing bloody images, descriptions and language. (The film's depiction of an abortion of an unborn fetus cannot be unseen.)

Tri-State Teens Encounter Christ (TEC) is accepting applications for the upcoming weekend at Trinity Christian Reformed in Rock Valley, Iowa. TEC is an interdenominational three-day Christian retreat designed to help high schoolers learn more about their faith and their community. The next TEC is November 22-24, 2019. If you would like to learn more about TEC or register, please visit www.TriStateTEC.org/sign-up or email TriStateTEC@gmail.com. The cost is \$50 and includes a t-shirt & other gifts. Scholarships are available upon request.

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Iowa Jazz Faculty Quintet from the University of Iowa will bring four of its members to Dordt University on Friday, November 8, for a 7:30 p.m. concert in the B.J. Haan Auditorium. The group will include Damani Phillips (saxophone), Blake Shaw (bass), James Dreier (drums), and Steve Grismore (guitar). The concert is free and open to the public.

For more info about the performers, visit <https://music.uiowa.edu/people/faculty/areas>.

Save the Date: The Board of Directors at Western Christian invite you to reserve Friday, November 22 for the **Western Christian Fall Bonanza**. Highlights of the Fall Bonanza include an online auction (which will run from October 28 to November 18), a live auction, and the always popular Kids' Carnival. A Chuckwagon supper is new for this year's meal. Check the flyer in your church mailbox or click on www.westernchristianhs.com for more information.

Hope Family Visitation Schedule Fall 2019

Please remember to keep the ministry of family visitation in your prayers as our elders encourage our members to walk with the Lord. The elders encourage you to FOLLOW this schedule by making every effort to keep your appointments. If you cannot meet this schedule, PLEASE arrange to switch with another member and be sure to INFORM both the elders who are scheduled to meet with you. If you are confined to your home or for some other reason that it is not possible to come to church for the visit, please let the scheduled elders know and other arrangements will be made for the visit.

Tuesday, Oct 22
Elder Boon /Pastor Todd
7:00 M & M Boer
7:30 M & V Covey
8:15 C & R Hoekema
8:45 J & D Verhoef

Thursday, Oct 24
Elders Van Voorst/Vander Stoep
7:00 C & K Van Der Zwaag
7:30 D & M Eekhoff
8:15 Geri Gritters
8:45 Bill Heynen

Tuesday, Oct 29
Elder Broek/Pastor Todd
7:00 M & V Steiger
7:30 C & T Verhoef
8:15 R & J Horstman
8:45 T & V Lammers

Thursday, Oct 31
Elders Boon/Vander Stoep
7:00 R & K LeLoux
7:30 A & V Vink
8:15 H & P Oostenink
8:45 K & L Keizer

Tuesday, Oct 22
Elders Vander Stoep/Steiger
P & L Vis
G & S Westra
A & B Altena
D & E Boer

Thursday, Oct 24
Elders Steiger/Fenchel
G & M Hulstein
D & J Bosma
D & D Van Beek
M & M Van Otterloo

Tuesday, Oct 29
Elders Fenchel/Van Voorst
M & B Roetman
C & M Raman
K & T Zevenbergen
D & A Van Maanen

Thursday, Oct 31
Elders Stiemsma/Broek
M & S Nielsen
J & L Hulstein
R & K Ten Pas
J & S Eekhoff

HOPE CRC FAMILY PRAISE AND PRAYER CONCERNS

- ❖ Lyla Boer remains in Sioux Center Hospital. We pray for her healing and recovery. We keep Don and family in our prayers as they support her.
- ❖ We pray for those dealing with illness, recovering from injuries, and for those who may be struggling emotionally. May God provide healing and wholeness.
- ❖ We remember Marv Boon at the Prairie Ridge Care Center in Orange City. We pray for Eileen as well as she supports him. We keep Gerrit Van Der Zwaag, father of Cal Van Der Zwaag, in our prayers as he resides at Lyon Manor in Rock Rapids. We also remember those at home who aren't able to join us from week to week. We also pray for their families as they support them.

FIRST CRC FAMILY PRAISE AND PRAYER CONCERNS

- ❖ Harry Meendering is now in patient rehab in the Prairie Center at Avera McKennan. He continues to receive therapy addressing weaknesses on his left side. Give thanks for progress made. Pray for a complete recovery.
- ❖ Give thanks that Jarvis De Wild is gradually improving. Pray for continued healing.
- ❖ Sharon Soodsma continues to experience back pain. Physical therapy and the implanted electrodes are not being as effective as they had hoped. Pray that she would experience relief from the pain.
- ❖ Lou Krommendyk continues with rehab therapy. Give thanks for progress made. Pray for God's continued healing mercies.
- ❖ Remember Sandy Starkenburg in your prayers. She has been having some challenges with swallowing. Pray for wisdom for the doctors and better health for Sandy.
- ❖ Jacoba Rens was admitted to Sioux Center Hospital on Saturday, October 19, with an infection and a fractured pelvis. She returned home on Monday. Pray for relief from the pain and for healing.
- ❖ Lois Salazar was diagnosed with aggressive stage IV cancer. She will be seeing a specialist this week. Pray for wisdom for the doctors, healing for Lois and strength and peace for Ted and Lois and their family.
- ❖ Pray for Rog and Linda Tiedeman's son in law, Terry Sump (Shelly's husband). Terry is in Mercy 1 in Des Moines. Give thanks that the infection in his heart has cleared up. The next step is a heart valve replacement. Pray for wisdom for the doctors, healing for Terry and for strength and peace for the entire family.
- ❖ Pray for our shut ins: PA: Verne Huisman, Chuck & Darlene Kroese, Sally De Groot; Aspen Heights: Joyce De Vries, Harry Klay, Goldie Veldman; Sheldon Care Center: Julianne Kats; Rick Rozeboom's home: Esther Rozeboom; Sioux City: Ardelle Westra.