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## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

July 31-Aug 6

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **IMPORTANT: EAST PARKING LOT ENTRANCE CLOSED FOR 1 WEEK!**

Due to concrete repair, the East parking lot entrance will be blocked off 1 week, including this Sunday. **Please use the West entrance or the stoplight entrance past Mc Donalds** to access the parking lot. Thank You for your flexibility!!

### **Pulpit Supply August**

August 4 & 11: Bernie Haan

Pastor Haan will be preaching a 2 part series on the book of Philemon on the 4th & 11th.

August 18: Aaron Baart

August 25: Pastor Zwart

## CHURCH FAMILY

### **Gary & Claire Van Voorst 50th Anniversary Celebration**

Gary & Claire will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with an Open House this Saturday, August 3rd, at Bethany Meadows Community Room from 2-5pm. There will be a short program at 2:30pm featuring the grandkids. Come celebrate!

### **Card Shower- Jeanette Tschetter**

Jeanette Tschetter will be celebrating her 92nd birthday on Friday, August 2. Jeanette moved here from Doland, SD to be close to family. Care Group 2 would like to invite you to shower Jeanette with birthday cards! Cards can be put in her daughter Cindy Ver Berg's mailbox at church or sent to: Jeanette Tschetter 1409 West Dow Rummel Street #115, Sioux Falls, SD 57104. Enjoy celebrating your birthday Jeanette!

**Caring Bridge-Darlene Walhof (CG 3)** <https://www.caringbridge.org/visit/darwalhof>

**Caring Bridge-Rylan Van Zee (CG 6)** [www.caringbridge.org/visit/rylanvanzee](http://www.caringbridge.org/visit/rylanvanzee)

## **Meal Train- Mikayla Roozing (CG 3)** <https://www.mealtrain.com/trains/god3wl>

Meals can be dropped off at church on the back counter across from the dishwasher, please place fridge/freezer meals in the fridge or freezer clearly labeled. Restaurant gift cards are also a great option and convenient for her as they have many appointments each week. Gift cards can be delivered to the church office. Please deliver meals the week of the date you signed up and we will make sure Mikayla receives the food.

## FIRST KIDS

Jill Smith

### **We Need YOU! Sunday School Starts Sept 8!**

The ministry season is upon us! We are looking for **Sunday School teachers, GEMS or Cadet Counselors** to teach and mentor our kids on Sunday mornings or Wednesday nights! If you are someone who has a heart for kids, and a love for building relationships, contact Jill Smith [jill@firstchristianreformed.org](mailto:jill@firstchristianreformed.org) for more information!

*Do good and share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased. Hebrews 13:16*

## HOSPITALITY

Denae Matherly

### **Block Party BBQ Bash-August 28**

It's almost time for the annual Ministry Season Kick Off. This year we are doing some new and exciting things, and we can't wait to share them with you and the community.

#### **Sneak Peak:**

**Festival of Meats & Cookoff.** If you have interest in showcasing your meat cooking skills, marinate on this: Bring your best for a chance to win a fun prize for a job well done and a shot at the title of Biblical BBQ Master (crown included). Don't be a chicken, sign up below. If you feel the steaks are too high and don't want to compete, we still need donations of meat to feed the herd! <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B4AA5A92EA2F9C43-50502939-festival>

**-First Time Ever Petting Zoo.** Come for a chance to pet and snuggle some of the cutest baby animals around.

**-Tattoo Station.** Come and Pick Out some of the finest temporary tattoos on this side of the Missouri River

**-Build Your Own Smores.** S'mores stations for a build your own dessert.

## DEACON'S MINISTRY

### **August 4 Feeding South Dakota**

Feeding South Dakota is a hunger relief organization fighting daily to eliminate hunger in the Mount Rushmore State. Every month, Feeding South Dakota assists in providing temporary food assistance to approximately 10,000 families in our state. Their Backpack Program also provides food every week to over 3,000 kids who otherwise might go hungry.

## Coming Up: August 11 -General Fund

### Offering Totals from Last Week

General Fund: \$ 23,629  
Ministry Shares: \$ 1,590  
Faith Promise: \$ 935  
Building Fund: \$ 2,899  
Tuition Assistance: \$ 2,910  
Needs Of The Family: \$ 5,300  
Rock Valley Flood Assistance: \$ 2,923  
Bible League: \$ 1,179

**Weekly Total: \$ 41,365**

## CALENDAR

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 31

- **Prayer Meeting**  
7-8pm

### THURSDAY, AUGUST 1

- **Senior Circuit**  
10:30-11:30am

### FRIDAY, AUGUST 2

- **Church Office Closed**

### SATURDAY, AUGUST 3

- **No Events**

### SUNDAY, AUGUST 4

- **Worship**  
8:30 & 10:30am

### MONDAY, AUGUST 5

- **Senior Circuit**  
10:30am- 11:30am
- **Banner Committee**
- 7-8:30pm

### TUESDAY, AUGUST 6

- **Senior Circuit**  
10:30am

Sunday Worship Folder

Watch Sermons

Submit Prayer Request

Email Church Office

Registrations

Room Reservation Request