

## Church Activities

### SUNDAY STUDY

Children's Sunday School, 10:45 a.m.

Ages 3-2nd grade, September-April

**Catechism, 10:45 a.m.**

Grades 3-12, September-April

Adult Sunday School, 10:45 a.m.

September-April

### TUESDAY STUDY

Seek & Serve

Alternate Tuesdays at 1:30 p.m.

September-April

### WEDNESDAY STUDY

Cadets

For Boys grades 4-8, September-April

Alternate Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

GEMS

For Girls grades 3-8, September-April

Alternate Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY STUDY, con't

Adult Study Group

September-May

Alternate Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

Young People's Society (CRYPs)

High School Students

September-April, Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

### FRIDAY STUDY

Covenant Women

September-April

Alternate Fridays at 9:45 a.m.



# Covenant Reformed Church

## Announcement Bulletin

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### THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

#### MONDAY

7:30 pm: Council Meeting

#### WEDNESDAY

6:30 pm: Church Picnic at Caldwell Park

#### THURSDAY

9:00 am: Bulletin Announcement Deadline

### NEXT SUNDAY, AUGUST 7, 2011

Our services will be led by Rev. Spencer Aalsburg from the Sioux Falls United Reformed Church

9:30 am: Morning Worship Service.

6:30 pm: Evening Worship Service.

Offerings

(am) MARS (Mid-America Reformed Seminary)

(pm) C.E.A.F. (Christian Education Assistance Fund)

Infant Nursery

(am) Nikki Hol, Darlene Van Hal

(pm) LuAnn Blom, Danece De Zwarte

Toddler Nursery

(am) Linda De Jong, Cheryl Fynaardt, Chloe Reimer

(pm) Jana Vink, Kolten Chapman

Floater: (am) Raquel De Graaf (pm) Shannon Fynaardt

Enfolding

Lawrence & Irene Blom

Greeters

Steve & Sara Runner Family

Impromptu Hospitality Hosts

John Martin & Celia De Vries

Librarians

(am) Mary Van Steenis, Erma Stursma, Carolyn Vander Wilt

(pm) Mary Vander Wilt, Marie Schiebout, Kathy Van Mersbergen

## The Council of the Church for 2011

### Officers of the Council:

President: Clarence Hettinga

Vice President: Rich Roose

Clerk: Dennis Van Gorp

Vicar: Greg Horstman

### Officers of the Deacons:

President: Kent Breems

Vice President: Chad Vink

General Treasurer: Jaron Vos

Asst. Treas.: Mark De Vries

Secretary: Joel Braafhart

### Elders and Parishes:

Parish 1 - Doug Van Gorp ('13)

Parish 2 - David Te Grotenhuis ('13)

Parish 3 - Jerry Rowe ('11)

Parish 4 - Bill Hartman ('12)

Parish 5 - Clarence Hettinga ('11)

Parish 6 - Rich Roose ('12)

Parish 7 - Bill Verhoef, Jr. ('12)

Parish 8 - John Rus ('13)

Parish 9 - Arnold Van Donselaar ('12)

Parish 10 - John Vande Haar ('11)

Parish 11 - Dennis Van Gorp ('12)

Parish 12 - Kenneth Veenstra ('11)

Parish 13 - Greg Horstman ('13)

Parish 14 - Dennis Roozeboom ('13)

Parish 15 - Norm Van Mersbergen ('11)

Parish 16 - Art Zylstra ('12)

### Deacons:

Joel Braafhart ('11) Parish 3

Kent Breems ('12) Parish 12

Mark De Vries ('11) Parish 14

Calvin Fopma ('12) Parishes 1 & 4

Curt Hooyer ('12) Parishes 10 & 15

Calvin Meinders ('13) Parishes 5 & 8

Devin Reimer ('11) Parishes 2 & 16

Drew Van Wyk ('12) Parishes 6 & 7

Chad Vink ('13) Parishes 9 & 13

Jaron Vos ('13) Parish 11

### ADVANCE NOTICE

Tuesday, August 9: Building and Grounds Meeting 7:00 pm

Thursday, August 11: Bulletin Deadline at 9:00 am

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

Come and enjoy the food and fun at the church picnic at Caldwell Park on August 3 at 6:30 pm. Freewill donation.

The Fellowship Committee is asking for volunteer cooks to make potato salad for the church picnic. For details and recipe, call Nancy Robinson at 628-8218 by July 29.

A reminder from the Adult Education Committee: Please place on your calendar and save the dates of **October 14-15** for the 2011 Fall Conference featuring Dr. W. Robert Godfrey speaking on the topic: 'Living Christianly in a Post-Christian World'. Thank you.

The Seek & Serve Society is making plans for our new season. We have three work groups which rotate serving funerals, anniversaries and weddings. We have members who are no longer physically able to work at these occasions. We need your help. We would be happy to add your name to our "willing to work" list if it is not already there. Your name will be placed with one of the groups. This entails assisting, as needed, with activities the group is assigned to serve. It is a great way to fellowship and get to know fellow church members! Please call Ruth Gorter at 627-5634 to have your name added or if you have questions. Please call by August 7.

Olan Mills will be taking pictures for the new church pictorial directory the following times:

Monday thru Friday, August 22 - 26, from 2:00 pm to 9:30 pm

Saturday, August 27, from 9:30 am to 5:00 pm.

Please sign up in the narthex or by going to the church website and clicking the sign-up link. You will need to enter the church's phone number, your information, and then select a photo time to sign up online. Please fill out the Bio directory sheet found in the narthex and return at the time of your photography session. If you have questions, please contact the church office.

### REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pathways of Pella 5K Run/Walk for LIFE, August 24, 2011, 6:30 PM

North Overlook Shelter

\$20 before August 1 (includes t-shirt)

\$25 after August 1 (no guarantee of shirt)

Kids 12 & under walk/run free (no shirt)

Raise \$500 in pledges & you/family can walk/run FREE (limit 2 t-shirts/family)

**Eligible for grand prizes—**

*Kindle, Ipod Shuffle, night stay at Honey Creek Resort*

Raise \$150 in pledges & you /family can walk/run FREE (limit 2 t-shirts/family)

**Eligible for other great prizes**

For information, registration forms and

pledge sheets

Go to: [www.pathwayspella.org](http://www.pathwayspella.org) or

call 641-628-4827

**Volunteer training to be held on Monday evenings**

**from 6:30 p.m.-9:00 p.m.**

**September 12—October 10**

Volunteers needed:

Board members, Receptionists, Counselors

Register by:

Email : [Marilyn@pathwayspella.org](mailto:Marilyn@pathwayspella.org) or call 641-628-4827

Registration deadline August 15

**CRWRC Event:** Join us for an evening of food and fellowship with "Tractor Dave" who is driving a 1937 Co-op tractor across all 48 states starting June 1 to raise money towards ending hunger and helping disaster survivors through CRWRC. Tractor Dave will be coming to Pella on Wednesday, August 10. We would like to have some tractors join him west of Pella and follow him to the Vermeer Global Pavilion. If interested in following tractor Dave, call Bob Vos at 641-594-4323 or Dave Verschuure at 641-626-3133. The supper will be held at the Vermeer Global Pavilion at 6:30 pm. A free-will offering will be received for the meal with the proceeds going for CRWRC.