

Morning Worship

9:30 a.m.

Scripture Reading

Revelation Series: Comfort for the Ages
Revelations 2:12-17

Today's Message

Staying Sharp

Communion Sunday

Offering

General Fund
& Love Fund

Lead Worshipper

Unity Men

The Weekly Calendar

Sunday (Today)

9:30a.m.: Worship Celebration

Children ages 3-preK will be invited by announcement to go to Children's Church
Sunday School worship in the sanctuary

Monday

6:00p.m.: SRYM 7th -12th Open Rock
(The Van will leave Unity at 5:35pm)

7:00p.m.: Friendship Bible Study at ROL CRC

Tuesday

9:15a.m.: Ladies Bible Study - Judges

6:30p.m.: Bible Study group meeting

Wednesday

6:30p.m.: GEMS Counselor's Bible Study

6:30p.m.: Ladies Bible Study—Battle Plan

7:00p.m.: Jr. & Sr. High Youth Group at the Rock—Van will leave Unity at 6:30pm

Friday

6:30a.m.: Men's Bible Study

Saturday

Feed the Farmers

UNITY FAMILY

Missions Update: Sarah Ingles

We welcome back to the area Sarah Ingles today! We look forward to hearing from her the great things God is doing in her life as she ministers overseas!

Friends and family gathered yesterday to remember **Alice Pluimer, Den Pluimer's mother**. She passed away at the age of 95. Services were held in Pease. Praying God's richest graces for the family.

This past Friday family gathered to remember **Ann (Ledeboer) Thrall, sister to Elva Post and Lois Cook**, Ann passed away last month and a memorial service was held Friday in Brooklyn Park. Grace and peace to you.

Randy Slagter continues to battle against the disease attacking his new kidney. They continue to doctor in Rochester at this time. God's healing power come in Jesus' name!

Little Amos Ahrenholz is growing! He's adding weight and they are noting good development in lungs and other activity. Rejoicing with Tim, Sarah, and their family in this journey!

I-CARE Breakfasts start NEXT SUNDAY! Come for breakfast - all ages - starting at 8:45am - and enjoy each other's company by sharing time and life with each other! Grow, learn, invest!



Feed the Farmers event is coming up THIS SATURDAY! We are super excited to be Blessing 50 Farmers!!! With this event we are asking for volunteers in different areas; food prep, meal delivery and monetary donations. Signup sheets will be available in the Fellowship Hall. We need kitchen help prepping food starting at 11:00am. Volunteers to deliver these meals to our farmers out in the fields. Donations are appreciated to help cover the cost of these meals. Money donations may be put into Steven Diederich's mailbox here at church or bring to the office. Contact Steven or the office with any questions.

UNITY FAMILY



Thanks to Emden CRC for hosting, Pastor David for leading the Disability Awareness Service. We were blessed by Paul and Pam's music, thank you for using your talents so willingly. We hope all were blessed with Pastor Dan DeVries's message, that through our weakness we can be "Oaks of Righteousness", that God would be glorified. Is. 61:3.
Thank you for the offering of \$1,069.50 and your continued support for Friendship Bible Ministries. Also thanks to all from ROL who helped out in many ways.
In His Service, The Friendship Board

So good to see and reconnect with many of you again last week. Thank you Unity for continuing to pour your hearts, hands, gifts, support, (and desserts!) into my life, the Shack, the Club, and the Lac Courte Oreilles communities. It is and you are very much appreciated! Miigwech! Bob Dykstra

Anyone who is interested in singing with the **Mass Choir for the Reformation Day Service** held on Sunday, Oct. 28th at 6:00pm please contact the church office. There will be 2 rehearsals offered to members: Wednesday, October 24th at 7:00 and Sunday, prior to the service - 5:00 PM - both at Bethany Reformed Church.

A Reformation Celebration will again be held at **First CRC of Prinsburg the evening of Wed., Oct. 31**. Join us for a free barbecue supper from 5:30-7:00p.m. in the church basement. At 6:00 p.m., you are invited to sing hymns of the Reformation and hear **Pastor Chris Alle** speak on the *Five Solas of the Reformation* in the sanctuary. Throughout the evening, there will also be indoor and outdoor activities, snacks and games for kids of all ages as well as an opportunity to throw a "pie-in-your-Pastor's-face"! Join us for an evening of fun, food and fellowship!

UNITY MINISTRIES

Today

Greeters

Lee & Sandy Duininck

Servers

Steve & Ang Zwart

Tim & Sara Ahrenholz

Ushers

Daryl Marcus

Skyler Watson

Valet Parking

Darrell Frikke

Sound/Computer

Kurt VanderBeek

Dave Brouwer

Lobby Monitor

Bryan DeGroot

Nursery

Infant

Paulaine Jean Louis

Toddler

Megan Taatjes

Elle Plowman

Lauren Taatjes

Floater

Brenda Van Der Puy

Children's Church

3-PreK

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Library

Pam Harrington

Next Sunday , October 21

Greeters

Todd & Brenda Marcus

Servers

Dave & Betty Ammermann

Steve & Jill Blom

Ushers

Pete Van Der Puy

Noah Vander Pol

Valet Parking

Jeremiah Slagter

Sound/Computer

Isaac Swierenga

Jay TeBrake

Lobby Monitor

Darrell Frikke

Nursery

Infant

Kaitlyn Vogel

Toddler

Stephen Vogel

Neika Leininger

Kaylee Hentges

Floater

Brenda Van Der Puy

Children's Church

3-PreK

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Library

Brenda Marcus

Unity Community Family

Uffda Day at the Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Atwater on Saturday, Nov. 3 from 9am to noon. See poster for more details.

Youth for Christ Fall Banquet, Sunday, Oct. 14th, 5:30pm at Willmar Conference Center—see poster

Ladies Leaving Legacies - Women's Brunch at Willmar Community Christian School, Saturday, November 3rd from 9:00am-12:00pm. Tickets \$12 each. See bulletin board for more information.

COTP was a part-time position open for a Communications Coordinator in the Willmar office. The responsibilities will be to maintain COTP's core brand and message through producing digital and print material that engages current and potential supporters. Resumes accepted until Oct. 31st. New role starts Dec. 1st. See more info at childrenofthepromise.org under "open positions".

* Please see Office windows for more information, along with additional events for your interest!

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October 14, 2018



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Signup in the Fellowship Hall:

FEED THE FARMERS: Please signup to help deliver meals, prep food and/or money to offset cost of the meals.

FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN: Need Volunteers

CADETS: Calendar updates

Children's Church: Need Teachers and Helpers



For ages 5+ there will be a folder container located by the entrance doors that will have an activity sheets for them to complete.

Have your child look for the folder

with their name on it. (If there is not one with their name on it please take an extra one and have them put their name on it.)

Each week they will be getting 1 or 2 sheets to complete. There are pencils for them to borrow during the service but they must be returned along with the folder back in that container after the worship service.

I have 8 activity books that we will be completing throughout for the year. We will be doing some prizes during this time as rewards for completing these booklets. So it is important for them to return the sheets to their folders.

The younger children will not be forgotten....they will continue to receive The Children's Bulletin but more fitting for their ages. These will also be available for them to pickup along with 1 or 2 crayons but the crayons MUST be returned to the container.

Unity Monthly Budget—Giving Update

2018-2019 Budget Giving Update	Budgeted	Actual Giving	+/- Need
Oct. 7	\$6,195.69	\$7,443.00	\$1,247.31
Oct. 14	\$6,195.69		
Oct. 21	\$6,195.69		
Oct. 28	\$6,195.69		
October Monthly	\$6,195.69	\$7,443.00	\$1,247.31
YTD Total (as of 10/7/18)	\$92,935.35	\$89,916.23	-\$3,019.12



The CMCS high school band and choir are excited to bring you the first concert of the school year on Thursday, October 18th at 7:00 PM! The Fall Concert

will feature Concert Band and Concert Choir. This free concert will be held in the Event Center. Vocal music selections include a Romantic-era German song and Haitian song honoring the 2018 graduating class of the Haiti Literacy Program. Band selections include a variety of pieces including exciting fanfares, peaceful hymn arrangements, and catchy marches. In addition to the normal offering taken to fund the music department, the audience will have the opportunity to bless the Haiti Literacy Program by matching the funds raised by members of the Concert Choir. Funds raised for HLP will go toward their annual budget. Save the date and see you there!



Prinsburg GEMS is hoping to pack over 70 shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child and we would like the congregation to help us! We are hoping to raise \$500 to

help cover the shipping costs and some of the supplies for the boxes. Would you please consider helping us reach our goal? Talk to Megan Taatjes or Gerri Ledebouer if you have questions or want more information!

The Digital Culture of Kids Today. Have you ever complained that it's really hard to be a parent/grandparent/teacher in the digital age? Guess what? It's even harder being a kid. **The GEMS Leadership Team invites the public to Unity CRC on Wednesday, October 24, from 6:30 - 8 PM.** Together we will watch a message by Chris McKenna, Founder and CEO of Protect Young Eyes. Raise your digital IQ and help defend children from online dangers. (McKenna was a keynote speaker at the 2018 GEMS Leadership Conference.)

UPCOMING EVENTS

October 18

CMCS high school band and choir concert at 7:00pm

Sept. 1—Oct. 31

1SEED corn maze and pumpkins—all profits go towards COTP. Facebook@1SEEDMN

October 14-20

Family Promise at Unity

October 20

Feed The Farmers

October 21

I-Care Intergenerational Breakfast 8:45am

October 24

GEMS - The Digital Culture of Kids Today @Unity from 6:30-8:00pm

October 27

Feed My Starving Children -10:30am-12:30pm

October 28

Reformation Service at Bethany Reformed

October 31

Reformation Celebration at 1st CRC 5:30-7:00pm

November 10

Brown Family Dad's Belgian Waffle Fundraiser

December 2

20 year Celebration with the Zwart's