

March 24, 2019

Welcome to worship at Bethel! This is the day that the Lord has made! Let us rejoice and be glad in it! Please join us after the morning service for refreshments served in the fellowship hall.

**Morning Worship Service – 9:30 a.m.**

Led by: Pastor Brian Kornelis

- Prelude**
- Welcome and announcements**
- Call to worship**
- \* **God’s greeting**
- \* **We greet each other**
- \* **Opening songs:** *Glorious Day*  
*Our God Reigns*
- Confession and assurance of pardon:** from Matthew 25
- Song of response:** *Well Done* – sung by Gary & Coleen Punt  
(Children’s sermon for grades 2-4 in the society room)
- Prayer of God’s people**
- Offering** – for Denominational Ministry Shares  
(Children’s church (ages 3-5) and worship (grades K-1) dismissed)
- Song of preparation:** *Speak, O Lord*
- Scripture:** Revelation 11:15-19
- Message:** THE KINGDOM COMPLETE. THE CHURCH AT REST
- \* **Song of response:** *Rejoice, the Lord is King* – PsH 408 (1,3,4)
- \* **Parting words**
- \* **Parting song:** *Hallelujah Chorus* – walk up choir

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**Evening Worship Service – 6:30 p.m.**

Led by: Pastor Brian Kornelis

- Prelude**
- Welcome**
- \* **God’s greeting to his people**
- \* **Opening songs:** *Jesus Shall Reign* – PsH 412 (1-4)  
*Christ Shall Have Dominion* – PsH 541 (1-4)
- Scripture reading: from Revelation 19 and Ephesians 5**
- Song of response:** *Praised Be the Father* – PsH 582 (1-2)
- Prayer**
- \* **Song of preparation:** *I Praise the King with All My Verses*
- Scripture:** Psalm 45
- Message:** OUR TRUE KING AND GROOM
- \* **Song of response:** *For the Honor of Our King*
- \* **God’s blessing to his people**
- \* **Closing song:** *Jesus Shall Reign* – PsH 412 (5)

(Your evening offering for Denominational Ministry Shares can be put in the collection bags at the sanctuary doors as you exit.)

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**Offering Schedule:**

- March 31: Christian Education Tuition Assistance Fund
- April 7: First Fruits
- April 14: Cornerstone Prison Church
- April 21: Hope for Life Community Church (Watertown)
- April 28: ATLAS

**5 Day Bible Reading Program for Week 13:**

- ♦ Deuteronomy 27-31; *Luke 12*
- ♦ Deuteronomy 32-34; Psalm 13; *Luke 13*
- ♦ Joshua 1-4; Psalm 143; *Luke 14*
- ♦ Joshua 5-8; Psalm 14; *Luke 15*
- ♦ Joshua 9-13; *Luke 16*

**Church Family:**

- We praise God with **Ryan & Brianna Bridgewater** in the birth of a healthy baby boy. **Jamison Ryan** was born on March 15.
- At his request the membership of **Austin Spronk** has been transferred to Luverne CRC. May God bless him in his new church home.
- Please remember our care center residents in prayer and with a visit if you are able. **Sandy Beckering, Nellie Brink, Rena Ford, Rena Masselink, Fannie Post, Clara Schaap, and Florence Vanden Bosch** are residents in the Edgebrook Care Center. **Regina Schmidt and Edith Walhof** live in Edgebrook’s Assisted Living. **Chuck Top** lives in the Edgebrook Apartments. **Laurie Vanden Bosch** lives in Golden Horizons Assisted Living in Worthington.

**This Week’s Activities:**

- MONDAY:**  
9:15 am **Gleaners** – lesson 6..... Society Room
- WEDNESDAY:**  
9:30 am **Coffee Break/Story Hour** .....First CRC  
6:30-8:15pm **GEMS** .....First CRC  
6:30-8:30pm **Cadets** .....Bethel  
7:00 pm **Moms In Prayer**..... Bethel Prayer Room  
7:00 pm **11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> Grade Class** .....Parsonage
- THURSDAY:**  
7:00 pm **Men’s Bible Study**..... Society Room  
7:00 pm **Friendship Class** .....First CRC
- SATURDAY:**  
6:00 pm **Psalm 119 Bible Study**.....Jess & Darci Van Dyke’s home
- NEXT SUNDAY:**  
6:30 am **Prayer time**.....Prayer Room  
8:30 am **Prayer time**.....Prayer Room  
9:30 am **Morning Worship Service**.....Bethel  
10:45 am **Sunday School Classes for grades 1-10**..... Classrooms  
11:45 am **Spring Potluck Lunch** ..... Fellowship Hall  
6:30 pm **Combined Evening Worship Service** ..... Ebenezer CRC

**Announcements:**

**CHURCH**

**Attention all singers!** We will be singing at the SWCH Easter Music Festival on April 14. Practice will begin after the morning services on Sunday, March 24. We would love to have you join us!

**Youth Group Summer Serve Trips:** We have 4 youth going to Platte South Dakota (July 13-20) through Youth Unlimited. We are looking for a 1 male and 1 female chaperone to go along to be a leader at the Serve site. Please prayerfully considering joining our group on this opportunity and contact Brianna Bridgewater, 507-215-2101, if you are interested by March 20 so we can get the registration filled out!

The ~~Winter~~ **Spring Potluck** will be next Sunday, March 31 (barring another snow storm). Please bring a dish or two to share and join us for a time of food and fellowship. Plates, cups, utensils and beverages will be provided. We’ll start about 11:45 AM.

**Next Sunday evening, March 31, we are invited to a combined evening service hosted by Ebenezer CRC in Leota.** The service will begin at 6:30 pm. Pastor Reuben Sinnema will lead the service. An offering will be collected for Back to God Ministries. A time of fellowship will be held in the basement after the service.

**Thanks to everyone** for your prayers and cards in the passing of my Mother.  
--Rob & Shirley Vanden Bosch

**Remember the Food Shelf:** If you are able, please consider picking up a few extra non-perishable food or personal care items when you are shopping and donating them to the Food Shelf. Donations can be put in the Food Shelf donation box in the east hallway anytime and are always appreciated!

**Giving Report:**

3/3 First Fruits	\$29,380.00
3/10 Haiti Mission Trip	\$ 2,351.00
3/17 Volunteers In Mercy	\$ 2,237.75
3/17 Gideons	\$ 866.50

**SCHOOLS**

Parents of prospective Kindergarteners and their child are invited to **Edgerton Christian Elementary School’s Kindergarten Round Up** on March 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm for an evening of exploration into all the great aspects of Kindergarten at ECES! Sibling care will be available. A scavenger hunt will take place along with an opportunity to visit the Kindergarten room! An informational meeting will also be held for the parents, led by Mr. Top, Principal. Join us for an opportunity to learn what ECES can offer you and your family as we explore and discover God’s world! Please call 442.6181 or email school at [eces@iw.net](mailto:eces@iw.net) for more information!

**SAVE THE DATE! Friday, April 5th is the ECES Donation Sale and Grilled Hamburger Supper and everyone is invited!** Sale time is 6:45pm with the supper serving time from 5:00-6:30pm. We appreciate your creativity and donated items in the past, and look forward to another fun evening! Once again, we would like to advertise the donated items on our website and in the ECES Newsletter, **so any items that can be donated early would be greatly appreciated.** Don’t know what to bring to the sale? Gift baskets, wood pallet or repurposed décor/furniture, hunting and fishing trips, hotel stays, vacation stays, and other creative ideas will make a fun evening of fundraising!

**Palm Sunday, April 14, 2:30 pm:** Please join us for our 24th annual Easter Music Festival at the First CRC of Edgerton. Southwest’s Choirs, area churches, and choral groups will present individual numbers during this afternoon of praise. Members of the audience will be invited to join the mass choir the Hallelujah Chorus. An offering will be taken for Southwest Christian High School (sponsored as a fundraiser by Circle #12).

**KINGDOM KIDS PRESCHOOL** at Edgerton Christian Elementary School is open for enrollment for the 2019-2020 school year and we couldn’t be more EXCITED! What a wonderful opportunity for your child to explore and discover God’s world! Registration forms can be picked up at the school office or downloaded at our website, [edgertonchristianschool.org](http://edgertonchristianschool.org). For more information, call the office at 507-442-6181 or email us at [eces@iw.net](mailto:eces@iw.net). If you’d like to tour the school and check out the Preschool area, we’d welcome you to do that as well. Come experience the difference at ECES!

**COMMUNITY & MISC.**

The **Red Cross Blood Drive** will be held at the First CRC in Edgerton on Monday, April 1, 2019 from 12:00-6:00pm. Please call Betty Huisken at 507-227-8416 to make an appointment. Anyone 16 years and older may be eligible to donate blood. Blood is a perishable product that can only come from generous volunteers. With all the snow days that we have had this winter, many drives have been canceled and left the Red Cross with a minimum of blood products.

Cornerstone Prison Church Council, Board and Congregation would like to invite you to the 13th Annual Benefit Banquet **Monday, April 8, 2019 at Trinity Christian Reformed Church, Rock Valley, IA, 6:30 p.m.** Doors will open at 6:00 p.m. **Save your spot by Sunday, March 31** by calling Trinity CRC at 712-

476-5292 or go to our website [www.cornerstonepcsd.org](http://www.cornerstonepcsd.org). Join us for an evening of praise to God for his work through Cornerstone Prison Church inside the walls of the South Dakota State Penitentiary! A free will offering will be taken as an opportunity to financially support Cornerstone's ministry. We look forward to seeing you! If you are unable to attend, you can send your donations to: Cornerstone Prison Church, c/o Dave Vande Kamp, PO Box 88708, Sioux Falls, SD 57109 Or Donate on line at [www.cornerstonepcsd.org](http://www.cornerstonepcsd.org)

The **Northwest Iowa Symphony Orchestra** in conjunction with a generous grant from Sioux Center Recreation and Arts Council will present a Guest Concert by Gaudete Brass on Saturday, April 13. The concert will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the BJ Haan Auditorium on the campus of Dordt College in Sioux Center, Iowa. Advance tickets are available at Evie's Hallmark in Sioux Center. Tickets are also available at the door the night of the concert. For more information, contact the NISO office at 712-722-6230 or [niso@dordt.edu](mailto:niso@dordt.edu). Pre-Season tickets for the 2019-2020 Northwest Iowa Symphony Orchestra will be offered that evening for a special discounted price.

**Lost Timber Bible Camp:** The summer is coming faster than you think. Mark your calendars and get registered today for one of our Extreme Science camps. Space is limited, so register early! Lost Timber offers week-long camp programs for campers going into third grade through college freshman. Brochures can be found in the resource racks.

**KIDS CORNER: THREE ON RESPONSIBILITY** - The show must go on as Liz and his friends put on three one-act plays – "It's Not My Fault", "It's Not My Job", and "It's Not My Talent". Listen now at [kidscorner.net](http://kidscorner.net) and subscribe to KC's weekly emails for future episodes. Download this month's Kids Corner Easter puzzle and game giveaway The Bible Challenge Activity Book 5.

**GROUNDWORK: GIDEON AND GOD'S UNCONVENTIONAL WAYS** - When God chooses Gideon as Israel's next deliverer, he upends human logic and expectation. Study Judges 6-7 with Groundwork to see why Gideon's story reminds us that God is in control and he can win mighty victories in unconventional ways. Listen now at [GroundworkOnline.com](http://GroundworkOnline.com) and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

**Family Faith Formation Tip** - Lent Family Faith Formation Tip - As another exercise in self-examination, read Galatians 5:22-23 as a family this week. Talk about which fruits of the Spirit are easier for each of you to practice, and which are harder. Then pray for each other, asking the Spirit to grow those fruits in your family. (Faith Formation Ministries; [cena.org/FaithFormation](http://cena.org/FaithFormation))

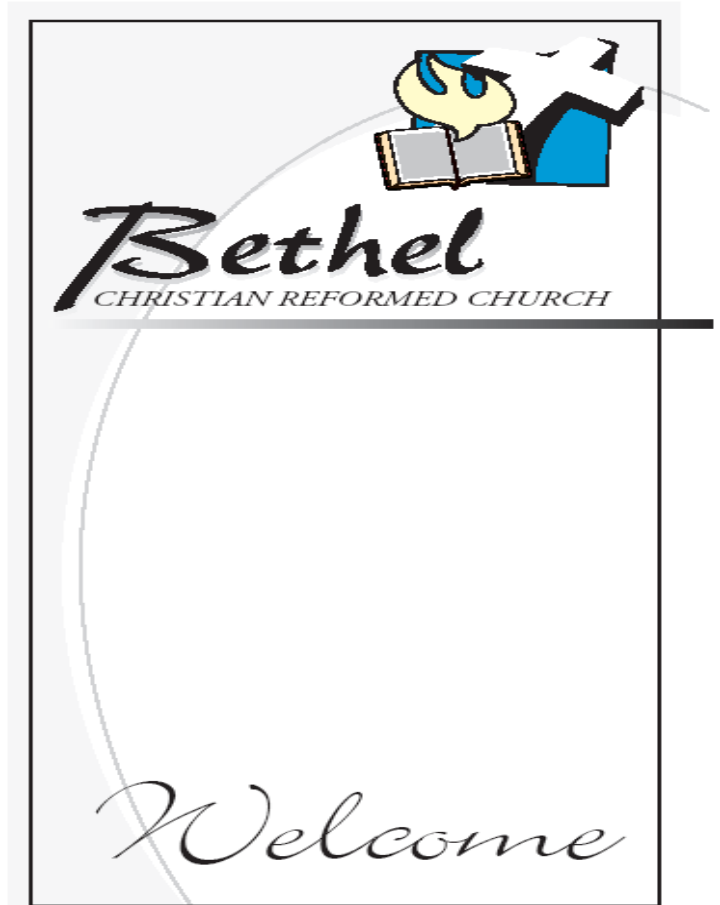
**Volunteer with a Group Overseas** - Are you a compassionate, respectful, adaptable person who would like to volunteer overseas with others who have common interests? With World Renew's Global Volunteer Program, you will get an authentic cultural experience and learn about the deep history and traditions that define daily life in a welcoming international community. To find out more, email Andrew at [globalvolunteer@worldrenew.net](mailto:globalvolunteer@worldrenew.net).

## Helpful Information

**NURSERY:** infants and toddlers on lower level  
**CHILDREN'S CHURCH & WORSHIP (AM):** ages 3-1<sup>st</sup> grade are dismissed to their classes downstairs after the offertory  
**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE (AM):** grades 2-4 in the society room during the pastoral prayer  
**HEARING AID DEVICES:** available at the media desk  
**REFRESHMENTS:** after the morning service  
**PRAYER ROOM:** you are invited to join the prayer team before the Sunday services  
**WEBSITE:** [www.betheledgerton.org](http://www.betheledgerton.org)  
**OFFICE HOURS:** Tuesday & Thursday 9:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.  
 Secretary ph: 442-3063 [bethelcrcedgerton@yahoo.com](mailto:bethelcrcedgerton@yahoo.com)  
 Announcements need to be in by Thursday, 10:00 a.m.  
**JANITOR:** Jack: 507-227-2621; DaVonn: 507-227-4218 [jacktink@iw.net](mailto:jacktink@iw.net)  
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**WEATHER RELATED SERVICE INFORMATION:** K101 (101.1FM), KLOH (1050AM), KNWC (96.5FM), KELOLAND TV

## Our Helpers

**PREACHING** Today: AM: Pastor Brian Kornelis PM: Pastor Brian Kornelis  
 Next Week: AM: Pastor Marlin Van Schepen  
**ACCOMPANIST** Today: AM: Rachel Prins PM: Linda Vanderaa  
 Next Week: AM: Lisa Vander Maten  
**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE** Today: Amber Vos Next week: Wendy Krosschell  
**CHILDREN'S CHURCH** Today: Becca Van Schepen Next week: Kendra Kuipers  
**CHILDREN'S WORSHIP** Today: Kendra Kuipers  
**NURSERY** Today: AM – Infant – Mary Berghorst, Lois Van Dyke, Sydney Van Essen  
 Toddler – Renae Van Stelten, Kimber Van Essen, Gordon Dyk, JT Remme, Selah Kuipers  
 PM – Greg & Karen Dyk  
 Next week: AM – Infant – Dionne Prins, Abby Galvin, Keira De Boer  
 Toddler – Gary Punt, Coleen Punt, Tabi Van Essen, Jacob Uilk, Madyson Fey  
**LIBRARY** Today: AM – Fran Bouma PM – Mayme Spronk  
 Next week: AM – Marlene Top  
**USHERS** This week: John Talsma, Jon Kroll, Jeremy Van Essen  
 Next week: Michael Prins, Arly Van't Hof, Greg/Gordon Dyk  
**GREETERS** Today: West- Tim & Lois Van Dyke East-Gary & Coleen Punt  
 Next week: West-Bob & Esther Masselink East-Ron & Kathy Vander Lugt  
**HOST/HOSTESS** Today: Don & Jolene Walhof  
 Next week: Roger & Lorna Post  
**SOUND SYSTEM** This week: Justin/Denny Next week: Huck/Huck  
**VIDEO CAMERA** This week: Cal Next week: Brent  
**MULTI-MEDIA** This week: Dan Next week: Connor  
**REFRESHMENTS** Today – Rachel Prins, Coleen Punt, Theresa Raak, Todd & Krista Jasper  
 Next Week – Heidi Remme, Heather Rieck, Chanda Rozeboom, Karen Walhof



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 Pastor Brian Kornelis  
**Assistant Pastor**  
 Pastor Marlin Van Schepen

**Missionaries**  
 Rev. Bill & Aletha Green - Costa Rica  
 Rev. Ben & Amy Meyer - Mexico  
 Cornerstone Prison Church - South Dakota  
 Rev. Carl & Jan Van Voorst – Watertown, SD  
 Children of the Promise – Haiti  
 Vasya & Maranda Heytsi - Ukraine

## Worship Guide and Weekly News

**Morning Worship** – 9:30 a.m. **Evening Worship** - 6:30 p.m.