

Today's Worship

The message this morning uses Psalm 91 as a setting to consider all the biblical stories that remind us of God's promises to provide and protect his people. He wants to give his people a place to live that they can call home, and he wants to live with them – forever! We will use story verses from "Another Hallelujah" as a way of responding to God's promises with wholehearted praise.

Also this morning, God calls us to serve as witnesses to the promises he gives to children of believers and their parents in the sacrament of baptism. Jessica VW will present her daughter, Emma, before the Lord as God sets Emma apart as a child of God.

The message this evening is based on Ezekiel 37, which gives us the vision of God breathing life into a valley of dry bones. When everything seems to be bone-dry, it is good for God's people to sing, "Breathe on me, breath of God."

Preaching: Al Kuiper
Offerings: General Fund

THANK YOU!

We want to thank everyone for all ways in which we have been welcomed in these few weeks we have been with you. We have enjoyed catching up with all the stories that belong to people we have loved over the years, and we have been blessed in getting to know the next generation of those among you.

We will keep in touch with you, and we will keep you in prayer as God himself leads and guides you in your desire to be faithful as a body of Christ.

Pastor Al & Jan

Praise & Prayer Requests for

- ♥ Pastor Al & Jan who will be traveling back to Iowa this week.
- ♥ Pastor Bryce and Jan who will be traveling to NC this week to begin interim ministry with us thru May.
- ♥ Holly VS who is recovering after cataract surgery.
- ♥ Heidi, Billy & Anita's daughter, who is "nervously excited" about her pregnancy (after losing a baby last April).
- ♥ Jan VS who is heading to Uganda again to assist with language training.
- ♥ Anna K rejoicing about her last treatment.
- ♥ Bonnie W (World Renew), who will begin a 9-month regime of chemo and radiation.
- ♥ Sherry L (former member) who is waiting for a kidney, after her transplant was canceled.
- ♥ Kelsey, Arie & Jan's granddaughter, who has just learned of problems with her pregnancy.
- ♥ Arie DH dealing with pain and physical therapy after knee surgery.
- ♥ Those grieving the loss of a loved one.
- ♥ Our ministries this week—Sunday School, Coffee Break, Story Hour, and Yokefellows.

Announcements

Welcome! The council has received Amber VS's membership transfer from Calvary CRC (Orange City IA) and is pleased to welcome Amber to our fellowship.

Thank you for the prayers, visits, food, fellowship, and cards during the final illness of our wife and mother, Donna. We know that she is with her Lord and savior. While we rejoice for her, we mourn her absence here on earth. We treasure the outpouring of love from our extended family in Christ. Sincerely,
LeRoy Alons & family

From Jan VS

I hope you all had a blessed Christmas celebrating the birth of our Savior. I enjoyed getting cards and letters from many of you, and I am encouraged by the reminders that you are praying for me and praying for the work God is doing.

On the 24th, I head back to Ghana to participate in the third Ghana Learning Project writers' workshop. I will be gone for eight and a half weeks. On the previous trip, a colleague and I worked with writers from all 11 language groups as they developed the kindergarten material. During this workshop, we will work with the same 11 language groups as they develop the grade 2 reading material. I appreciate your prayers for this project and for all who are involved.

Thank you for part in this ministry, *Jan*

Mark your calendar: All ladies are invited to a bridal shower for Laura Claire on Saturday, April 7, 10:30 am til noon, at Mariah's home, 755 Breezy Shore Rd (Bath). Laura is registered at Belks and Bed Bath & Beyond.

Sermon recordings: Want to listen to a previous sermon? Go to terraceiacrc.org, click on "Join us for worship" and then "Sermons." You may also request a CD from John M.

Volunteers Needed!



**to visit prisoners in
Hyde and Tyrrell counties.**

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*Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me;
for I am gentle and lowly of heart,
and you will find rest for your souls.
For my yoke is easy and my burden is light.
Matthew 11:29-30*

See Bill VS for more info

Council Members

Elders: John VS, John M, Arie DH
Deacons: Kenneth VS, Justin VS, Devon R

This week at TC CRC

Sunday, February 18

9:30 am	Sunday School
10:30 am	Morning Worship
11:45 am	Refreshments
5:30 pm	Evening Worship

Monday, February 19

7:00 pm	Yokefellows at Hyde Co. Prison
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Tuesday, February 20

9:30 am	Coffee Break, Story Hour, Nursery
7:00 pm	Yokefellows at Tyrrell Co. Prison

Sunday, February 25

9:30 am	Sunday School
10:30 am	Morning Worship
11:45 am	Refreshments
5:30 pm	Evening Worship

Volunteers

Greeters
February 18 Ken & Jeanne VS
February 25 Ken, Irene & Rachel

Nursery (during morning worship)
February 18 Anne M, Mariah VS
February 25 Gerda R, Jan DH

Fellowship
February 18 Anne M, Julie P
February 25 Amber VS, Irene VW

One-on-one with Jordan (morning worship)
February 18 Jan DH
February 25 Holly VS