

SERVING

GREETERS & COFFEE SERVERS

(After the morning service)

TODAY: 3B – Cody & Kathy B
OCT 19: 4A – Galen & Julie K

SOUND/PROJECTION

TODAY: Kent Z & Tricia H
OCT 19: Teigen DK & Ian H

OCTOBER USHERS

Nate B, Justin H, Evan W

NURSERY

TODAY: AM - Andrea W, Jasmine B,
Willa R, Tenley B
PM - Kelli L, Aftyn H

OCT19: AM - Sarah F, Allie VK,
Miranda TP, Matthew V
PM - Kristi TP, Caleb DB

CHILDREN & WORSHIP

Children (3yrs old – PK) will be dismissed for C & W following the prayer of confession Your child(ren) will meet the helpers in the back of the sanctuary and walk together to the classroom. Please pick up your child(ren) at Room 9 after the service. If your child is not ready to participate right when they turn three, they are welcome to join anytime throughout the year. To avoid distractions during our worship time, please have your child(ren) leave their personal belongings with you. We ask that your child is potty trained before they attend class. If this is a concern for you, please talk to Rachel Verwolf and she will work with you to make a plan that is best for your child.

TODAY: #9 Abram & Sarai (pg 100)
OCT 19: #10 Exodus (pg 104)

Leader/Kristi – Helpers/Ella & Kelli
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OFFERING SCHEDULE

Offerings can be mailed to: Hope CRC, PO Box 580, Hull, IA 51239

TODAY: AM 1st – General Fund 2nd – Benevolent Fund PM – Justice For All
OCT 19: AM 1st - General Fund 2nd - Mike & Megan Ribbens PM – Disability Concerns

Hope Council Members (July 1, 2025 – June 30, 2026)

ELDERS: Joe Dirksen, Cal Van Der Zwaag, Craig Stiemsma, Brad Driesen,
Jerry Boer, Mike Covey, Scott de Boom

DEACONS: Scott Westra, Brian Fykstra, Jacob Van Ginkel, Nate Van Kley,
Dash De Groot, Ryan LeLoux

Hope Christian Reformed Church



*So I say, walk by the Spirit,
and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh.*

Galatians 5:16

Pastor's Office: 439-1201

Church Office: 439-1279

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October 12, 2025

Morning Service - 9:30am

Evening Service - 6:00pm

Morning Worship Service

Leading Worship: Pastor Keith Hoekstra ~ Accompanist: Melissa Boer

God Gathers Us for Worship

- Welcome and Announcements
- *Song of Praise: “Lord, I Lift Your Name on High” (LUYH 610)
- *Call to Worship: Psalm 95:1-2
- *God’s Greeting and Mutual Greeting
- *Song of Praise: “Living Hope” (song sheet)

God Reminds Us Who We Are in Him

- A Guide for Grateful Living: John 3:16-21
- Song of Gratitude: “Amazing Grace, My Chains are Gone” (LUYH 693 All)
- (Children ages 3-PK are invited to exit during the singing to attend Children in Worship at the back of church)
- We Join in Prayer for One Another

God Speaks to Us Through His Word

- *Song of Preparation: “My Life Is in You Lord” (CH 542)
- Scripture: Genesis 39:6-20
- Prayer of Preparation
- Message: *The Journey of God’s Plan; The Tempted Servant*
- Prayer of Application
- We Give our Offerings for God’s Work – Ministry of Music “Oceans” by Brea Van Kley

The Celebration of The Sacrament of Communion

- (See back of bulletin insert)
- Congregational Songs: “He Will Hold Me Fast” and “King of Kings”

God Sends Us to Serve with His Blessing

- *God’s Blessing
- *Closing Song: “Victory in Jesus” (CH 353 vs 1)
- *Postlude

Evening Worship Service

Leading Worship: Pastor Keith Hoekstra ~ Accompanist: Avery Verhoef
Worship team: Addi, Aralyn, Ella and Miranda

Welcome to our **PATH Way** Worship

- Welcome and Announcements Pastor Keith
- Call to Worship: Matthew 11:28-30
- *Opening Song of Praise: “O Come to the Altar” Congregation

Give God **PRAISE**

- Ministry of Praise: “Made for More” Worship Team
- Scripture of Praise: 1 John 4:4
- *Song of Praise: “How Great Is Our God”(LUYH 574)

ADMIT the Need for God

- Song of Admission: “Only a Holy God” Congregation
- Scripture of Admission: Revelations 1:8
- Ministry of Music “Holy Forever” Worship Team

Miranda will share thoughts from Galatians 5:13-26 concerning our need for God, a relationship with Jesus and the guidance of Holy Spirit in the battle of “Flesh vs Spirit”

Congregational **PATH Way Prayer** Pastor Keith

Offerings Will be received as the Worship Team sings “Hymn of Heaven”

Give God **Thanks**

- Scripture of Thanks Psalm 106:1-2
- *Song of Thanks: “Gratitude” Congregation

Seek God’s **Help**

- Scripture of Help: Hebrews 12:2
- Song of Help: “Turn Your Eyes” Congregation

Sent on Our **WAY** with God’s Blessing

- *Scripture of Blessing: Numbers 6:24-26, Pastor Keith
- *Closing Song: “The Blessings” Congregation

The Institution (congregational responses are printed in bold)

Beloved in the Lord Jesus Christ, The Holy Supper that we are about to celebrate is a feast of remembrance, of communion, and of hope. We come to remember that our Lord Jesus Christ was sent by the Father into the world to assume our flesh and blood and to fulfill for us all obedience to the divine law, even to the bitter and shameful death of the cross. By his death, resurrection and ascension he established a new and eternal covenant of grace and reconciliation, that we might be accepted by God and never be forsaken by him. We come to have communion with the same Christ, who promised to be with us always, even to the end of the age. In the breaking of the bread, he makes himself known to us as the true heavenly bread that strengthens us to live for what is eternal. In the cup of blessing, he comes to us as the vine in whom we must abide as we bear fruit that will last.

The Invitation

Come to this table you who have much faith and you who would like to have more.
Come, you who have shared in this sacrament often and you who have not.
Come! It is Christ who invites us all to meet Him here.

(Prayer)

Eternal God, let your Holy Spirit move in power over us and over these earthly gifts of the bread and the cup. That our sharing in them may be for us the communion of the body and the blood of Christ and that we may become one in Him. As your church, we join our voices saying:

May Christ's coming again in glory find us watchful in prayer, strong in truth and abounding in love. Then, at last, all people will be free, all divisions among us will be healed and with the whole creation we will sing Your praise. In the name of your son, Jesus Christ, our Savior we pray. Amen

The Sacrament

Come to the table, for all is ready.

Christ was raised to life; death was swallowed up. Victory was won!

Let us celebrate the feast of our Savior!

The body of Christ was broken for you!

(distribute the bread as the congregation sings the song "He Will Hold Me Fast")

Take, eat, remember and believe that the body of our Lord Jesus Christ was given for the complete forgiveness of all our sins.

The blood of Christ was shed for you!

(distribute the cup as the congregation sings the song "King of Kings")

Take, drink, remember and believe that the precious blood of our Lord Jesus Christ was shed for the complete forgiveness of all our sins.

Prayer of Praise

Lord, you have put gladness in our hearts; you have satisfied our hunger with good things.

In giving all, you have not withheld from us your own dear Son. Together we say:

How can we withhold anything from you, our Lord and our God? Renew us day by day with the gift of your Spirit, that we may give ourselves completely to your service and walk with joy in the footsteps of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen

Welcome to Hope Christian Reformed Church!

- ❖ You may view our Sunday church services on YouTube beginning at 9:25 am and 5:55 pm and anytime thereafter.
- ❖ Nursery is available for ages 0-2yrs during the morning and evening services.
- ❖ Coffee Fellowship takes place after the morning service.
- ❖ We have Sunday School for grades K–12 immediately following the service (Sept – April).
- ❖ Please send bulletin announcements to hopecrchullsecretary@gmail.com by Thurs AM
- ❖ If you would like to receive church emails, please contact hopecrchullsecretary@gmail.com
- ❖ If you have any prayer requests, email them to hopecrchull@gmail.com or contact Pastor Keith or another elder.
- ❖ If you wish to use the church building for an event, please contact the office secretary by email: hopecrchullsecretary@gmail.com with the details. Thank you.

Worship Notes

We are so glad you are joining us for worship this Sunday!

This Sunday morning we look forward to gathering for worship in which we will continue our series focused on the life of Joseph revealed to us in Genesis, entitled "The Journey of God's Plan". We will be looking at the family relationships of Joseph with his brothers. We open God's Word to **Genesis 39:6-21**, we find Joseph in the midst of temptation, we will examine his reaction and consider our own response to the temptation we face.

In the evening, we are called again to our PATH Way worship service, these services will look a little different. We will seek God in worship, our Senior High School girls will be leading us in worship, and Miranda Ten Pas will be sharing with us about the battle of flesh and the Spirit in our lives.

We rejoice that God has called us to worship Him—in joy, in truth, and in the fellowship of His people!

THIS WEEK

Apple Pie Committee please meet in the church kitchen for a short meeting after church.

TONIGHT: Young Couples Group will be meeting at Pete and Jennifer Steiger's house (1613 3rd St, Hull) at 7:30 pm.

Mens Bible Study: Tuesday, October 14th at 7:00pm or Wednesday the 15th at 6:00am. Studying the Book of Proverbs.

Womens Coffee Break: Wednesday, October 15th at 10:00 AM for Lesson #5

ANNOUNCEMENTS

**** The Hope CRC Apple Pie Project is this Wednesday, October 15! ****

If you volunteered or just need to pick up pies, we will see you at the Community Building, lower level. Volunteers are encouraged to come anytime throughout the day to help! Many hands make light work! Don't forget to turn in your monetary Apple Pie donation to help make this event a success!!

We rejoice with Troy and Madisen Bakker on the birth of their son, Kolter Reid Bakker, born on October 8. Mom and baby are both doing well.

Womens Bible Study: Our next meeting will be on **October 20**. If you plan on joining us and did not get a study guide, you may pick one up at the counter across from mailboxes.

Notes from Council meeting held on October 1: The council approved a motion to accept the membership transfer request of Joel Driesen to Faith CRC in Sioux Center.

Our **sound and projection team** does some amazing work behind the scenes every week that we often take for granted. Thank them for what they do when you get the chance. Also, they are recruiting more volunteers to help out with their work. If this service opportunity interests you, please contact Kristi Ten Pas or Jerry Boer.

OPERATION CHRISTMAN CHILD brings hope and joy to kids worldwide through a simple gift-filled shoebox. But a shoebox is only the beginning! It also gives the children an opportunity to have a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ through a Bible Study. Boxes will be provided in the kitchen (you can also purchase your own container or use a shoe box). You can choose to pack a box for a girl or a boy, or both! This is a great project to do with your kids too! Please have your filled boxes in church by **November 17**. If you have any questions, please contact Rebecca Te Slaa or Vanessa Vink.

HOPE CRC FAMILY PRAISE AND PRAYER CONCERNS

- Liz Hoekstra's surgery was rescheduled to Monday, October 13th. Please keep her and the family in your prayers.
- Mark Stieger is scheduled to have another round of injections up in Mayo at the end of the month for his migraines. We pray for healing and pain relief and for insurance to approve the procedure.
- We celebrate with Donna Hoekstra at the completion of her course of radiation, we continue to pray for her and the family as the next steps of her treatment are discussed and planned.
- We pray for those recovering from surgery: Kathy Te Slaa, Liz Hoekstra, Chanda Bakker, and Judy Bonestroo
- We pray for those who have ongoing health concerns: Sherry Kooiker and Mark Steiger. We pray for healing, pain relief, and recovery.
- Continue to keep Taylyn Vander Schaaf in your prayers as she goes through her cancer treatments. Pray for healing and comfort for the whole family. (see community news for updates)
- We pray for organizations like Crossroads Prison Ministries, MAN-2, and Cornerstone Church as they serve those who are incarcerated. We pray for mentors, leaders, and volunteers who use the gifts of the church to restore prisoners to a relationship with God.
- Pray for those who mourn, who have lost those whom they loved and miss.
- Pray for all who are struggling with an addiction, emotional hurt, depression, anxiety, and mental illness.
- Pray for our families, our marriages, that God would strengthen them, guide them, and be honored in them.
- Pray for those who cannot join us in worship, that they would be comforted and feel close to the congregation. We pray for Bill Heynen, Gary Westra, and Marlo Covey
- We pray for those serving our communities in law enforcement, emergency services, fire department, and those who serve our country in the armed forces.

PRAYER NEEDS

As we continue to focus on being a community of prayer we want to offer ways to communicate your prayer needs. We have created opportunities to share in the form of cards for prayers of praise and prayers for help, located on the kitchen counter. We want to extend the opportunity to share these prayers when you are not in the building so we invite you to share any prayer request through the prayer request email: prayershopecrchull@gmail.com