

## January 29, 2023 - Hull CRC Community Bulletin

### HOPE CRC FAMILY PRAISE AND PRAYER CONCERNS:

- Ruth Hoekema has been admitted to the North Central Heart Hospital, she is experiencing a-fib and is extremely weak. The doctors are keeping her there while they look at options for care. We ask for prayers for clarity for a plan of care, comfort in the waiting Ruth and Cal, and God's healing hand upon Ruth.
- Kaysha Steiger, daughter of Pete and Jennifer, will be going to Mayo for appointments on Monday and hip surgery on Tuesday.
- Pray for recovery for Rachel Crawford, Carla Hulstein's sister from Des Moines
- Pray for Jackie Covey and her family as she continues with chemo.
- Pray for Sheila Olson, Deb and Jerry's niece, as she continues with her treatments for cancer.
- Praise for those who have recovered.
- Pray for those who continue to recover at home.
- Pray for those who have an upcoming surgery. Prayers for them, the doctors, nurses, and procedures.
- Pray for those who mourn, who have lost those whom they love and miss.
- Pray for all who are struggling with an addiction, emotional hurt, depression, and mental illness.
- Pray for our families, and 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.

### FIRST CRC FAMILY PRAISE AND PRAYER CONCERNS:

- Prayers are requested for Marilyn Grevengoed. She is in the Avera Hospital in Sioux Falls having suffered a stroke. They will treat her with medication with the goal of returning to the hospital in Rock Valley for rehab.
- Bob Soodsma is recovering at home following his hip surgery. Pray for strength and healing.
- Gaylene Bouma is at Crown Point receiving oral antibiotics and therapy with the goal of returning home.
- Maddox & Carver Kooima will have an echo and heart check in late January or February. Pray that both Maddox and Carver stay healthy.
- Glenda Oolman is scheduled to return to Aspen Heights on Monday.
- Larry & Marcia Hoekstra give thanks that their daughter, Abby, had a good report regarding her health and pregnancy.
- Pray for Russ Vander Schaaf as he continues with cancer treatments. Pray for strength, energy, and healing.
- Rick Van Hill continues with cancer treatment. Pray for minimal side effects and for a better appetite.
- Pray for our shut ins: Aspen Heights: Joyce De Vries, Wilma Grevengoed, Theresa De Wit, Lou Krommendyk, Larry & Glenda Oolman, Liz Schmith, Joyce Vande Griend and Goldie Veldman; Sheldon Care Center: Julianne Kats, Belle Draayer; Christian Retirement Home: Johanna Van Surksum; Royale Meadows: Darlene Kroese; Whispering Heights: Pete Soodsma; River View Ridge: Howard & Marilyn Grevengoed; Courage Homes in Sioux City: Ardelle Westra.

### REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

DORDT UNIVERSITY MUSIC FACULTY will present a recital on Friday, Feb. 3, at 7:30p in the Auditorium featuring compositions by Dordt Alumnus, Jonathan Posthuma ('12). Performers include Stephanie Kocher on flute, Carrie Groenewold on organ, Pam De Haan on alto saxophone, MaryLou Wielenga and Lois Vander Zee on piano, and Darren Van't Hul and Pam De Haan on voice, accompanied by Rob Hobgood. You can find out more about Jonathan Posthuma at <https://www.jonathanposthuma.com/>. His musical style seeks to combine lyricism, evocative imagery, and intense emotional contrasts, yet maintain clarity in form and function at their deepest levels.

**NAMI SUPPORT GROUP** will meet at the Central Reformed Church in Sioux Center from 7-9p on Tuesday, February 7.

Speaker: Nathan Huyser: "10 Years with Serious Mental Illness: Stories, Lessons and Hope." Individuals and family members affected by mental illness are welcome. For information, call Shirley Matheis at 722-4462.

**SIOUXLAND HABITAT** for Humanity invites you to a "Sunrise" Omelet Breakfast at the Hospers Community Building on Saturday, February 11, from 7:30-10:00a. Enjoy a build-your-own omelet bar, fruit, egg cookie, and beverages. Omelets prepared by Center Fresh. Free-will donation to support the Habitat home being built with the Barranco family in Hospers!

**BROADWAY AND DESSERTS AT DORDT!** The Dordt University Concert Choir cordially invites you to come and enjoy an enchanting evening of Broadway tunes and sweet treats on Sat., Feb. 11, at 7:30p in the Campus Center on Dordt's campus. You'll hear songs from a wide variety of well-loved musicals, and you'll be served delectable desserts by members of the choir while you listen! Tickets are \$12 for adults, \$5 for students. Kids 5 and under are free, and childcare is available on-site. Tickets must be purchased by Tuesday, Feb. 7, from the Music Department Office (712-722-6222 anna.bartlett@dordt.edu.) or from a Concert Choir singer. Proceeds will go toward future Concert Choir tours and other choral events.

**IRETTON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL's** Annual Bluegrass Gospel Concert will be held Sat., March 11, at Dordt. The two groups performing are The Anderegg Family and The Baker Family. Show times are 2:30p and 7:00p. Tickets are \$15 at the door or can be purchased from the Ireton Christian School. Children ages 15 and under are free.

**TRI-STATE TEENS ENCOUNTER CHRIST (TEC)** is accepting applications for March 17-19 at the First Reformed Church in Rock Rapids. TEC is an interdenominational three-day Christian retreat designed to help high schoolers learn more about their faith and their community. If you would like to learn more or register, please visit [www.TriStateTEC.org](http://www.TriStateTEC.org) or email [TriStateTEC@gmail.com](mailto:TriStateTEC@gmail.com). The cost is \$50 and includes a t-shirt and other special gifts. Scholarships are available upon request. Are you an adult but will want to be involved? We are also accepting applications for adults over 21 to join our team for the weekend and help students experience Jesus! Visit [tristatetec.org](http://tristatetec.org) for more information.

**SAVE THE DATE:** Guiding Star Annual Fundraising Gala will be held Friday, March 24, at 6:00p at the Terrace View Event Center. Keynote Speaker is Matt Hammitt. Matt is a singer, songwriter, author, and speaker. He was the former lead singer of Grammy-nominated, Dove Award-winning band "Sanctus Real" and author of Lead Me: Finding Courage to Fight for Your Marriage, Children and Faith. We invite you to join us to hear his journey through marriage, fatherhood, and faith amidst the storms of life and learn how you can GIVE to Guiding Star Siouxland as we Build a Culture of Life in Siouxland.

**MID-SIOUX OPPORTUNITY** offers a FREE Head Start or Child Development Program for children between the ages of 3-4. They also are taking applications for their FREE family support and resource program. Early Head Start serves expectant families and children up to the age of three. For information on these programs call 800-859-2025.