

## COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES SHEET

May 13, 2018

**Please turn in announcements by 10:30 on Wednesday mornings to the office of the First Christian Reformed Church: [office@firstcrc.com](mailto:office@firstcrc.com) or 722-0717.**

**Tuesday, May 15:** The Grandmother's Moms in Prayer group will meet from 10-11am in Room 3 of First CRC. All grandmothers and great-grandmothers are invited to come.

**Tuesday, May 15:** The College and Career Moms in Prayer group will meet from noon-1pm in Room 3 of First CRC. Moms and grandmothers are invited to join us in praying for our college age and adult children.

**Wednesday, May 16:** The Western Christian High School Music Department led by Darren Van't Hul, Lyle Van Ravenswaay, and Ashley Wielenga will be presenting their Spring Concert at 7pm in the Event Center at Western Christian. It will be a night of enjoyable music presented by the Western Christian Orchestra, Concert Band, Cantus, and Concert Choir. A freewill offering will be taken.

**Saturday, May 19:** Come support the 39<sup>th</sup> Annual New Life Treatment Center's Horse Ride-a-Thon at 10am from Pipestone County Fairgrounds to NLTC in Woodstock, MN. Lunch, awards, and prizes will be at 1:30pm. Call to register at 507-777-4321. Proceeds will go towards furnishings and equipment to benefit their clients.

### Advance Announcements

**Tuesday, May 22:** Western Christian High School will host its 96th commencement for 62 students at 7:00pm. The graduation speaker will be Rev. Todd Zuidema from Hope CRC in Hull. Members from the classes of 1948 and 1958 that are in attendance will also be recognized. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

**Tuesday, May 22:** Unity Christian's spring music concert will be a split instrumental/vocal concert with the instrumental portion beginning at 7:00pm and will feature Symphonic Band, String Orchestra, and Instruments of Praise. The choirs will begin at approximately 8:00pm and will feature Chorale, Concert Choir, Bel Canto, and Knightsounds. There will be an intermission to reset the stage from 7:45-8:00pm. Come for both of these end-of-the-year concerts as the music ensembles are eager to share their concert music with you. A free will donation will be received for the music department.

**Thursday, May 24:** Graduation 2018 at Unity Christian High School will be held at 7:00pm in the Knight Center. Overflow seating will be available in the Courtyard.

**Sunday, May 27:** The Sioux Center Community Memorial Day worship service will be held at 7pm at First Reformed Church. Army Chaplain (Major) Peter Hofman will share God's Word and personal testimony, and an offering will be received for the Sioux Center Doornink-Brunsting Post 199 of the American Legion. Veterans are asked to assemble at 6:45pm in the fellowship hall to be seated as a group.

**Thursday, June 7:** Come to the 23rd Annual Bethany Golf Benefit for Bethany Christian Services of Orange City, IA with registration and lunch at 11am and shotgun start at 12:30pm at Landsmeer Golf Club in Orange City. There is a \$125 fee, and corporate sponsorship opportunities are available.

**Sunday, June 10:** Do you like singing hymns and enjoy ice cream? Kingdom Boundaries Prison Aftercare invites you to a night of worship by singing hymns followed by an ice cream social with an opportunity to learn about our ministry for men being released from prison at 7:00pm at First Reformed Church in Rock Valley, IA. Visit their website for more information: [www.kingdomboundaries.org](http://www.kingdomboundaries.org).

**Friday, June 22:** Save the Date for the Center for Financial Education's golf tournament at The Ridge in Sioux Center starting at 12:30pm. Call 722-3527 for more information.

## Requested Announcements

HOMESTAYS NEEDED FOR KYIV CHORUS - The Kyiv Symphony Orchestra Chorus, in association with Music Mission Kiev (Ukraine), will be touring the Midwestern United States and making a stop in Sioux County for a concert at Dordt College on Tuesday, September 11, 2018. This will be the 14<sup>th</sup> tour to the U.S. for this fine ensemble. Their mission is to transform lives through music, and to share a message of what is currently happening in Ukraine. Homestays for that same evening are needed for the approximately 50 adult musicians in this ensemble. If you are willing to contribute to this effort, please contact Sanneke Kok at [sanneke.c.kok@gmail.com](mailto:sanneke.c.kok@gmail.com) or 712-722-2254 by Friday, June 1.

Are you or someone you know in need of a safe, decent and affordable place to live? Siouxland Habitat for Humanity is accepting partner family applications for our homeownership program for a future home in Hull. Application forms are available at the Hull City Office, Hull Library and online at <http://siouxlandhabitat.org/our-programs/home-ownership/>. Completed applications are due by May 16. If you are interested, please contact Kurt Franje, 712-476-2804 or email [kfranje@siouxlandhabitat.org](mailto:kfranje@siouxlandhabitat.org).

WANTED: Volunteers for Shipwrecked VBS July 23-26! Please prayerfully consider signing up to help. You can sign up on Bethel CRC's website at [www.bethelcsc.org](http://www.bethelcsc.org) under the Ministry tab. If you have any questions, contact Shawn Meyers at [vbs@bethelcsc.org](mailto:vbs@bethelcsc.org).