

## COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES SHEET

January 29, 2023

**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 712-722-0717.**

**Wednesday, February 1:** Treats & Trivia Bethel YPS Fundraiser: YPS will be hosting a trivia night and providing tasty desserts from 7-8:30pm in their fellowship hall. Childcare will be provided in the church nursery. Come with a team of 8 or come by yourself and get paired with a team. Free will donation will go towards our annual programming costs.

**Friday, February 3:** At 7:30pm in the B.J. Haan Auditorium, the Dordt University Music Faculty will present a recital 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 maintains clarity in form and function at their deepest levels.

### Advance Announcements

**Tuesday, February 7:** The NAMI (National Alliance on Mental Illness) Support Group will meet in the Fireside Room of Central Reformed Church in Sioux Center from 7 to 9pm. 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 722-4462.

**Saturday, February 11:** Siouxland Habitat invites you to a "Sunrise" Omelet Breakfast at the Hospers Community Building from 7:30-10:00am. 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!

**Saturday, February 11:** 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 at 7:30pm 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, February 7 from the Music Department Office (712-722-6222; [anna.bartlett@dordt.edu](mailto:anna.bartlett@dordt.edu)) or from a Concert Choir singer. Proceeds will go toward future Concert Choir tours or other choral events.

**Friday, February 24 – Sunday, February 26:** Join Cornerstone Prison Church in Sioux Falls for a Faith Fellowship Weekend on the theme of perseverance (James 1:4) with worship, large group talks, and small group discussions. Sign up by February 2 by contacting [office@cornerstonepcsd.org](mailto:office@cornerstonepcsd.org) or 507-215-3670. Do consider this ministry opportunity!

### Requested Announcements

Unity Christian High School family - January 30 through February 2, we have been asked to clean the beams, walls and floors of the new gym. This is to prepare for the installation of the wood floor the following week. We are looking to host 4 cleaning nights from 6:30pm to 8:00pm on Mon 1/30, Tues 1/31, Wed 2/1 and Thurs 2/2. Please RSVP to Wayne Dykstra at [wdykstra@unitychristian.net](mailto:wdykstra@unitychristian.net) if you can assist.