

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES SHEET

March 9, 2025

Please turn in announcements by 10:30 on Wednesday mornings to the office of the First Christian Reformed Church: office@firstcrc.com or 712-722-0717.

Friday, March 14: The Dordt University Concert Choir will perform a concert at the B.J. Haan Auditorium at 7pm. This free concert is part of their spring tour with performances throughout Michigan and Ontario, Canada. Under the direction of Dr. Ryan Smit, director of choral activities at Dordt University, the Concert Choir consists of 54 auditioned singers. The ensemble will perform a rich and varied selection of music representing many styles and time periods from the Renaissance motets to traditional spirituals to modern works.

Advance Announcements

Sunday, March 16: Early Teen Ministry (ETM) will meet at First CRC in the upper level of their Ministry Building at 7:30pm.

Thursday, March 20 and Friday, March 21: Unity Christian invites you to join them for *The Miracle Worker* by William Gibson. Tickets will be available for purchase through the Bound app starting on March 1. We hope you can join us for this powerful story of teacher Annie Sullivan and her student, Helen Keller. The show will be March 20 & 21 at 7:30pm and a matinee at 2:00pm on March 22 at the Unity Christian Knight Center.

Friday, March 28 and Saturday, March 29: Join us for the 2025 Siouxland Reformed Biblical Counseling Conference at Dordt University, Science Building, Room 1606. The conference is free. Friday's session will be 6-9:30pm and Saturday's session will be 9am-12:15pm. Speakers will include Dr. Mark Kelderman, Dr. Jared Poulton, and Dr. Jeff Doll.

Thursday, April 3: Are you ready for high school? We would like to welcome all 8th grade students and parents to Western Christian High School. We will serve a free supper to our guests between 5:15-6:15pm, and the main program will start in the Event Center at 6:15pm. We ask that parents and students attend 8th Grade Day together. If you have any questions, please contact Brad Vis - brad.vis@westernchristianhs.com or by cell 605-359-5704.

Friday, April 11: Love INC Sioux County invites the community to our Spring Share Event at the Terrace View Event Center in Sioux Center. Doors will open at 5:45pm and dinner will be served starting at 6:15pm. Ted Cunningham, comedian, speaker, pastor, and author, from Branson, MO will be our entertainment, so come ready for a fun evening of great food and laughter! Tickets to the event can be purchased for \$75 or get a group of eight people together and reserve a full table for \$560. Tickets are available by calling the Love INC office at 712-476-5990 or online at www.loveincsiouxcounty.org. Seats are limited so purchase tickets NOW!

Requested Announcements

Bridge of Hope and Covenant CRC are once again selling water softener salt as a fundraiser for our Legacy Plan commitments to SCCS! Beginning February 24, stop by the TRIP office at SCCS or BOH/Covenant to pick up an order form. Completed forms with payment attached must be returned to the TRIP office or BOH/Covenant church offices by Monday, March 10. We will deliver the softener salt on April 5, and we will do all the heavy lifting for you, bringing your softener sale wherever it needs to go! There is a 20 bag minimum order for out of town deliveries and we will deliver up to 20 miles from Sioux Center. Check the order form for all the details!

MIK+ YOUNG ADULTS (19-29 year-old singles) is a sister ministry to MINNIKOTA YOUTH (MIK YOUTH) which serves the 6th-8th grades and 9th-12th grades. Both ministries are supported by three Christian Reformed Classis (Minnkota, Iakota, and Heartland). MIK Youth has been around a long time, but MIK+ Young Adults is NEW! We are working at getting the word out about this awesome ministry opportunity for our young adult singles in our regional CR Churches. Here is a tentative schedule for MIK+ YOUNG ADULTS. Watch the Minnikota Youth facebook for more info and updates!

Saturday, March 22- BIBLE STUDY (LEVITICUS) IN HULL 1ST CRC YOUTH BUILDING.

Saturday, April 5- ACTIVITY-Planning on reserving Escape Rooms in Sioux Falls. Will need to RSVP in advance to pay for tickets in advance. More info coming soon.

Saturday, April 19- BIBLE STUDY (NUMBERS) IN SIOUX CENTER BRIDGE OF HOPE CRC YOUTH BUILDING. If you are not receiving texts about MIK+ upcoming events and you'd like to be added to our list, text Lee at 712-470-4244. ~Lee De Groot & Pastor Doug De Groot.