

ANNOUNCEMENTS • JANUARY 8, 2023

January 8 - January 14

Sunday

9 a.m. - "Over the Coffee" meets downstairs
9 a.m. - Epiphany Party for Preschool - 5th Grade
10 a.m. - Worship Service

Tuesday

1:30 p.m. - Staff Meeting

Wednesday

Noon - **Bulletin Deadline**
6 p.m. - WN@CH

Thursday

9:30 a.m. - Women's Book Group
1 p.m. - Women Gather Group

LOOKING AHEAD TO NEXT SUNDAY

10 a.m. - Worship Service
Children's Sunday School Resumes

OVER THE COFFEE - Join us Sunday mornings at 9 a.m. This group, while showing its "grey," welcomes all ages for intergenerational discussions and fellowship. Please bring your own coffee. We look forward to seeing you!

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL RESUMES JANUARY 15:

We meet in the room across from the nursery. We will be using Growing in Grace and Gratitude curriculum, which is rooted in the foundation of Presbyterian identity where God's grace and our gratitude are the heartbeat of our faith, life, and worship. The classes inspire children to learn and practice hospitality, generosity, and love; and reaches beyond Sunday morning, encouraging children to live their lives as an expression of God's grace.

WORSHIP EXPLORERS! Each Sunday, after the children's message and during the sermon, children **Preschool-4th grades** are invited to join Janelle Darst for Worship Explorers. It is a program designed to help children grow as worshipers and to equip them to participate in worship. The goals are to offer children an opportunity to worship God in their own way, explore and learn about the Bible and to introduce children to worship in the sanctuary. The children will be out of worship only during the sermon each week.



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Alto Section Leader

Mason Sealock
Tenor Section Leader

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Guitarist

At Cedar Heights Community Presbyterian Church, we believe in the centrality and power of prayer. You may put a request on our prayer list by emailing the church office at chpreschurch@cfu.net. If you would like your name removed from the list, please inform the church office.

PRAYERS FOR: Norma Caquelin's granddaughter's husband, Brandon; for Kathryn Rogers' husband, Ken & son, Andrew; for the people of Ukraine and Russia; for the people of Bihembe, Rwanda & Makantakita, Nicaragua; for those currently serving in the military; and for all facing surgery, difficulty, or times of great challenges.

THANK YOU to the elders and deacons who are rotating off their respective boards:
Elders: Chad Abbas, Eric Christensen, Maren Denison, Jessica Marshall
Deacons: Julie Book, Brad Carter, Clois Engelkes, Judy Klepfer, Jerry Purcell

WELCOME OUR NEW OFFICERS:

Elders: Joan Ackerman, Jacob Baber, Sarah Corkery, Mitchell Darst, Barb Dowd, Sue Holms, Willard Jenkins
Deacons: Kim Abbas, Cassie Frost, Tracy Goossen, Marian Larson, Kathryn Rogers

THE SUNDAY SUPPER Free Community Meal is back! We will begin serving meals at First Presbyterian Church in downtown Waterloo today, January 8. The meal is served at 5:00 p.m. The crew each week is an intentional mix of people from each of the five PCUSA churches in the Cedar Valley. Cedar Heights is scheduled to provide 4 people each week (2 to open at 3:30, 2 to close at 4:30). The opening shifts helps with prep and cooking and hospitality. The closing shift helps with service, hospitality and cleaning. We will post a sign up sheet for volunteers in the Commons area outside the sanctuary. Please sign up! Pastor Dave is one of the chefs cooking on the second Sunday of each month starting in February. Lesley Johnson is one of our chefs and our new director. Thank you Lesley!

WOMEN'S BOOK GROUP will meet Thursday, January 12 at 9:30 a.m. in Brinkerhoff. We will be discussing "Not a Sound" by Heather Gudenkauf.

THE WOMEN GATHER GROUP will meet again in Fellowship Hall on January 12 at 1 p.m. for refreshments and discussion of another story from "My Grandfather's Blessings" by Rachel Remen MD, "Finding New Eyes." You are welcome to join us!

THANK YOU! I deeply appreciate the church and the support for NAMI Black Hawk County. Thank you for the donations that allow us to do our work in the community. *Happy and healthy holidays, Leslie Cohn*

DEAR FRIENDS - thank you so much for your financial gifts to ThreeHouse. Your generosity enables us to be here to listen, guide and care for today's students, faculty and staff at the University of Northern Iowa, Allen College and Hawkeye Community College. We are so grateful for the wonderful support of CHCPC, in its many ways! Your financial support, Food Pantry gifts, Block Party food and table, the time and energy that Pastor Johnny has provided to both ThreeHouse and CV Interfaith efforts, and your prayers. Thank you, thank you! *With heartfelt thanks, David Glenn-Burns, ThreeHouse Director/Campus Minister*

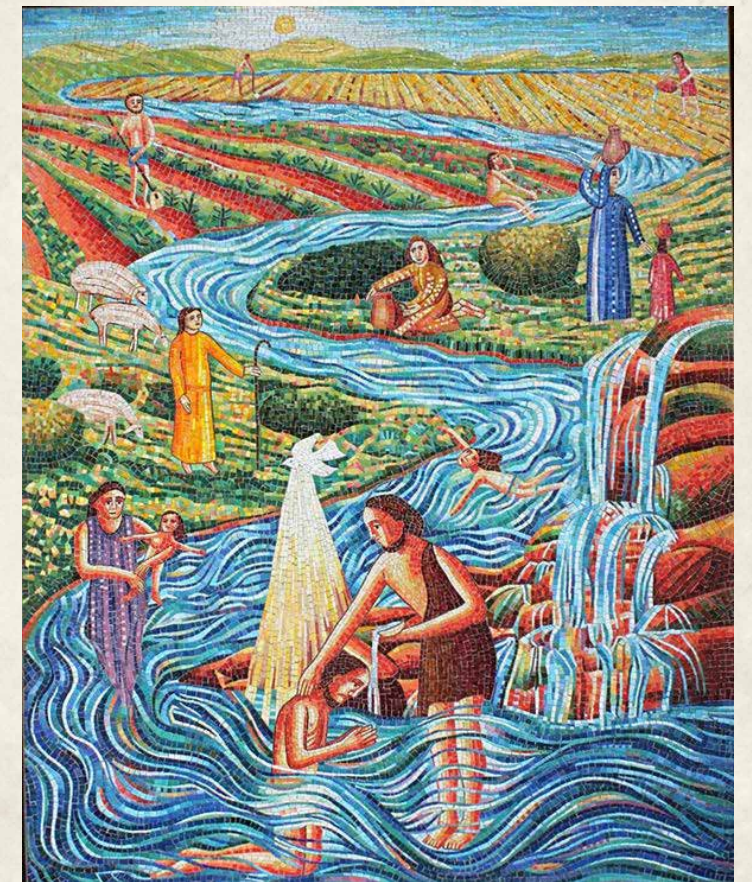
DEAR CHCPC - The Cunningham Elementary School would like to thank you for your Christmas blessing to a few of our families. We have many families in need and your contribution truly helped and was in perfect time. God bless!
With love, Cunningham Elementary



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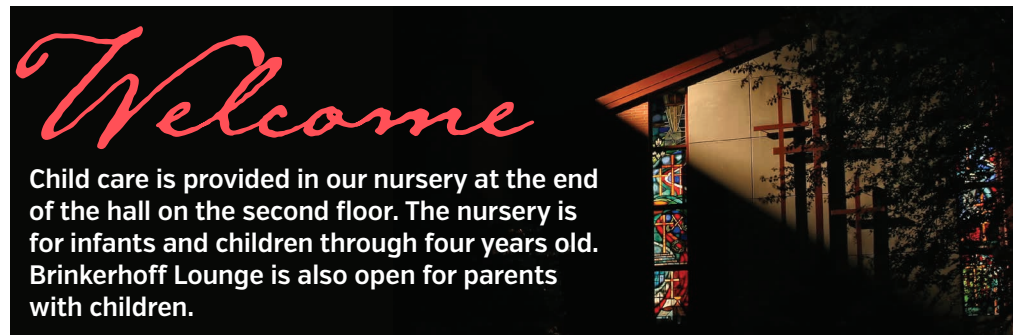
A place for everyone.

JANUARY 8, 2023 - 10:00 AM
Baptism of the Lord Sunday



"Being Baptized"

Psalm 29
Matthew 3:13-17
Dr. Dave Kivett



Welcome and Announcements Dr. Dave Kivett

Prelude "I Need Thee Every Hour" Arr. by Joel Raney
Hugh Brown

*Call to Worship
Sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth. The voice of the Lord is over the waters, and in the temple God's people say: Glory! Let us worship the living God.

*Praise Song "10,000 Reasons"

Our Shortcomings (a guided moment of silence)

God's Forgiveness

Sharing God's Peace Barb Dowd

Prayer for Illumination

Old Testament Lesson Psalm 29

New Testament Lesson Matthew 3:13-17

Message for Children (and children at heart) Ai Elgersma
(Preschool-4th grades are welcome to go to Worship Explorers following the message)

Sermon "Being Baptized" Dr. Dave Kivett

*Hymn - 475 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

Reaffirmation of Baptism Rev. Johnny Janssen

Prayer of Recommitment
As you poured out your Holy Spirit upon Jesus at his baptism, so pour it out on us this day, so we may be light to the nations, bring peace where there is discord, comfort where there is affliction, healing where there is suffering, and joy where there is grief. In our baptism, make us strong for your kingdom and empower us for extravagant ministry in your name.

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Offering Ourselves to God

Offering in Song "Peace Like a River" Buryl Red & Ragan Courtney
Kelly Noltner and Jordyn Beranek

*Response - 606 "Doxology"

*Dedicating Our Gifts

Ordination and Installation of Officers

Leader: There are varieties of gifts, but it is the same Spirit who gives them.
People: There are different ways of serving God, but it is the same Lord who is served.

Leader: God works through each person in a unique way, but it is God's purpose that is accomplished.

People: To each is given a gift of the Spirit to be used for the common good. All: Together we are the body of Christ and individually members of it.

Questions for Officers and Congregation

Prayer of Ordination and Installation

Welcome and Charge

*Hymn - 69, v. 1 and refrain "Here I Am, Lord"

*Blessing and Sending

*Sending Music "Deep River" Arr. by Mark Hayes

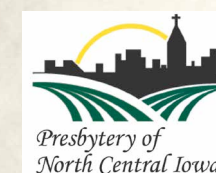
**Please Rise, in Body or in Spirit*



Greeters & Ushers
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A place for everyone.

We are so glad you chose to worship with us!

If this is your first visit, we look forward to meeting you and getting to know you. Please be sure to sign in on this Bulletin Stub and leave your contact information so we can welcome you! ***(Please tear off this stub and place in offering plate.)*** We can also add you to our weekly eNEWS list so you know what is coming up in worship and in the life of the church.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____

Zip _____ Phone (____) ____-_____

E-mail _____

First Time Guest Return Guest Member

Regular Attendee (Non-member)

Here for Special Occasion Only

This is a change in my contact information

I'd like to receive the weekly eNewsletter

I heard about CHCPC from:

Driving by Friend/Family New Resident

Other _____

I wish...

I were a member

A Pastor would call on me

I was on the e-mail list

We'd sing hymn # _____

or the song _____

A Pastor would call on...

(name) _____

who is ill, a prospective member, other

Pastor/congregation would pray for:
