



Connect CHURCH

Mission: Connect People to Jesus

Vision: Disciples Made, Matured,
Multiplied

Sunday, September 22, 2019

For a list of today's schedules, please see the back of your bulletin.

Location of Upcoming Worship Services:

Please note that all morning worship services start at 9:30am. All evening services start at 6pm.

Date:	Location:
September 22	AM ~ Connect Church PM ~ Connect Church
September 29	AM ~ Connect Church PM ~ Second CRC
October 6	AM ~ Connect Church PM ~ Second CRC
October 13	AM ~ Connect Church PM ~ Second CRC
October 20	AM ~ Connect Church <i>With Communion</i> PM ~ Faith CRC

The **first family night supper** of the season is scheduled for **October 2, 2019** in the fellowship hall of the church basement. We welcome and encourage members, friends, relatives and coworkers to attend this event. A special welcome is extended to parents of Gems and Cadets. The meal is served from 5:00 to 6:30. Everyone is heartily welcomed. In order to have the proper amount of food prepared, we ask that you sign the intention sheet in the church narthex. Meal is paid for by free will donations given at time of serving. Menu for October is spaghetti bake, lettuce salad/dressing, breadsticks and ice cream sundaes.

Happy Quilters: Urgently needed: The ladies of the Happy Quilters need help! No quilting experience required. It takes a lot of work to get even one of their beautiful quilts finished.

The Hospitality Team would like to invite you to **"Celebrate Fall with a Potluck and Pie"** on Sunday, October 13 after Sunday school. Home-made pies with ice cream will be provided for your dessert along with drinks and table service. Please bring your appetites as well as a main or side dish to share and enjoy with each other.

Lift up these members in prayer:
Tim and Pat Callahan, Dan Clark, and Larry and Lil Terpstra.

Our Church contact info:

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For bulletins, schedules, sermons, and other information, please visit our website:
www.connectchurchpella.org

***Announcements must be turned in by 2:00pm on Wednesdays.**

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Mary's Office Hours and Info

Phone no. 920-627-2097
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Monday: 2-4pm; 4pm - Coffee Hour (all welcomed)
Thursday: 4-6pm

Office Hours:

Mondays ~ 1pm-3pm
Wednesdays ~ noon-4pm
Thursdays ~ 10am-2:30pm

The church will be open:

Mondays ~ 7:30am—2:30pm
Tuesdays ~ 7:30am—2:30pm
Wednesdays ~ 7:30am—2:30pm
Thursdays ~ 7:30am—2:30pm

In Our Faith Family

Continue to be in prayer for Judy De Vries and her family as the funeral of her mom, Edith Mepelink, took place this past Monday.

Continue to be in prayer for Case & Paula De Haan, as Case continues his cancer treatments.

Be in prayer for Bob & Marilyn Bokhoven as Bob faces further health complications.

We give thanks that Luke Callahan has returned to the state following his time of deployment. We pray for blessing over his reunion with family and the transition back to civilian life.

Be in prayer for Wilma & Dewey Veenstra as Wilma continues to recover from a recent hip surgery.

Pray for those who are shut in and unable to gather for worship with us, including: Grada De Bruin, Gerald Hoekstra, Bill Van Waardhuizen, Ken Van Wyk & Al Van Zee.

Continue to be in prayer for Daniel Lehigh and his family as he is deployed for military service.

Pella Christian High Announcement:

Come and support the Pella Christian Football Breakfast, Saturday October 5, serving from 7:30-10:00 a.m. Anyone can join us for a great family breakfast and visit with the players. They are serving pancakes, sausage, cinnamon rolls and beverages. Free will donation for the Eagle football team fundraiser. Fun, Fellowship and great food.

The Table in Denver is growing deeper roots this fall! Please join us for a 2Root capital campaign event at Connect Church (formerly 1st CRC) in Pella (914 Liberty St.) on **Thursday, Sept. 26 from 6-8 PM**. A catered supper will be provided, Craig Broek and friends of The Table will share the vision for the future of the ministry and plans for a building, and you'll be invited to partner in the campaign. There is no cost to attend the event. Please bring your friends and RSVP to craig@denvertable.org ASAP. We don't want anyone to go hungry!

Pathways Board Members Needed: Prayerfully consider committing to serve on Pathways of Pella Board to be a faithful counsel. The board meets the one Thursday evening per month. Please contact annette@pathwayspella.org or call 641-780-8067 to learn more about the opportunity.

Specific Request of a Facilitator: We are asking if someone could help our school on Tuesday afternoons from 1:00-2:30 for the pre/k-kinder classroom. We have this specific day and time that is a need, so if this is something that you could commit to, please email principal@peoriachr.org. Thank you for praying and considering this request.

Looking Forward at First—

Please remember to shut off the lights and lock the doors after all meetings and activities.

~ Thank you!

Monday, September 23, 2019

1:00pm.....Happy Quilters

Wednesday, September 25, 2019

6:30pm.....YACS

7:00pm.....Ladies Bible Study

Thursday, September 26, 2019

6:00-8:00pm.....2Root Capital Campaign Dinner

7:00pm.....Praise Team Practice

Sunday, September 29, 2019

Next Sunday Morning: We will continue in breaking down the vision of Connect Church by seeing and desiring together for disciples of Jesus to be made. To do this, we will turn to John 5:22-36 in a message entitled Disciples Made.

Next Sunday Evening: We will transition to the next location for worship, which will be **Second CRC**. During this service, we will spend time together worshipping God, who is Yahweh Rapheka ~ The LORD who Heals You. Join Pastor Brad in reading Exodus 15:22-27 as we prepare to hear God's Word together.

Greeters: Harley and Karen Ver Meer, Pat Callahan
Nursery: Miss Leanna, Matthew Ver Meer, Morgan Meinders
Sound: Sandy Van Den Broek
Projection: Conner Van Walbeek
Fellowship: Tim and Pat Callahan
Bulletin Delivery: Helen Vande Ree
Offering: AM: Building and Grounds

Connect Church Giving Update 9/15/2019

General Fund	Actual	Budget	Difference
Last Week	\$1,506	\$4,480	(\$2,974)
Fiscal YTD	\$140,759	\$165,360	(\$24,601)

Offering Last Week

Budget envelops	\$1,506
Denominational Ministry Shares	\$673
Bethany Christian Services	\$221