

**May 12, 2024**

*Carmel's mission is to further Christ's Kingdom  
through loving God and loving others.*

**MORNING WORSHIP (9:30)**

Prelude: *Nora Bohl*

Welcome

Call to Worship

\*Worship Songs: *"Goodness Of God"*  
*"I Speak Jesus"*

\*Invocation

Ministry in Music: *"Be Thou My Vision"*  
*Edan Bomgaars, Addison Terpstra, Jamie Van Voorst*

Congregational Prayer

\*Hymn: **#223** *"O How He Loves You And Me"*  
(Offering for Property Fundraiser for carpet and office remodel)  
(Please pass the Guest Registers during this time)

Scripture: Romans 5:1-11

Message: **"A Love/Hate Relationship"**

Closing Hymn: **#51** *"Come, Thou Fount Of Every Blessing"*  
(Offering for Property Fund)

\*Benediction

Postlude: *Nora Bohl*

(\*please stand if you are able)

*Song sheets are on the bulletin tables for those who are unable to see the  
screen for the worship songs this morning, or ask an usher for one.*

**EVENING WORSHIP (6:30)**

Prelude: *Nora Bohl*

Welcome

Call to Worship

\*Worship Hymns: **#513** *"Whiter Than Snow"*  
**#496** *"Living For Jesus"*

Invocation

Responsive Reading: **#1254 Selection 32**  
*"I Will Pour Out My Spirit"*

Congregational Prayer

\*Hymn: **#75** *"This Is My Father's World"*

Scripture: Psalm 19

Message: **"Obstacle Course"**

\*Closing Hymn: **#721** *"There Shall Be Showers Of Blessings"*

\*Benediction

Postlude: *Nora Bohl*

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***Happy Mother's Day to all who share a caring relationship with a  
mom or mom-figure. Welcome to worship. Please join us for re-  
freshments after the morning worship service.***

**A warm welcome** to Stacy Jasper as he leads our morning service  
and Pastor Jesse Henkle as he leads our evening service.

**Special thanks** to *Edan Bomgaars, Addison Terpstra, and Jamie  
Van Voorst* for their ministry in music.

**Guest Register:** During the first offering this morning, please  
sign and pass the "Guest" Register down the row. Once it reaches the  
end and members and guests have signed, please pass it back to the  
center.

## TODAY

**Nursery Attendants:** Alyssa K., Nikki H., Alydia S., Ava S.

**Door Attendant:** Dan. **Ushers:** Marlin (M), Colten (NE), Eric V.M. (SW). **Audio:** Dan. **Video:** Enrique.

**Power Point:** Eric. **After Service Greeters:** Mark & Dan (M), Shawn (NE), Leon (SW).

## THIS WEEK

### Monday, May 13

6:30 p.m.—**Elders' Meeting.** Anyone desiring to make profession of their faith may meet with the elders at 7:00.

7:30 p.m.—**Consistory Meeting.**

### Tuesday, May 14

8:00 p.m.—**Diamonds Ministry**

### Wednesday, May 15

7:00 p.m.—**Prayer Meeting**

## NEXT SUNDAY, May 19

**Nursery Attendants:** Janice Luevano, Ashley Laackmann, Kylee Sandbulte, Hannah Van Roekel. **Door Attendant:** Willard Hulstein. **Ushers:** Jerry Wolfswinkel (M), Mitch Banks (NE), Brad Beukelman (SW). **Refreshments:** Gene Sandbulte, Randi Sayles. **Cookies:** Amy McAlpine, Gene Sandbulte, Rachel Van Roekel, Sherri Wolfswinkel, Misty Zwart. **Special Music:** Tim Bomgaars. **Special Offering:** Northwestern College.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

### Uphold in Prayer

*Ramona Vander Weide* has broken her foot.

*VBS Directors* as they continue to prepare for VBS.

*Kyle Van Ginkel* serving in the army.

Keep *Pastor Ron and Karen Boersema* in your prayers as plans are being made to join us in Carmel.

**Praying for our local congregations:** This week please be in prayer for God's blessing for the Church of God Congregation and Pastor Dustin Bolks.

**Please help us to help you:** When you have an illness, accident, upcoming surgery, birth or death in the family, or other needs, please notify one of the elders or the church office.

Happy Birthday to *Carol Sandbulte*, who will celebrate her 80th birthday today, May 12

Congratulations to our high school graduates: *Bryson Sandbulte and Meagan Mulder* is graduating from Western Christian High School on May 14; *Samantha Gengler, Sophia Hietbrink, Bethany Huisman, Mya Romero, Ethan Sandbulte, Solomon Tea, Kierra Wolfswinkel, Hannah Woudstra, and Rachel Wynia* are graduating from Sioux Center High School on May 19; *Shanelle Soodsma, Jace Van Meeteren, Nathan Van Otterloo* are graduating from Boyden-Hull Community School on May 19.

Congratulations to our college graduates: *Brynn Van Voorst* graduated from NCC with her LPN and *Steve Wynia* graduated from STI with his associate's degree in IT Security.

**Sunday School Teachers** your classrooms must be cleaned out by May 19 so they are ready for VBS.

**Reminder:** You can still purchase a shred bag for \$20/bag. These bags can hold up to 30 pounds of paper that you need shredded. Please drop off the bags at Brommer Sanitation. Put the money in the box on the Coffee Station with how many bags you want. If you have questions please contact Dan Fedders at 712-540-7105.

The coat racks have been put away for the season. Any coats that were left on the racks are now on the main coat rack. Please check to see if anything belongs to you. Any unclaimed items will be given to charity at the beginning of June. Also please check the kitchen for containers or pans which may belong to you, so we can get ready for VBS.

The first offering today is going to the Property Fundraiser for carpet and the office remodel. The second offering will be going to the Property Fund for normal maintenance of the church.

There will be a VBS craft prep day on Friday, May 24, from 9:00 am-2:00 pm. This is come and go as you have time. Many hands make light work.

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