

HIGHLIGHTS

CARMEL REFORMED CHURCH

“Can’t Wait For Sunday”

September 2025

How Long Does It Take to Read Each Book of the Bible?

Old Testament Books

1. Genesis – 3.5h
2. Exodus – 3h
3. Leviticus – 2h
4. Numbers – 3h
5. Deuteronomy – 2.5h
6. Joshua – 1.75h
7. Judges – 1.75h
8. Ruth – 15m
9. 1 Samuel – 2.25h
10. 2 Samuel – 1.75h
11. 1 Kings – 2h
12. 2 Kings – 2.25h
13. 1 Chronicles – 2h
14. 2 Chronicles – 2.5h
15. Ezra – 40m
16. Nehemiah – 1h
17. Esther – 30m
18. Job – 1.75 h
19. Psalms – 5h
20. Proverbs – 1.75h
21. Ecclesiastes – 30m
22. Song of Solomon – 20m
23. Isaiah – 3.75h
24. Jeremiah – 4h
25. Lamentations – 20m
26. Ezekiel – 3.75h
27. Daniel – 1.25h
28. Hosea – 30m
29. Joel – 12m
30. Amos – 25m
31. Obadiah – 4m
32. Jonah – 8m
33. Micah – 20m
34. Nahum – 8m
35. Habakkuk – 9m
36. Zephaniah – 10m
37. Haggai – 7m
38. Zechariah – 40m
39. Malachi – 11m

New Testament Books

40. Matthew – 2.5h
41. Mark – 1.5h
42. Luke – 2.5h
43. John – 2h
44. Acts – 2.25h
45. Romans – 1h
46. 1 Corinthians – 1h
47. 2 Corinthians – 40m
48. Galatians – 20m
49. Ephesians – 20m
50. Philippians – 14m
51. Colossians – 13m
52. 1 Thessalonians – 12m
53. 2 Thessalonians – 7m
54. 1 Timothy – 16m
55. 2 Timothy – 11m
56. Titus – 7m
57. Philemon – 3m
58. Hebrews – 45m
59. James – 16m
60. 1 Peter – 16m
61. 2 Peter – 10m
62. 1 John – 16m
63. 2 John – 2m
64. 3 John – 2m
65. Jude – 4m
66. Revelation – 1.25h

In my ongoing effort to encourage people to read the Bible, I wanted to show you that it doesn’t take as much time to read parts of the Bible as you might think. Out of the 39 Old Testament books, you can read 19 of them in an hour or less – 16 of those in 30 minutes or less – and 9 of those in 15 minutes or less! Of the 27 New Testament books, you can read 21 of them in an hour or less – 17 of those in under 30 minutes – and 15 of those in 16 minutes or less! So, if you’re doing the math, it means that you can read one half of the books of the Bible in 30 minutes or less.

Don’t let time deter you from reading and meditating on God’s Word. We all have plenty of time. The question is, how much of it will we devote to hearing from God?

The next time you have time to kill, why not spend up to 30 minutes in God’s Word? *Pastor Ron*



September 7: Jami Sandbulte, Ruth De Jager, Gabby Prins, Slayden Sandbulte

September 14: Kristi Segar, Hannah Smolders, Karlee Leusink, Brody Van Voorst

September 21: Rachel Van Roekel, Brynn Van Voorst, Aniya

Robertson, Keirra Wolfswinkel

September 28: Londa Boogerd, Kristi Van Voorst, Alydia Sandbulte, Hannah Van Roekel

October 5: Nikki Hulstein, Lynna De Wit, Marcus Van Voorst, Addy Van Voorst

PLEASE find a substitute or trade with some one, if you are unable to be in the nursery. **Please substitute an adult for an adult!**

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REFRESHMENT SCHEDULE

R - serve on Sunday morning; C - each bring 5 dozen cookies.

September 7-R—Jared Terpstra, Mike Haverhals
C-Sue Noteboom, Lorna Vander Vliet, Linda Altena, Sandi Vonk, Sue Dorhout

September 14-R—Verlyn Van Regenmorter, Dorene Vander Zwaag
C-Jami Sandbulte, Rachel Terpstra, Misty Zwart, Kaye Kuyper, Clarice Van Maanen

September 21-R—Karen Boersema, Hans Smolders
C—Carmen Maassen, Amy Rozeboom, Frieda Bartels, Erica Robertson, Colleen Bomgaars

September 28-R—Glenda Van Meeteren, Denny De Jong
C—Teresa Sandbulte, Helen Vande Vegte, Allison Leusink, Glenda Van Meeteren, Sarah Nibbelink

October 5-R—Jerry Renes, Chad Robertson
C—Cheryl Lange, Fonda Post, Carol Langstraat, Sherri Wolfswinkel, Mimi Sandbulte

If this schedule does not work with you please switch with someone.



Call the church office by noon on Monday, to let us know who your special music will be. If you are unable to have special music the scheduled time, please try to exchange with someone.

Special music schedule is for the morning worship service.

Sept.	7 - Mitch Nettinga
Sept.	14 - Adam Nibbelink
Sept.	21 - Melinda Nibbelink
Sept.	28 - Derick Niemeyer
Oct.	5 - Jerry Noteboom

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The church office will be closed on Monday, September 1 in observance of Labor Day.

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PROFESSION OF FAITH

At the August Elder's meeting, it was their joy to receive Ruthie Vanden Brink into the communicate family of Carmel Reformed Church through Profession of Faith.

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MARRIAGES



Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Brian Robyn (Shelly Van Otterloo) who were united in marriage at Carmel on August 30.

May God bless them with a long and happy married life.

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TRANSFER

The membership of Shelly Klarenbeek, along with baptized children Brian Jr. and Lane, have been transferred to the Central Church of Sioux Falls, SD.

May God bless them in their new church home.

MINISTRY KICK-OFF GRILL OUT

The SR RCYF will be hosting a grill out for the ministry kick-off! Join us after the morning worship service on September 7 for burgers, hot dogs, baked beans, and chips for a freewill donation. All proceeds will go toward our trip to Rocky Mountain High next summer!

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GET PLUGGED IN TO OUR EDUCATION PROGRAMS

If you are a regular attendee of Carmel Church and wish to have your children participate in our education programs (if they are not already included in the class list), please contact the church office with your child's name and grade. The Education programs include Sunday School (4 years to 12th grade), Wednesday night programs (K-12th), GEMS or Cadets (2nd—8th grade) and Junior and Senior High Youth Groups.

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Mark your calendar for Wednesday, September 24, and plan to attend the Sr. RCYF's "50's Night" fundraiser. For a freewill donation they will be serving



taverns, hotdogs, coneys, chips and of course Root beer floats. Serving will be from 5:00-7:00 p.m. in the parking lot behind the church. (In case the weather is bad, it will be held indoors.)

So come out and enjoy the fun and bring a friend. You are also welcome to show off your classic car as well!!

If anyone has hamburger they would like to donate to the Sr. RCYF for "50's Night" please contact Trevor and Jayden Pieper or Beau Van Voorst.

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES

Carmel Reformed Church's Wednesday Night Activities is back in session on Wednesday, September 10. Wednesday Night Activities will meet every 2nd, 4th, and 5th Wednesday of every month. We will NOT meet November 26, December 24 or 31. Any students in Kindergarten-12th grade are encouraged to join. If you have any question please contact the Education Elder Dennis De Jong.



The Jr. RCYF will be selling Sub Sandwiches as a fundraiser. Subs are great for school lunches, in the tractor or you can freeze them and enjoy later. They are offering four types of subs:

- Turkey and cheese Ham and cheese
- 3-meat (turkey, ham, roast beef) and cheese
- 3-meat (turkey, ham, bacon) and cheese

Order forms are in your mailbox or you can order from a Jr. RCYF member. **Order by September 14th.** They will be ready for pickup on Sunday, September 28th. If you ordered from an RCYF member, they will deliver them to you on Saturday, September 27th.

If you have any questions, please contact one of the Jr. RCYF sponsors (Matt & Hannah Smolders, Tom & Misty Zwart or Todd Noteboom).

All proceeds from the fundraiser help support the different group activities throughout the year.

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JR. RCYF

Carmel JR RCYF is excited to kick-off the '25-'26 year! We welcome all students who are in 7th-8th grades to join us on Sunday evenings. Our new sponsor this year is Todd Noteboom along with our returning sponsors Matt and Hannah Smolders and Tom and Misty Zwart.

JR RCYF kick-off date will be September 7! We will spend some fun time at Thunder Road in Sioux Falls. We will be leaving the church at 3:00 p.m. and the sponsors will bring home the students at the end of the evening. Bring a friend to join us for this fun adventure!

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CADETS

Cadet kickoff is September 17! Cadets is for 2nd-8th grade boys. During the year they will have lessons, and fundraisers, and fun outings. They meet at Carmel every 1st and 3rd Wednesday, September through April, at 7:00 p.m.

This year's theme is *STAND FIRM*. This is based on 1 Corinthians 16:13-14

"Be on your guard; stand firm in the faith; be courageous; be strong. Do everything in love."

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Carmel Reformed Church's Sunday School is back in session on Sunday, September 14. Sunday School classes are Preschool-Adult and start at 10:45 a.m.

Preschool-1st Grade meet in the music room.

2nd-5th Grade meet in the sanctuary.

6th-12th Grade meet in their rooms.

Adults meet in the library.

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RVL DISCIPLESHIP-THE STUDY

Even if you didn't come to the first season of The Study, you're welcome to join us for season two. We will be meeting on Wednesday nights starting on September 10, beginning with a comprehensive recap of season one to refresh those that were apart of last season and to catch you up if you are new this season. We hope to see you there!

In Season 1 of *The Study* showed us how we are meant to interact with the Text: 1) approaching it from the context in which it was written; 2) exploring how Jesus used the Scriptures in His teaching; 3) understanding how His followers were meant to be changed by what they learned; and 4) identifying the major paradigm that ties the whole Bible together.

Building on the tools and central themes from the first season, Season 2 of *The Study* explores the roots of discipleship, examining how God trained and established the nation of Israel in preparation for Jesus' ministry to come.

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DIAMONDS

Diamonds is for ANY young adult women 18 years and older who are looking for a community of women who want to grow in their faith! Diamonds is mainly held at Carmel Reformed Church with some fun outings during the year.

Diamonds kick off will be September 23 starting at 6:00 p.m. We will have worship, crafts, and food! RSVP to Brynn Van Voorst. Bring a friend!

SR RCYF

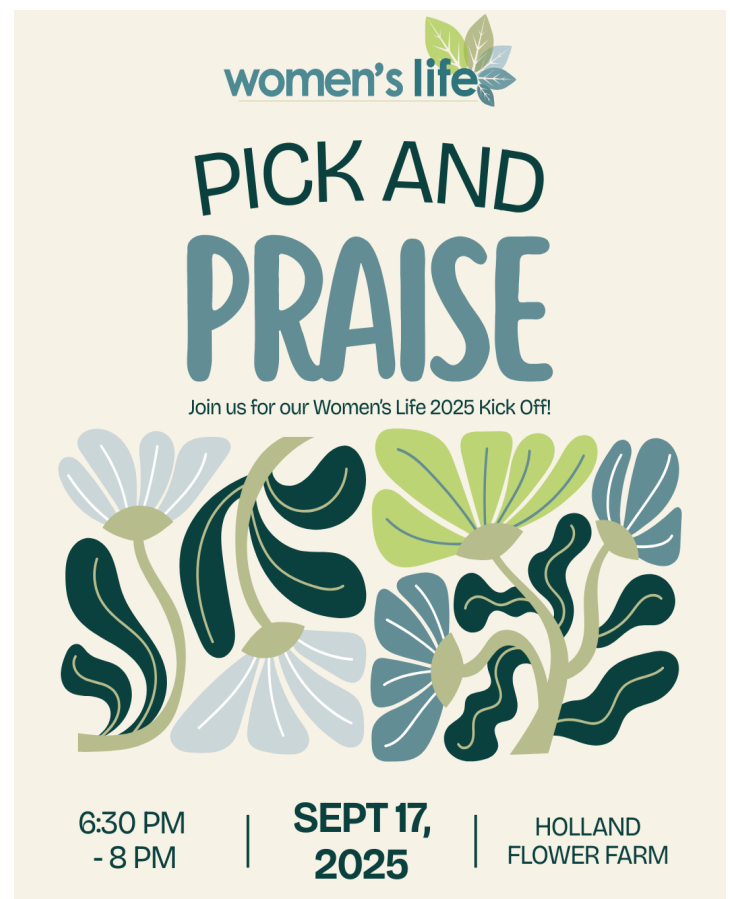
Carmel SR RCYF is excited to kick-off the '25-'26 year! We welcome all students who are returning and invited all freshmen and new-comers to join our group.

SR RCYF kick-off is September 14 at Carmel starting at 4:00 p.m! There will be a scavenger hunt, pizza and lots of fun! Invite your friends! We cannot wait to see everyone.

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WOMEN'S LIFE KICK-OFF

Sign up with the church office or on their social media page!



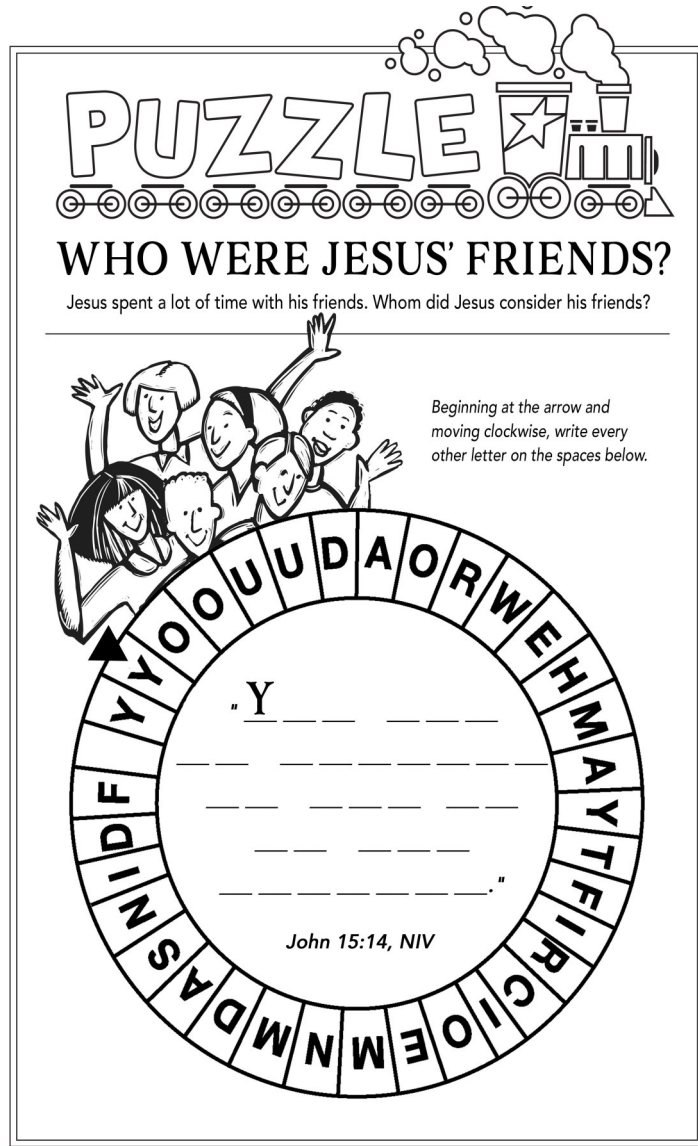
THE BRIDGE

The Bridge—Young Adult Ministry Kickoff!

Looking for a place to grow in your faith *and* have a great time with people your age? This fall, Carmel Church is launching *THE BRIDGE*, a new ministry for young adults (ages 18-30) - singles and couples welcome! The name reflects our mission to connect young adults with God, each other, and our community, while bridging the gap between youth groups and adult life.

From game nights and bonfires to Bible studies, service projects, and spontaneous adventures, The Bridge is all about faith, friendship, and fellowship. Whether you're new to Carmel or looking to deepen your roots, come be part of the kickoff and help build a vibrant community together.

Stay tuned for kickoff event details in the coming weeks!



Answer: "You are my friends if you do what I command." John 15:14, NIV

GEMS

Walk on Water: Stepping out to Trust our Faithful God is the theme for Carmel GEMS. GEMS is for all girls 2nd-8th Grade. We welcome girls from Carmel and other communities.

We are so excited to move GEMS to Wednesday evenings. The girls always had school activities that made the girls decide where to be. Praying this will help!

This year we are welcoming new GEMS Leaders/Craft/Kitchen: Kara Donlin, Becky Ochsen-dorf, Jenny Simpson, Whitney Huyser, and Kara Van Meeteren. Those returning are Karen Boersema, Rachel Van Roekel, Megan Punt, Jenn Prins and Jolene Horstman. We have some Jr Counselors also; Karlee Leusink, Atty Prins, and Gaby Prins. We are so blessed with strong women to lead the beautiful young ladies is such a gift!

Here is a run through of how our meetings usually run. Every meeting the goal is to let the girls to know Girls Matter! Watching the girls come in excited and greet you with a hug, or a chance to ask them how they are.

God's Word Matters— the girls all meet together for large group— praise and worship, devotions, real talk video that ties to our lesson, prayer, and sometimes a game.

Small Group— the girls then have Bible study, and finish with an activity.

It is so important for the girls to know they are welcome at church and that they belong! Leading the girls to Christ is the most wonderful thing we can do as a GEMS Leader.

Our Kick Off is September 17, at 6:00 p.m. at Carmel!! The GEMS gals should have received a letter and registration, if you did not get one or would like to be invited please reach out! Please bring your registration/dues to our Education Kick Off on September 7, 2025 and come see the GEMS room and register for some give aways. If you are unable to join us take your registration/ dues to our GEMS Kick Off on September 17- we will have food, fun, and fellowship and will dismiss at 8:00 p.m.

"Know, therefore that the Lord you God is God; he is the faithful God, keeping his covenant of love to a thousand generations of those who love him and keep his commandments." Deuteronomy 7:9

Serving Him Together,
Kris Van Voorst
Club Coordinator





Off to College

If anyone was omitted from this list, let the church office know.

(Birthdays are in parenthesis)

Josie Bomgaars is attending Dordt University. Her address is 3563 360th Street Orange City, IA 51041. (6/4)

Rylee Bomgaars is attending Northwestern College. Her address is 208 8th Street SW Unit #133 Orange City, IA 51041. (10/9)

Tava Gesink is attending Dordt University. Her address is DU2579 6th Street NE Sioux Center, IA 51250. (12/18)

Ethan Hooyer is attending Dordt University. His address is 700 7th Street NE DU 3317 Sioux Center, IA 51250. (8/13)

Jenny Luevano is attending Northwestern College. Her address is 208 8th Street SW unit #612 Orange City, IA 51041. (1/22)

Ayda Maassen is attending Northwestern College. Her address is 479 12th Street Circle SE Sioux Center, IA 51250. (9/13)

Lane Maassen is attending Northwestern College. His address is 208 8th Street SW Unit 623 Orange City, IA. (4/11)

Gabriela Noble is attending Knudson School of Law. Her address is 1214 Ave E Hawarden, IA 51023. (2/18)

Addison Rozeboom is attending Dordt University. Her address is DU2807 6th Street NE Sioux Center, IA. (2/2)

Tielyr Rozeboom is attending the University of Iowa. (9/8)

Bryson Sandbulte is attending Northwest Community College. His address is 2940 Hickory Ave Hull, IA 51239. (1/17)

Ethan Sandbulte is attending Northwestern College. His address is 208 8th street SW unit #967 Orange City, IA 51041. (7/15)

Rashaylee Soodsma will be studying abroad in Northern Ireland this fall. Her address is Lakeside Manor Attention: Rashaylee Soodsma Lakeside Manor 157 Finaghy Road S Belfast, Northern Ireland UK BT10 0DA. Then she will attend Dordt University in the spring. Her spring address will be 700 7th St N.E. DU 2027 Sioux Center, IA 51250. (12/17)

Shanelle Soodsma is attending Dordt University. Her address is Dordt University Attention: Shanelle Soodsma 700 7th Street N.E. DU 3490 Sioux Center, IA 51250. (12/6)

Addison Terpstra is attending Dordt University. Her address is DU2839 651 6th Street NE Sioux Center, IA. (2/13)

Dawson Van Beek is attending South Dakota State University. His address is 611 6th Ave Brookings, SD 57006. (1/8)

Landyn Van Kekerix is attending University of Iowa. His address is 131 Penfro Dr. Iowa City, IA 52246. (8/22)

Lane Van Kekerix is attending South Dakota State University. (10/12)

Kavri Van Kekerix is attending Northwestern College. Her address is 208 8th Street SW Unit 1083 Orange City, IA, 51041 (10/28)

Jace Van Meeteren is attending South Dakota State University. His address is SDSU Young Hall Room 214-A2 Box 2807 Brookings, SD 57007-3499. (1/30)

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Off to College

Brynn Van Voorst is attending Northwest Iowa Community College. Her address is 3424 290th Street Hull, IA 51239. (6/2)

Carson Vanden Brink is attending University of South Dakota. His address is 2838 360th Street Rock Valley, IA 51247. (6/28)

Hannah Woudstra is attending South Dakota State University. Her address is SDSU Matthews Hall Room # 354 Box 2803 Brookings, SD 57007. (4/18)

Covey Wynia is attending South Dakota State University. (2/7)

Elyse Zwart is attending Dordt University. Her address is DU 2268 700 7th Street NE Sioux Center, IA 51250. (11/2)

Emma Zwart is attending her 3rd year Doctorate of Veterinary Medicine at Iowa State University College of Veterinary Medicine. Her address is 101 E. Lime Ct. Ames, IA 50010. (9/25)

KINGDOM BOUNDARIES

Kingdom Boundaries presents their 11th Annual Fall Banquet at Carmel Reformed Church on Tuesday, September 30!

4:00 p.m. Doors Open
5:00 p.m. Fellowship/
Silent Auction
6:00 p.m. Catered
Dinner
7:00 p.m. Program/Live Auction



For more information please visit
www.KingdomBoundaries.org

BIBLE LEAGUE

Don't miss two powerful Bible League events this September at Bethel Christian Reformed Church in Sioux Center, IA—Monday the 8th and Tuesday the 9th. Monday evening kicks off with a warm, welcoming dinner and rich fellowship, setting the stage for what's to come.

On Tuesday the 9th, join us for our annual conference featuring dynamic keynote speaker Jason VanRuler— one of today's most sought-after therapists. With wisdom rooted in Scripture, Jason will challenge and encourage us as he unpacks our theme: *BEYOND YESTERDAY: Embrace the Now, Influence Tomorrow*.

Come be inspired, refreshed, and united in purpose as we work together to strengthen the body of Christ and provide God's Word to children around the world. An offering will be taken to support the life changing mission.

Ticket fees help offset event cost. Dinner registration is \$25. Conference registration is \$40 with lunch or \$30 without. Reserve your spot at Bibleleague.org/tickets.



Deacons Corner — SEPTEMBER

Outreach Fund – The Outreach Fund is available to assist Carmel Reformed Church members participation in mission projects/trip by providing financial assistance for registration and travel expenses. This does not include normally scheduled JR/SR youth group trips. The fund will reimburse ½ of travel and registration costs up to \$500.00 per individual per calendar year. Please contact the Outreach Fund deacon James Vanden Brink, or one of the other deacons for an application form.

Christian Care – The Christian Care Fund is available to assist with financial needs for those who are encountering difficult circumstances and are struggling to cover their basic financial needs. Please see the Christian Care Fund Deacon, Adam Nibbelink and Elder, Dan Fedders if you are in need of assistance.

Adoption Fund – For those considering an adoption please consider inquiring as to whether you will qualify for the Carmel Reformed Church Adoption Assistance Fund. This fund makes available up to \$1,500 to assist active Carmel Reformed Church members with adoption costs. See any deacon for details and a copy of the application form. All requests will require consistory approval.

Online Giving – Supporting the ministry at Carmel Church is easier than ever with our secure online giving option. Whether you're traveling, working, or watching from home, you can give anytime—anywhere. Simply visit carmelchurch.org and click the "Give" button. You can make a one-time gift or set up recurring donations in just a few steps. We're still passing the offering plate on Sundays, so you're welcome to give in person if you prefer. Thank you for your continued faithfulness and generosity!

"Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." 2 Corinthians 9:7

THANK YOU!

Thank you to all who participated in the "Driving FORE His Kingdom" Golf Outing Fundraiser. We hope that the evening was full of laughter, fun and fellowship.

Also, thank you to all of our corporate sponsors that helped make the golf outing memorable for all the participants. Be sure to thank them and support these businesses throughout the year.

Peoples Bank-Sioux Center	Anew Nutrition-Hull	Mouw Motor-Sioux Center
Edward Jones-Sioux Center	Hair on Hickory-Hull	Hull Vet Clinic-Hull
Furniture Mart-Sioux Center	Van Voorst Concrete-Hull	Pizza Ranch-Orange City
Iowa State Bank-Hull	Hull CoOp-Hull	Frosted Frog-Rock Valley
Fareway-Hull	Northwest Bank-Sioux Center	
Children's Dental-Sioux Center	New Tec/Rent All-Sioux Center	
Van Kekerix Brothers-Rock Valley	Van Beek Builders-Sioux Center	
	Advanced Crop Nutrition-Sioux Center	

A huge thank you to Paula Van Voorst for all the work and coordination that she put into the golf outing. Without her help, the evening would not have been a great time for all that were involved!

Finally, the Deacons of Carmel Reformed Church want to say thank you Carmel Church members, friends and visitors for your generosity in the giving of your gifts and talents for the furtherance and blessings of HIS Kingdom in Carmel Church as well as throughout HIS creation. We continue to covet your prayers as we use the gifts that are given for HIS Glory and Honor.

-Carmel Church Deacons



SEPTEMBER

- 2 - The Eddie Vander Weide's
- 3 - Jayse Niemeyer
Luke Haan
- 4 - Kyle Wolfswinkel
Mrs. Laura Van Ravenswaay
Mrs. Hazel Haverhals
The Kevin Sandbulte's
The Lyle Diekevers'
- 6 - Doug Van Beek
- 7 - Monty Prins
- 8 - Tielyr Rozeboom
Shawn Sandbulte
Curt Vander Vliet
Marcus Van Voorst
- 9 - The Kade Van Voorst's
The Matt Segar's
- 10 - Remi Hoogendoorn
Katie Van Maanen
Dennis De Jong
The Brad Beukelman's
The Mark Swets'
- 11 - Lennyx Koedam
Attyson Prins
The Monty Prins'
The Terry Koedam's
- 12 - Ty Vande Vegte
Anthony Janisch
Mrs. Courtney Mesman
Larry Wolfswinkel
The Steve Rozeboom's
- 13 - Ayda Maassen
Avery Sandbulte
Mrs. Jaimee Vonk
- 14 - The Warren Vonk's
- 15 - Brenda Van Dyke
The Rob Sayles'
- 16 - Kaylee Anderson
Mrs. Tonia Woudstra
Herb Kuyper
- 17 - Alaynna Nibbelink
Johnny Van Voorst
The Wally Valentine's
- 18 - Mrs. Becky Vanden Brink
- 20 - Julie Sandbulte
Beth Te Grotenhuis
Kraig Hulstein
The Eric Van Roekel's
- 21 - Hudson Hoekstra
- 22 - Brielle Maassen
Mrs. Samantha Van Ginkel
Seth Haverhals
Evelyn Moss
- 23 - Maguire DeMeester
Nathan Van Otterloo
Mrs. Amanda Ranschau
Mrs. Geneva Van Kekerix
Gary Sandbulte
John Kleyer
- 24 - Mrs. Deb Swets
The Derick Niemeyer's
The Jack Soodsma's
- 25 - Emma Zwart
Mrs. Sherri Wolfswinkel
The John Hoogendoorn's
- 26 - The Austin Rozeboom's
- 28 - Mrs. Deb Fedders
The Randy Vande Vegte's
The Leon Franken's
The Marlin Van Voorst's
- 29 - Blake Bomgaars
- 30 - Remington De Wit
Kaylee Kruid
Ruthie Vanden Brink
Gracie Vanden Brink
Austin Vande Vegte
Mrs. Anita Soodsma



Puzzle!

Use the words provided to complete the puzzle.
Then write the numbered words in the correct blanks
below to complete Psalm 67:6, NIV.

WORDS:

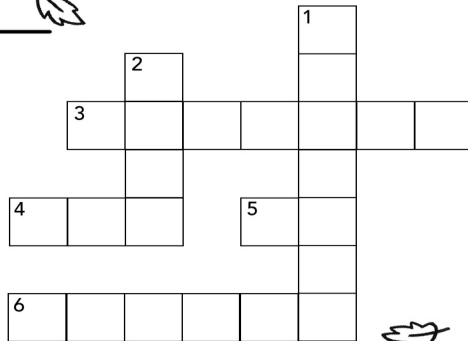
GOD, BLESSES, HARVEST,
YIELDS, US, LAND

ACROSS

3. Rhymes with farthest.
4. Rhymes with nod.
5. Rhymes with thus.
6. Rhymes with fields.

DOWN

1. Rhymes with messes.
2. Rhymes with hand.

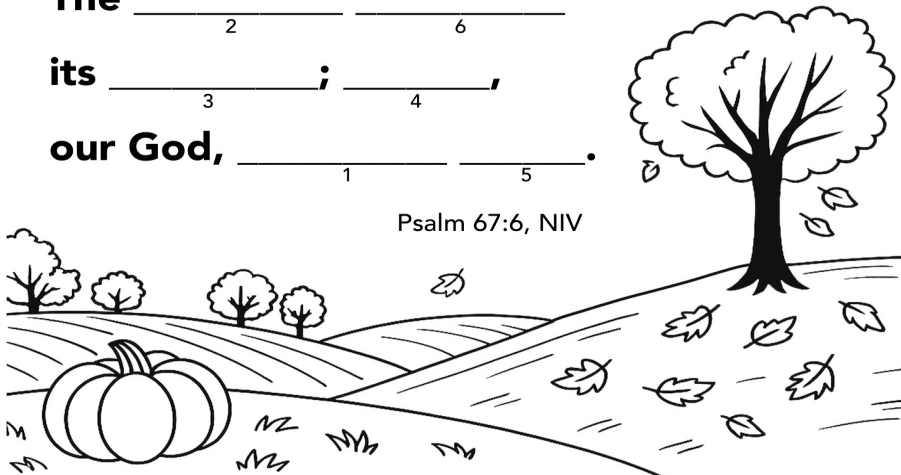


The _____ 2 _____ 6

its _____ 3 ; _____ 4 ,

our God, _____ 1 _____ 5 .

Psalm 67:6, NIV



Answer: The land yields its harvest; God, our God, blesses us. Psalm 67:6, NIV



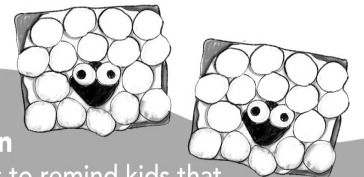
Create adorable sheep using
graham crackers, marshmallows,
and a little imagination!

What you need:

- Graham cracker squares
- White frosting or marshmallow fluff
- Mini marshmallows
- Large marshmallows
- Candy eyes or mini chocolate chips
- Black gel icing or mini Oreo cookie

What you do:

1. Spread white frosting or marshmallow fluff on each graham cracker square.
2. Stick mini marshmallows all over to make the sheep's wool.
3. Cut a large marshmallow in half and stick it near the top for the head.
4. Add candy eyes and a dot of black gel for the nose. Or use a mini Oreo cookie half for a more defined face.
5. Let kids decorate their sheep however they'd like!



Lesson tie-in

Use this treat to remind kids that
Jesus is our Good Shepherd.

I am the good
shepherd: the
good shepherd
giveth his life for
the sheep.

John 10:11, KJV