

Unity Christian High School

ALL GRANDPARENTS OF FRESHMEN STUDENTS AT UNITY CHRISTIAN HIGH SCHOOL

are invited to attend Freshmen Grandparent Day on **Thursday, April 16** at the school. The event is scheduled to begin at 9:30 a.m. and will finish at lunch with your grandchild. Please call 737-4114 or email aobbink@unitychristian.net to make a lunch reservation.

UNITY SUPPORTERS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND THE UNITY SOCIETY MEETING

on **Tuesday, April 21** at 7:00 PM in the Knight Center. Join us to hear updates on our financial reports and strategic vision, and to vote on 3 items: the Hands On – Hearts In building addition, the 2026–27 budget, and board member elections. Please note: no absentee ballots are allowed for the building addition vote. Absentee ballots will be allowed for board elections on the first vote only. Come to the Unity office to complete your absentee ballots for board members.

Visit our school website to learn more about these board candidates:

Faith CRC - Janna Hulstein, Ryan Van Beek

Bridge of Hope - Lindsey Vander Pol, Kristen Oostra

At Large - Teri Bos

LOOKING FOR PLANTS FOR YOUR FLOWER BOXES, PLANTERS, OR GARDEN?

Come check out the plants the horticulture greenhouse class has been busy cultivating for your space! Our FFA Early Bird Plant Sale at the Unity Christian High School greenhouse is on Friday, April 17 from 3:30 p.m.- 6:00 pm. and Saturday, April 18 from 9:00 am - Noon. The Mother's Day Sale is Friday, May 8 from 3:30 - 5:30 p.m. and Saturday, May 9 from 9:00 am - Noon. Freewill offering goes towards our FFA Program. We will have our costs posted in the greenhouse. Thank you for your support!

Area Community News

COOKIE DONATIONS NEEDED!

Youth for Christ in Hawarden is collecting homemade cookies or bars for their monthly Snack Giveaway. Please bring 3–4 dozen cookies or 1–2 pans of bars by the evening of **Tuesday, April 15** to the Cook home (1300 12th St). Contact Roxanne Cook if you have questions or want to help. Thank you! rcook@siouxlandyfc.org | 701-269-6352.



Connecting with God,
others, and the world

Pastor Nathan Kuperus

April 12, 2026

Welcome!

*We come with joy into the house
of God to worship Jesus Christ.*

*May our time together be
glorifying to God and a blessing
to each other.*

If you would like to know more about

Ireton CRC, our ministries,

or how to get involved,

we'd love to connect with you:

Contact: Pastor Nate Kuperus

Cell: 712-551-7677

Email: nate.kuperus@gmail.com

Website: www.iretoncrc.com

Facebook:

Ireton Christian Reformed Church

9:30 AM Order of Worship

LUYH 776:1,2,4 *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God*

LUYH 770:1-4 *In Christ Alone*

PH 292:1-3 *Living for Jesus*

LUYH 762:1-2 *Ancient Words*

Scripture Reading | *Ephesians 6:10-18*

Message | *Stand Firm*

LUYH 772:1,3,4 *My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less*

LUYH 953:1-2 *Now Blessed Be the Lord Our God*

5:00 PM Order of Worship

LUYH 610 *Lord, I Lift Your Name on High*

CH 36 *He Is Exalted*

LUYH 899:1-3 *Seek Ye First*

Scripture Reading | *Revelation 2:1-7*

Message | *Test the Teachers and Return to Christ*

LUYH 264:1,4,7 *Lift High the Cross*

LUYH 227:1,2,4 *He Is Lord*

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Serving You

		<i>Today</i>	<i>Next Week</i>
<i>Nursery</i>	<i>AM</i>	Debi Kramer, Tammy Sieck, Macie Bonnema	Angela Kuperus, Alison Tentinger, Lincoln Kramer
	<i>PM</i>	Sharla Gradert	Amanda Van Driessen
<i>Ushers</i>		Cadets	Kyle Byker Brad Dekkers
<i>Greeters & Coffee Servers</i>		Cadets	Scott & Jennifer Miedema Kelly & Carmen Noteboom
<i>Musician</i>	<i>AM</i>	Tricia Byker	Amanda Van Driessen
	<i>PM</i>	Sara Hulshof	Tricia Byker
<i>Sound System</i>	<i>AM</i>	Heronemus	Weida
	<i>PM</i>	Hooyer	Wielenga
<i>Librarian</i>		Wanetta Vander Plas	Katelyn Blankespoor
<i>Offering</i>		Cadets	Steve Dekkers

*If you have bulletin announcements please only send them by email to
nickiweida@gmail.com, or speak directly to Nicki over the phone
by Thursday at noon as they will not be picked up from church.*

Our Church Family

Karen Towers learned that two of the spots of cancer have increased in size since her last check in December. She continues to receive chemotherapy treatments. She has also dealt with ulnar nerve compression and lymphedema.

Don Mulder has now been cleared to remove all bracing that was aiding the healing of his broken vertebrae.

Continue to pray for those of our congregation that are not able to worship with us **Megan Miedema, Howard Bomgaars, Don Mulder, Bertha Statema, and Marcia Vander Stoep.**

Ireton CRC News and Announcements

THIS SUNDAY, APRIL 12 IS CADET SUNDAY.

The boys from our Cadet program will help lead our worship service and share the ministry the Cadets have, raising up young men in the faith.

ELDERS, DEACONS AND COUNCIL MEETINGS

will be held on Monday, April 13, 2026. The elders and deacons have their individual meetings at 6 PM. The council meeting will begin at 7 PM.

LADIES AFTERNOON BIBLE STUDY

will meet on **Tuesday, April 14** at 1:00 PM. We will be studying James 5:1-12

VBS FUNDRAISER SUPPER SIGN UP

We are in need of 7 gallons of oreo fluff for the fundraiser supper on **Wednesday, April 22**. If you are able to help, there is a sign up sheet on the back table. Thanks!

IRETON VBS FUNDRAISER SUPPER AND BAKE SALE

is coming up on **Wednesday, April 22** at the Ireton Community Center. We will be serving pork burgers, sides, and ice cream from 5 pm to 7 pm. A free will donation will be taken and take out containers will be available. Our annual VBS Bake Sale will also be held that night.

IRETON VBS BAKE SALE ITEMS ARE REQUESTED FROM THE CONGREGATION.

You can bring baked goods to be sold to the Ireton Community Center on **April 22** beginning at 8:00 am. Thank you for supporting our VBS program!

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IRETON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL SPRING CONCERT AND CULTURE FAIR

will be held on **Thursday, April 30** at 7:00 PM in the school gymnasium.