Morning Order of Worship – October 11, 2026 – 9:30 a.m.

Prelude
Welcome, Announcements, and Mutual Greeting

Gathered

*Call to Worship: Psalm 99:1-5
*Prayer of Invocation (concluded with the Lord's Prayer)
*Votum:
People of God, in whose name is your help?
Our help is in the name of the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth.
*God's Greeting
*Hymn "My Song Forever Shall Record" GPH #593 (1,2,3,5)

Call to Confession: Isaiah 1:4, 12-20
Prayer of Confession
Assurance of Pardon: Isaiah 9:2-7
Call to Holy Living: 2 Peter 3:9-14
*Hymn "Wonderful, Merciful Savior" Sing! #199 (1-3)
(During the first verse, 3-4 year olds are dismissed for Children and Worship.)

Word

Prayer for Illumination
Scripture: Nehemiah 5:1-19 (page 471)
Sermon: **"Outcry, Anger, Justice, and Generosity"**

Response

Prayer of Application
*Hymn "Unto God Our Savior" GPH #175 (1-3)
Congregational Prayer
Offerings for Sioux City Gospel Mission and Christian Education

Sending

*Hymn "Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing" GPH #501 (1,3,4,5,6)
*Benediction
*Doxology "Oh, for a Thousand Tongues to Sing" GPH #501 (7)
*Postlude

*If able, please stand

Minister of the Word: Rev. Stephen Terpstra
Organist: Dawn Beukelman; Pianist: Christine Terpstra

Evening Order of Worship – October 11, 2026 – 6:00 p.m.

Prelude
Welcome and Announcements

Gathered

*Call to Worship: Isaiah 61:10-11
*Silent Prayer of Invocation (concluded with organ)
*God's Greeting
*Hymn "We Praise You, O God" GPH #237 (1-3)

Memory Verse: Psalm 119:11-13
Responsive Reading of Psalm 45 (page 556)
Pslam 27 "O Lord, You Are My Light" GPH #164 (1,2,4)
Congregational Prayer
*Psalm 95 "Now with Joyful Exultation" GPH #95 (1,2,3)

Word

Prayer for Illumination
Scripture: John 3:22-36 (page 1055)
Sermon: **"New Bridegroom, New Joy"**

Response

Prayer of Application
*Hymn "Amazing Grace" GPH #462 (1-5)
Offerings for Unity Christian High School
*Confession: The Apostles' Creed

Sent

*Hymn
"Savior, Again to Your Dear Name We Raise" GPH #319 (1-4)
*Benediction
*Doxology "Glory Be to the Father" GPH #635
*Postlude

*If able, please stand

Minister of the Word: Rev. Stephen Terpstra
Organist: Maria Byker
Pianist: Nicole Sjaarda

Sunday, October 11, 2026

Welcome to worship today! We are glad you have chosen to worship God with us!

Nursery is available on the lower level of the church for child care. Refreshments are served after the morning worship service. Please stay and visit.

This Week

Today

9:30 a.m. Worship Service
10:45 a.m. Sunday School/Catechism
4:15 p.m. LIFE – Lesson 1 – "Jude-A Servant of Christ"
6:00 p.m. Worship Service
7:30 p.m. Faith Fellowship
Lunch: Sondra De Groot, Mary Obbink, Judy Van Kalsbeek

Monday, October 12

7:00 p.m. Family Visiting
7:00 p.m. Women's Discipleship – Chapter 2

Tuesday, October 13

7:00 p.m. All Things
8:00 p.m. Dust to Glory

Wednesday, October 14

6:45 p.m. GEMS
6:50 p.m. Cadets
7:00 p.m. Youth Group

Thursday, October 15

6:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study
9:00 a.m. Ladies' Bible Study

Sunday, October 18

9:30 a.m. Worship Service
Offerings: Habitat for Humanity, Christian Ed.
10:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Catechism
6:00 p.m. Worship Service
Offering: Orange City Hospice
7:30 p.m. Growing in Christ Fellowship
Refreshments: Zylstras, Bykers

General Announcements

Celebration: Jim Goslinga celebrated his 90th birthday on Friday! In honor of this, the Goslinga family is providing cupcakes after the service this morning. Please stay and celebrate with Jim and Marilyn.

Monthly Verses: Psalm 119:11-13: "I have stored up your word in my heart, that I might not sin against you. Blessed are you, O Lord; teach me your statutes! With my lips I declare all the rules of your mouth."

GEMS: GEMS will meet on Wednesday, October 14 at Immanuel CRC from 6:45-8:30 p.m. Please wear your GEMS shirt, take along a Bible, pen/pencil and your badge book.

Chili Cookoff: Join us on October 21 for an evening of food, fellowship, and fun! A sign-up sheet is available in the fellowship hall for those who would like to participate by making a chili. We also ask everyone planning to attend to sign up so we can make sure we have plenty of food for all. Please sign up by next Sunday, October 18. Come enjoy a fun evening together!

Family Visiting for October 12, 2026 – 7:00 p.m.

Rev. Stephen Terpstra and Brent Nykamp
Jim & Marilyn Goslinga, Nate & Christina Zuiderveen
Rev. Jordan Helming and Don Snieder
Heidi Griess, Henry & Joyce Dykstra
Rod De Groot and Mike Byker
Everly Visser
Gary Jeltema and Doug Schuller
Allison Timmermans, Warren & Ruth Dekkers

Serving in Ministry

	Today (10/11)	Next Sunday (10/18)
AM Refreshments	Mark & Cindy Huizenga Ed & Ethel Kruid	Brice & Lanae Kroeze Arlin & Karen Klein
AM Nursery	Audrey Schuller Anita Jeltema Carter Schuller	Denise Schuller Jennifer Noteboom Janelle Zuiderveen
Children and Worship	Leader: Jenn Mills Helper: Sarah Pluim	Leader: Lindsey Van Schepen Helper: Heidi De Groot
PM Nursery	Kristi Reinders Josie Nykamp	Janice Hamming Lilia Van Schepen
Greeters	SE-Orv & Joyce Bruxvoort FHW-Ken & Dawn Beukelman	SE-Gord & Pat Bruxvoort FHW-Grant & Heidi De Groot
Media	Carson Noteboom Grant De Groot Gary Jeltema Jon Hellinga	Phil Kuiken Nicholas Noteboom Ryan Raines Matt Van Schepen
Intentional Greeter	AM-Nate Zuiderveen PM-Loren Dykstra	AM-Brian Kroeze PM-Ryan Noteboom

Advanced Notices:

October 21 – Chili Cookoff

October 25 – Combined Reformation Service at Calvary, 5:00 p.m.

For online giving to First CRC - OC, use this QR code and visit give.tithe.ly

Tithe.ly