

**October 4, 2020**

**IMMANUEL CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH  
SCHOOL & COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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*THE CHURCH OFFICE is open Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday 8:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m.  
Please submit all bulletin and announcement materials by 9:00 a.m. Thursday morning.*

**Sheldon Christian**

- **Music Makers:** Sheldon Christian is offering Music Makers for children 3 years old through 5 years old. The class will be held on Monday mornings from October 19 until November 23 from 11:30 a.m.-12:10 p.m. Mrs. Barb Stuit will be teaching the class. Cost is \$25.00. Please contact Mrs. Dykstra to sign up at 324-2429 or [jdykstra@sheldonchristianschool.org](mailto:jdykstra@sheldonchristianschool.org)

**Sheldon Community**

- **Fall Musical Announcement:** Due to a variety of complications related to COVID-19, the Fall Musical at Sheldon High School has been postponed to next spring (date not yet determined) .

**Unity**

- **Unity is seeking to hire a school nurse, effective immediately.** The nurse will help UCHS fulfill its mission by providing medical and wellness services in accordance with Iowa nursing practices. This position is part time for 3.5 hours a day. To view the job description and to access an application about the position, visit our website: <https://www.unitychristian.net/employment>. To discuss the position, please contact Wayne Dykstra at 712-737-4114 or at [wdykstra@unitychristian.net](mailto:wdykstra@unitychristian.net).

**Western**

- **Western Christian Chamber Singers are selling Butter Braids.** They are \$14 - \$14.50 each and come in a variety of flavors. Profits will be used towards their tour next spring. If interested see the flyer on the Connections table for more information and contact Kyler Heemsker. Thanks for your support!

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**Community Announcements**

**Looking for a supportive community to grow and learn?** Love INC will be starting a new session of Loving Help classes. Classes will be held Thursday evenings from October 8 - December 17 from 6:30-7:30 p.m. and are available for anyone interested in attending. Call the Love INC office at 712-324-9707 to register for the following classes:

- Faith and Finances is for anyone desiring to become more financially secure—people with not a lot of extra room in their budget, those wanting to tackle debt or build a savings account, etc.
- Positive Parenting is for parents and caregivers of children of all ages—those looking for guidance and suggestions, those who feel alone in the parenting journey, or people looking for additional tools for parenting, etc.
- English for Adult Students is for people of any level of proficiency who want to learn the English language.
- Bible Study is for anyone looking to deepen their understanding of the Bible.

**Jazz Concert:** The Dordt University Music Department will present a 4th Avenue Jazz concert on Friday, October 16 at 3:00 p.m. in the B.J. Haan Auditorium. Featured on the concert will be the 4th Avenue Singers and 4th Avenue Band. Come for an afternoon of big band standards, pop covers, easy-listening jazz tunes, and more. Contact the Music Department office to secure your free tickets at 712-722-6222 or [anna.bartlett@dordt.edu](mailto:anna.bartlett@dordt.edu), as seating is limited due to the coronavirus pandemic. Masks are required for all attendees and seating will be socially distanced. Dordt University continues to monitor how COVID-19 affects our campus and community. Please visit [dordt.edu/updates](http://dordt.edu/updates) on the day of the event to see if there are any restrictions on in-person attendance or cancellations.

**Inspiration Hills LIVE & ONLINE Fall Auction** will be held Friday, October 23. You will have a chance to view items, register to bid, and check out more details by visiting our website at [www.inspirationhills.org](http://www.inspirationhills.org)! Doors open at 6:30 p.m. with bidding to start at 7:00 p.m. Refreshments will be served. We hope to see you in person or online to support Inspiration Hills!

**Teen Battle of the Brains State-Wide Smackdown** will be held Wednesday, October 28 at 6:30 p.m., sponsored by the Sheldon Public Library. Show off your smarts and compete, via Zoom, against teens from other libraries in Iowa! There will be five rounds of questions covering books, movies, music, graphic novels, gaming, and current events. Don't hide that big brain! Your hobby, fandom, or celebrity crush might just give your team the edge! For ages 12 and older. Pick up a flyer on the Connections table. Call Annie at the library if you need more information (324-2442).

**The Medicare Open Enrollment period, October 15-December 7**, is the one time all year when you can review and compare your current Medicare Part D drug plan or Medicare Advantage with new options for 2021—and make changes for 2021. You could find lower costs, better coverage, or both. Call your local SHIIP office at 712-957-5579 or email [SHIIPOBrienCounty@gmail.com](mailto:SHIIPOBrienCounty@gmail.com) for free confidential help comparing plans.