

April 13, 2025

**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 SCHOOL

- **We are hiring! Current job openings are:**
 - Administrator (full time, benefits)
 - Afternoon Preschool Teacher (4 days)
 - Aide in Lower Elementary (mornings 12-14 hours/week)
 - Aide in Lower Elementary (approx. 32 hours/week, benefits)
 - Bible Teacher 6th – 8th grade (50% position)
 - SCRIP Coordinator (Monday & Thursday, 6-8 hours/week)
 - Assistant Cook (10am – 1pm, 3-5 days/week, flexible)

For more information on these positions call the school office (712-324-2429) or email mschoonhoven@sheldonchristianschool.org.

UNITY

- **We invite all Unity supporters to attend the Unity Society Meeting** on Tuesday, April 22 at 7:00 p.m. in the Knight Center. Supporters of the school are encouraged to attend to hear about our financial reports, our strategic vision and to vote to approve the 25-26 budget. Board members will be elected as well. Supporters will elect one of the two nominees from each of the following groups; Partner Society - Rebecca Hanson and Nigel Millard; At Large - Mike Calkhoven and Matt Boogerd; Living Water - Teri Bos and Matt Mellema. You can learn about each candidate on our school website.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

DORDT UNIVERSITY – Speaker event postponed: Dr. Abram Bicksler's talk on Monday, April 14 has been cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances. We look forward to rescheduling this in the fall and will send out an announcement once the date has been confirmed. For questions or more information, please contact Helen Zeutenhorst at helen.zeutenhorst@dordt.edu

From the Sheldon Christian Retirement Home

- **We're hiring!** Current job opening is for a full-time maintenance person to perform a variety of tasks relating to the upkeep and maintenance of CRH buildings and grounds. Wage is dependent on qualifications and experience. Benefits include health insurance, paid time off, and holiday pay. If you would like the opportunity to join our team, please call the CRH office (712-324-2861).
- **Come and meet the Orange City Tulip Festival Queen and her court** on Monday, April 14 at 10:00 a.m. in the main lobby of the Sheldon Christian Retirement Home.

Good Friday Breakfast: The Prairie Queen Kiwanis Club is sponsoring their annual Good Friday Breakfast on Friday, April 18 at 6:30 a.m. in the Sheldon Middle School Commons. Reservations are not required. Suggested donations of \$12 per person will be taken for the meal.

Good Friday Passion Play: Save the date and plan on attending the 39th production of the Osceola County Community Ministerial Association Good Friday Passion Play. For almost four decades, the play has been a favorite way for people to prepare to celebrate Easter. The play begins with the triumphant entry of Jesus and the apostles into Jerusalem on Palm Sunday and culminates with the cross at Calvary. Share the experience and witness this pivotal historical point as you prepare to celebrate the resurrection on Easter morning. Three performances will be at 5:00 p.m., 7:00 p.m., and 9:00 p.m. at the Sibley-Ocheyedan High School Auditorium in Sibley, IA on Friday, April 18. Free tickets are available and may be reserved by calling 712-754-2945 or by emailing ocmapassionplay@gmail.com. Church groups and organizations may request enough tickets for their entire group. Reserved tickets may be picked up after 4:00 p.m. on Friday, April 18 at the S-O high school auditorium.

MIK+ YOUNG ADULTS (19-29 year old singles) is a sister ministry to MINNIKOTA YOUTH (MIK YOUTH) which serves the 6th-8th grades & 9th-12th grades. Both of these ministries are supported by three Christian Reformed Classis (Minnkota, Iakota, and Heartland). MIK Youth has been around a long time, but MIK+ Young Adults is NEW! We are working at getting the word out about this awesome ministry opportunity for our young adult singles in our regional CR Churches.

MIK+ YOUNG ADULTS...Watch the Minnikota Youth facebook page for more info and updates!

- Saturday, April 19 (Bible Study): We will be eating a meal together starting at 6:00 p.m. and then studying the book of Numbers at Bridge of Hope CRC Youth Building 43 2nd Street NE, Sioux Center). **Please RSVP by April 16** to Lee De Groot at 712 470 4244. Invite a friend.

Northwest Iowa Symphony Orchestra performs Brahms Requiem: NISO invites you to join them for a special performance of the Brahms Requiem for orchestra, choir, and soloists on Tuesday, April 15 at 7:30 p.m. in the BJ Haan Auditorium on the campus of Dordt University. Featured on this concert will be the Sioux County Oratorio Chorus, Dordt University Concert Choir, Shannon Salyards-Burton (soprano), Mitchell Widmer (baritone), and guest conductor Dr. Ryan Smit. General admission tickets can be purchased at the door or at www.nisoiowa.org.

National Day of Prayer Worship Service: Join in a chorus of worship and prayer during the 2025 National Day of Prayer on Thursday, May 1 at Bethel Reformed Church (611 6th Ave, Sheldon) beginning at 6:30 p.m. We will gather around the theme of "Hope for the Generations". This event is sponsored by the Sheldon Area Ministerial Association, Rise Ministries, and Honor God Ministries.