

**July 20, 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**

**• SUMMER SCRIP:**

- Upcoming Schedule

Orders Due (9:00 a.m.)	Order Pick Up (1:00 – 4:00 p.m.)
Monday, July 21	Thursday, July 24
Monday, July 28 – No SCRIP this week	
- The drop box is available at school for all orders to be dropped off.
- SCRIP orders for the summer will be available for pick up AT THE SCHOOL OFFICE.
- Other options for ordering SCRIP: Use the app and get ecards and you can choose home delivery!
- More summer SCRIP information can be found in the SCRIP mailbox at church. (DO NOT PUT SCRIP ORDERS THERE).

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**COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**FREE Sheldon Area Unity Meal** will be held at Living Water Community Church in Sheldon on Monday, July 21 from 5:30 – 6:30 p.m. Take a night off from cooking and come share a meal with the community!

**Shop-with-a-Cop:**

- Love INC and law enforcement agencies will be hosting Shop-With-a-Cop the evenings of Tuesday, August 5 and Wednesday, August 6. Many volunteers are needed to help kids shop for new school clothes! Please let us know if you are interested in helping by calling 712-324-9707 by August 4.
- Our church has been asked to collect school supplies for this project. A complete list is on the Connections table. Please bring your donations to church by Sunday, July 27!

**Join Sanborn Christian School for a 1 Mile Fun Run/5K Run** on Saturday, July 26. Runner check in 7:15 – 7:45 a.m.; shot gun start at 8:00 a.m. To register go to: <https://www.eventbrite.com/o/5k-committee-47187898153>.

**Frozen Sweet Corn Fundraiser:** Sheldon First CRC will be preparing sweet corn to be sold frozen in quart-sized bags for their annual Christian Education fundraiser. Order forms are on the Connections table along with a collection box. Order online by going to <https://form.jotform.com/211864917361157> or scan the QR code on the bulletin board next to the secretary's office. Pick up date is Saturday, July 26. Ears of sweet corn will also be sold locally at HyVee, Fareway, and Laura's Vintage Therapy.

**BIBLE LEAGUE SUPPORTERS:** You're invited to the *BEYOND YESTERDAY* conference, hosted by Bible League Volunteers on September 8-9 at Bethel CRC in Sioux Center. Renowned therapist and bestselling author, Jason VanRuler is our keynote speaker. For details and registration, visit [bibleleague.org/tickets](http://bibleleague.org/tickets).

**Summer Meal Fundraiser:** Love INC is serving a free-will donation meal on Monday, July 28 from 5:00-7:00 p.m. at First Christian Reformed Church in Sheldon. Smoked pulled pork, baked beans, watermelon, potato chips, and ice cream floats will be offered.

**Alzheimer's Fundraiser Night:** Do you have a family member or other loved one dealing with Alzheimer's Disease? The Iowa Chapter of the Alzheimer's Association, along with our corporate partner, Edward Jones, is hosting a Taco Johns "Crunch for a Cause" night on Monday, August 11 from 3:00 – 7:00 p.m. All funds raised will go to support research to find new treatments and a cure for this cruel disease. In Iowa alone, 62,100 people live with Alzheimer's disease and this number continues to grow! Please come out and you're your support!

**Called to Be a Voice:** In Scripture, we're called to "speak up for those who cannot speak for themselves." CASA volunteers do just that. They serve as the voice of children in foster care, ensuring their needs are not overlooked and their well-being remains at the center of every decision. CASA stands for Court Appointed Special Advocate, and volunteers take on just one case at a time—advocating for the best interest of a child in court, in school, and in the community. It's a unique and impactful way to serve, especially for those who feel called to help vulnerable children in their community. Volunteers come from all walks of life, and no legal experience is needed—just a heart for kids and a few hours a month. Want to learn more? Visit [hhs.iowa.gov/CASA](http://hhs.iowa.gov/CASA) or call 1-866-448-4608. Let's be the hands and feet of Jesus to the children who need us most. Thank you so much for considering this simple but powerful way to make a difference.

**Timothy Leadership Training:** The 2025 TLT Summit is coming to Orange City in September. Sessions will be held at Calvary CRC in Orange City Thursday, September 25 (5:30 p.m.) through Saturday, September 27 (12:00 p.m.). The Summit will include training and certification in the following: Inspirational Trustworthy Leadership, Introduction to 4 new TLT modules, Personal Testimonies, and TLT recognitions. All meals are included. To register or if hotel accommodations are needed contact Del Walinga at [walingadj@gmail.com](mailto:walingadj@gmail.com) or 712-541-9403. The registration fee is \$25 per person. Registration is due by August 15.

**Paul's Missionary Journeys in Greece (April 3 - 13, 2026):** Travel by motor coach (6 days) and cruise ship (3 days) to sites connected with Paul's second and third missionary journeys, as well as visit other major sites of biblical, archaeological, and cultural interest. Jeff Weima, professor at Calvin Theological Seminary and leading Pauline scholar, hosts this inspirational tour. For more information, contact Dr. Weima at [616-328-3110](tel:616-328-3110) or [weimje@calvinseminary.edu](mailto:weimje@calvinseminary.edu).