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**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.

Unity

- **Fall Concert:** The Unity Christian High School Music Department invites you to join them for an evening of music on Tuesday, October 18 beginning at 7:00 p.m. in the Knight Center. The concert will feature the choirs, symphonic band, and orchestra.
- **Middle school students and parents,** you're invited to join us for our Middle School Open House at Unity Christian on Monday, October 24 from 7:00-8:30 p.m. We will meet in the Knight Center and break out into sectionals to learn more about Unity Christian! We hope to see you there!

Community Announcements

FREE Sheldon Area Unity Meal will be held Monday, October 17 from 5:30-6:30 p.m. at Living Water Community Church in Sheldon. The meal is served buffet-style. A bag of groceries will be available for pick-up following the meal.

Timothy Leadership Training: October 10th is the registration deadline for the Timothy Leadership Training opportunity to be held Friday evening, October 28th and Saturday, October 29th at Calvary CRC in Orange City. The registration fee is \$25.00 per person. A few motel rooms are available free of charge for those traveling any distance. If you are interested in attending please contact Del Walinga at 712-541-9403 or email pliglobal1@gmail.com for additional details or to answer any questions.

From the Dordt University Music Department:

- The Dordt University Music Department presents guest pianist Mark Valenti in a recital on Friday, October 21 at 7:30 p.m. in the B.J. Haan Auditorium. Mark Valenti received his Master of Music from Northwestern University, Bachelor of Music from the Philadelphia Musical Academy and has studied with such notable teachers as Benjamin Whitten, Zoltan Kocsis and Mary Sauer. In addition to giving solo recitals in cities throughout the U.S., Mr. Valenti has performed in France, Belgium, Hungary and Luxembourg as well as for former First Lady Barbara Bush in Washington, D.C.

M.E.A.T. Event for Men: Do you enjoy hanging out with other men that share common interests? Fishermen love to swap stories & hunters like to share their latest big kill. Whatever your interests, chances are there are other men that enjoy the "thing" that you do as well. Come hang out and enjoy a **FREE** meal and "meet" some other men at M.E.A.T. (Men Eating Animals Together)! There will be a great speaker while we have lunch and a corn hole tournament to follow if you are interested. This event will take place at the RiseFest grounds on Saturday, October 22 from 12:00 – 3:00 p.m. Please register for the event by going to this link: <https://Meneatinganimalstogether.eventbrite.com>. If you have questions, please contact Kris Lien at 712-324-1500 or email him at krislien1@gmail.com. Sponsored by RISE Ministries.

INSPIRATION HILLS EVENTS

Dueling Pianos Fundraiser: Don't miss out on a fun, fast-paced musical and comedy entertainment on Saturday, October 22 at Bethany Reformed Church in Canton, SD. This evening was set up as a fundraiser for Inspiration Hills Camp and Retreat Center. There will be a dinner at 5:30 p.m. with the dueling pianos starting at 6:15 p.m. Come and enjoy an unforgettable night with two incredibly talented musicians playing our favorite songs on their grand pianos! Tickets are \$30 per person and may be purchased at www.inspirationhill.org/fundraiser.

Senior High Fall Retreat: Join us for a special retreat that is specifically geared towards high schoolers on Friday, November 4 and Saturday, November 5! This retreat would be great for your youth group or come with a friend for a full night of fun, adventure, and great activities while still having a good amount of free time to connect and build on existing relationships. We will provide an environment in making the Word of God practical towards the high schoolers through small/large group discussions and great messages from our guest speaker, Ross Van Kley a Youth and Discipleship Pastor from First Reformed Church of Hull, IA.

To register for this unforgettable 'mini' camp, visit inspirationhills.org/senior-high-retreat/ by October 21st! Youth Group will pay for a portion of the retreat if you want to register.

Art of Parenting: Join us on November 11-12 as we partnered with FamilyLife's Art of Parenting Small Group Series. This 8-session, video-based study is designed to not only help parents find new ways to integrate faith into everyday parenting moments, but also to create an environment where parents can shoulder burdens together, celebrate breakthroughs, and relate to one another's day-to-day parenting journey. Register today and stay in our private rooms or cabins by, visiting inspirationhills.org/art-of-parenting/. Early bird registration through October 21 is \$25/person. After that cost increases to \$50/person.

Register for a high school experience of a lifetime! Tri-State Teens Encounter Christ (TEC) is accepting applications for the upcoming weekend at the First Reformed Church in Hull, Iowa. TEC is an interdenominational three day Christian retreat designed to help high schoolers learn more about their faith and their community. The next TEC is November 18-20, 2022. If you would like to learn more about TEC or register, please visit www.TriStateTEC.org or email TriStateTEC@gmail.com. The cost is \$50 and includes a t-shirt, all meals, and other special gifts. Scholarships are available upon request.