

Bulletin for Sunday, June 14, 2026

WORSHIP NOTES

- **Pastor:** Rev Scott Van Voorst will open God's Word for us.
- **Scripture:** Acts 3:1-10
- **Sermon:** "Healing and Hope"
- **Theme:** In the name of Jesus, we find hope for wholeness and closeness to God we could never achieve or earn. He lifts us up, draws us into relationship with himself, and advances his kingdom through our changed lives.
- **Offerings:** General Fund and Cornerstone Prison Church. Cornerstone Prison Church is in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, and is a church inside the walls of the South Dakota State Penitentiary. Their mission is to help men develop into faithful disciples of Jesus Christ, both for life on the inside and hopefully on the outside of the institution. from local individuals, businesses & churches. To learn more, go to: <http://www.midsioux.org/>
- **Next Sunday:** Dr Kyle Dieleman will bring our message.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OUR CHILDREN:

- A **NURSERY** is provided for children from birth through 2 years old. **Nursery is held in the school's music room. It's to your left and down the hallway when exiting the gym. Look for the banner!**
- **PROMISE LAMBS** is for children 3 through TK. They are dismissed part-way through the service and can meet their teachers by the gym door. **Promise Lambs is on summer break and will resume in September.**
- **SUNDAY SCHOOL** for TK/K through high school immediately following the worship service. **Sunday School is on summer break and will resume in September.**

CONNECT & UNITE *(Youth Group for 6th-8th grade {CONNECT} and 9th-12th grade {UNITE})*

- June 14: BIKE N FEAST event for CONNECT + UNITE
 - 5:00-6:15ish
- July 24-31: UNITE El Salvador Trip
- Also, ***please prayerfully consider being a CONNECT or UNITE leader this coming year and on! Kira needs male/female leaders for the coming year who are willing to intentionally walk alongside students for at least the year (preferably longer, especially if they're a leader for middle school). Two males and 2 females are needed for CONNECT, and 2 people (either male or female) for UNITE. These kids need people who care and want to spend time with them/mentor them. It is not just babysitting or chaperoning; it is ministry and discipleship! Reach out to Kira with any questions or if you are interested! We always have a good time and would love to have you join us. :^)***

New Shepherds:

- Those chosen to serve as Shepherds for the next 3 years are: Pastoral—Angela Perigo and Henry Vander Pol; Service—Jay Ouwinga and Koty Vande Griend.
 - We thank those who have faithfully served the past 3 years: Robb De Haan, Tim Foreman, Klay Byker, and Marcus Van Zee.
- New Shepherds will be installed during the worship service on June 28.
 - That afternoon, the incoming, outgoing and incumbent Shepherds will meet for Council Orientation.

Thank you to everyone who helped with serving the Hope Food Pantry! You were a blessing to many. Thanks for allowing God to work through you in this way!

**SUNDAY MORNING
SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Would you like an announcement made on a Sunday morning before or during the worship service? If so, please fill out the Sunday morning announcement form. Please submit the form by the Thursday before the Sunday you would like the announcement made, preferably earlier if possible. The form can be found [here](#). If at the last minute there's an unexpected announcement that needs to be made, please contact our worship coordinator, Becky R or Pastor Sam or Pastor Gail.

Additional announcements can be found in the Community Activities Sheet, a weekly publication of activities/events pertaining to churches in our community. It originated because of the repetitive nature of common announcements. A link to it can be found on our website under What's Happening/Bulletin.

Koinonia Prayer Requests: Prayer requests on Sunday mornings at Bridge of Hope have historically been taken verbally during worship. To help make sharing requests more accessible to all, a google form has been created so that people can share requests at a different time and method than verbally on Sunday morning. Prayer requests submitted this way will be included in the email that gets sent to the body each week on either Monday or Tuesday. *(Please note: Any prayer request submitted after the Koinonia Prayer email has been sent that week, or after Tuesday, will wait to be emailed out until the following week. Also, requests made here will not be verbalized on Sunday mornings by the Pastoral Shepherd leading Koinonia Prayer.)* Follow the QR Code to submit an online prayer request.

CONGREGATIONAL ASSIGNMENTS

<p>Today, June 14 Nursery: Lindsey VP, Jaevyn O, Taiya P Coffee Service Setup (before church): Jill VS Coffee Service Cleanup (after church): Wynia, D&A Shepherd Duties: Ellen K, Klay B Outside door greeter: Additional Mic Runner: Aimee VM Check-ins: Jill VS, Cindy G, Lindsey VP</p>	<p>Next Sunday, June 21 Nursery: Payton H, Joel VP, Lucas F Coffee Service Setup (before church): Lance W Coffee Service Cleanup (after church): Boer, G&M Shepherd Duties: Christina P Outside door greeter: Zach P Additional Mic Runner: Check-ins: Cindy G, Lindsey VP, Ruth R</p>
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OUR CHURCH FAMILY

This week, the community of believers in Sioux Center is praying for the congregation of United Reformed and Pastor Jon Bushnell.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Sunday Worship • 9:30am • Intermediate School Gym • 950 4th Ave NE
 Offices/Ministry Center address • 43 2nd Street NE (Offices located 1 block south & ½ block east of the downtown stoplight)
 Office Hours • Tuesday and Thursday 9-12 & 1-4
 Website • www.bridgecrc.org Like us at www.facebook.com/BOHMinistry

STAFF & LEADERSHIP INFORMATION

Pastor of Preaching & Community Engagement	Sam Ashmore	
Pastor of Preaching & Discipleship	Gail Ashmore	
Administrative Assistant	Ruth Ruter	
Congregational Caregiver	Aimee VanMiddendorp	
Congregational Caregiver	Mark Borger	
Worship Coordinator	Becky Ringsby	
Sunday School Director	Sarah Stoub	
Youth Director	Kira Ouwinga	
Treasurer	Cindy Groeneweg	
Council	Robb De Haan, Chair	
Pastoral Shepherds	Daren Dieleman, Chair	
Service Shepherds	Klay Byker, Chair	

GIVING BACK / WAYS TO TITHE

- ❖ **Online:** go to Bridge’s website (www.bridgecrc.org) and hit the “give” button on the home page; or go to <https://bridgecrc.churchcenter.com/giving>
- ❖ **Giving App:** Instructions on how to use the online giving app: <https://pcogiving.zendesk.com/hc/en-us/articles/217380608-Give-Online-with-Church-Center>
- ❖ **Text-to-give:** First time users: Text 84321. Click on the link sent back to you, select Bridge of Hope, add an email address, and enter your payment information. Or follow these instructions: <https://pcogiving.zendesk.com/hc/en-us/articles/217380608-Give-Online-with-Church-Center>. After the initial set up, just text 84321, enter in the amount you would like to give and hit send. (Only the dollar amount is needed if it is to the General Fund. If it’s to the second offering indicate dollar amount and “second” {i.e., \$10 second}; if it’s to the Building Fund indicate amount and “building” {i.e., \$10 building}.)
- ❖ **Drop off at or mail to:** Bridge of Hope; 43 2nd Street NE; Sioux Center

BRIDGE CONNECTION GROUPS

The body is divided alphabetically (by last names) into groups with an assigned Pastoral & Service Shepherd to offer care and support. Feel free to contact your Shepherd should a need arise. The groups are as follows:

	Pastoral Shepherd	Service Shepherd
A-B	Robb De Haan	Reggie Hostetler
C-G	Christina Postma	Brandon Huisman
H-M	Daren Dieleman	Klay Byker
N-T	Tim Foreman	Marcus Van Zee
U-Z	Ellen Korver	Tom Coulander



NOTE: At the Intermediate School, near the entrance to the building, a FIRST AID KIT can be found on a small table; an AED (AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR) can be found on the wall in that same area.