

INWOOD CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH  
December 7, 2025

NURSERY:	<u>Infant/Toddler—9:30 a.m. &amp; 6:00 p.m.</u> Nic & Shirley Van Engen family	
Next Week:	<u>Infant / Toddler—9:30 a.m. &amp; 6:00 p.m.</u> Troy & Abbey Van Beek family	
Coffee Servers:	Today: Craig & Sharon Landegent Jim & Deb Bleeker	Next Week: Gerrit & Helma Davelaar Galen & Julie Vande Vegte
SOUND:	Today: Justin Bonnema	Next Week: Dolan Van De Stroet
POWERPOINT:	Today: Brystol Berentschot	Next Week: Micah Van Beek
LIVESTREAM:	Today: Karsen Van Beek	Next Week: Mark Leusink
PIANO :	Today: Marge	Next Week: Brenda
MAILBOXES:	Dec 14: Sandy Hanson	Dec 21: Gerald & Lavina Brands
GREETERS:	Today: Gerald & Lavina Brands	Next Week: Gerrit & Helma Davelaar
VALET PARKER:	Today: Kyler Van Voorst	Next Week: Todd Folkerts
SAFE CHURCH:	Today: Darrin Van De Stroet	Next Week: Jackson Johnson
CHILDREN & WORSHIP:	This week— Abbey Van Beek & Kent Leusink — Lesson 12 Next week — Jessica Bonnema & Seth Leusink — Lesson 13	

DECEMBER USHERS: Verlyn Van Voorst, Todd Lems, Mike De Vries

PRAYING FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY: Please keep the following church families in your prayers this week: *Justin & Jessica Bonnema, Roger & Gracia Bootsma, and Rev. Roger Bouwman.*

SCHEDULE FOR DECEMBER 7-13

Sunday	9:30 am —Morning Worship Service 11:00 am —Sunday School / Catechism classes 6:00 pm —Evening Worship Service
Wednesday	3:45 –5pm — Christmas Program Practice 7:00 pm —Cadets / GEMS

Worship

TODAY: This week Sunday morning we welcome Rev. Bernie Haan. Rev. Haan will continue his series of sermons that cover the names for Jesus as prophesied by Isaiah. He will also lead us in the celebration of the Lord’s Supper. This evening we welcome Dan Tracy from Orange City. Dan will continue his series in the book of James.

NEXT WEEK: Next week Sunday morning we welcome Dan Tracy. He will continue his series on James. During the morning service, our children grades pre-k—4th will perform the Christmas Program. For the evening service we welcome Rev. Bernie Haan as he continues his series of sermons on the names for Jesus as prophesied by Isaiah.

**Our Church Family**

**SENIOR BIRTHDAY:** Congratulations to Sadie Kortemeyer who will celebrate her 83rd birthday on Wednesday, December 10. We wish Sadie a very happy day, and a blessed year ahead.

**PRAYERS:** Doug Vande Bosch is still suffering from back pain. He is anticipating having surgery in the near future. Please keep him in your prayers.

**Offerings**

**THIS WEEK:** Our offering this week will be for Inwood Christian School, and a food offering for The Manna Market. There will be baskets by the sanctuary doors for your food offerings.

**NEXT WEEK:** Our offering next week will be for the Cherish Center. This is a community that is dedicated to helping women and their children. They offer pregnancy services that include safe housing, supportive staff, and knowledge-based programs to help each one of our residents as they navigate their way through some of life’s most significant changes.

**Announcements**

**PROGRAM PRACTICE:** The preschool thru 4th grade kids are invited to participate in the Christmas Program that will take place during the morning worship service on December 14. We will have practice Wednesday, December 10. The kids can come directly to church after school and get a snack before we get started around 3:45pm. You may pick them up at 5:00 pm. Please communicate with Abbi Davelaar or Abbey Van Beek if you have any questions.

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGES:** Worship Committee is looking for volunteers to do a children’s message. If you are willing to do this, there is a sign up sheet on the back table. Thank you in advance for assisting in the worship services.

**SECOND SUNDAY POTLUCK:** Join us next week Sunday evening, December 14 for our Second Sunday Potluck. HOF #3 is in charge of setting up. Facilitators: Roger Bouwman, Caleb Jones and Justin Bonnema.

**SHARE YOUR TALENTS:** The Worship Committee is looking for musicians willing to share their talents during this Advent season. Please contact Abbi Davelaar at 712-470-4894 if you are willing to provide a musical number for a prelude in December.

**GIVING TREE:** This Christmas our church family will be collecting new hats, gloves, and scarves for both adults and children that we will gift to The Banquet and to the Union Gospel Mission in Sioux Falls. In addition, we will be collecting toiletry items to bless the members of Freedom’s Gate church, also located in Sioux Falls. Toiletry items can include shampoo, conditioner, body wash, deodorant, lotion, and toothpaste. Please bring your donations to the boxes that will be placed underneath the Giving Tree located in the Fellowship Hall anytime between Sunday, November 30 through Sunday, December 14. Thank you for being the hands and feet of Jesus in this way!

**Requested Announcements**

**INWOOD CHRISTIAN:** The Inwood Christian School Board will be meeting on Monday, December 8 at 7:00 p.m. in the school office.

**WESTERN CHRISTIAN:** The WCHS Christmas Concert is Monday, December 15 at the Western Event Center. The bands and orchestra will begin at 7:00 p.m. with the vocal portion of the evening beginning at 8:00 p.m. Please make plans to join us!

**DECEMBER OFFERINGS**

DEC 7	Inwood Christian school / Food offering for Manna Market
DEC 14	Cherish Center / Milford, IA
DEC 21	Gideons
DEC 28	Stepping Forward

**November Monthly Envelope Amounts**

Budget	\$	67,952.61
ICS	\$	1,230.00
Evangelism	\$	5,025.00
Video & Sound	\$	1,000.00
Benevolent Fund	\$	1,130.00
CCEF	\$	4,155.00

**November Special Cause Offering Amounts**

ICS	\$	837.00
Aeorpagus	\$	748.00
Crossroads Bible Inst.	\$	608.00
Freedom’s Gate	\$	1,000.00
Manna market	\$	4,915.31
WL Backpack	\$	4,805.31
Healing Room	\$	4,805.32
Inspiration Hills	\$	636.00
Shoebox Expense	\$	818.00