

INWOOD CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH
September 6, 2026

NURSERY: Infant/Toddler—9:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.
Nic & Shirley Van Engen

NEXT WEEK: Infant/Toddler—9:30 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.
Josh & Jessica Van Grouw

Coffee Servers:	Today: Todd & Dawn Folkerts	Next Week: Mike & Karen De Vries
SOUND:	Today: Mike Knobloch	Next Week: Justin Bonnema
POWERPOINT:	Today: Tena Leusink	Next Week: Nora Davelaar
LIVESTREAM:	Today: Mark Leusink	Next Week: Karsen Van Beek
PIANO :	Today: Brenda	Next Week: Heidi
MAILBOXES:	Sept 13: Helma Davelaar	Sept 20: Shirley Van Engen
GREETERS:	Today: Gerald & Lavina Brands	Next Week: Gerrit & Helma Davelaar
SAFE CHURCH:	Today: Kyler Van Voorst	Next Week: Matthew De Vries
SEPTEMBER USHERS:	Chad Berentschot, Brian Jacobsma, Kelly Blankespoor	

PRAYING FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY: Please keep the following church families in your prayers this week: *Eugene Eisma, Brownie Faber and Craig & Donna Faber.*

SCHEDULE FOR SEPTEMBER 6-12

Sunday	9:30 am —Morning Worship Service
	6:00 pm —Evening Worship Service
Thursday	1:00 pm —Circle of Faith Bible Study

Worship

TODAY: This week Sunday morning we welcome Rev. Scott Van Voorst, who serves as the South Dakota State Penitentiary Pastor. For our evening service we welcome Pastor Evan Ver Steeg. Pastor Evan grew up in the Inwood area, and is currently the Pastor at Quest Assembly of God Church in Dell Rapids, SD.

NEXT WEEK: Next week Sunday morning we welcome Rev. Wayne Kobes, a retired professor from Dordt University. Rev Henry Lengkeek will lead us in the evening worship service.

Offerings

THIS WEEK: Our offering this week will be for Inwood Christian School, and a food offering for The Manna Market. Money collected for Inwood Christian will go directly into the operating fund..

NEXT WEEK: Our offering next week will be for Sewing for Missions. Our community’s Days for Girls program has been making personal hygiene kits for young women. Each kit costs about \$10 for supplies for them to sew and assemble. They meet once a month in our church and store their supplies here as well. Our kits have gone to: Haiti, with STEMM to Tanzania, Honduras, Mexico, Guatemala, with World Renew to Africa, Uganda, Malawi, Liberia, and Ethiopia. We thank you for your donations and support!

Our Church Family

THANK YOU: We want to express our thanks to our church family for all your support over the past year. Your kindness was shown in many ways, whether it was stopping by for a visit, bringing food, or praying for our family. It was all very much appreciated! *"And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him"* Colossians 3:17
— Brenda De Vries, Kurt & Kay Devries and Family

SENIOR BIRTHDAY: Happy Birthday to Eugene Eisma! Eugene will be 97 on Thursday. Praise God for his many years!

SECOND SUNDAY POTLUCK: Make plans to join us after the evening service, next week, September 13 for our Second Sunday Potluck! HOF #2 will assist with set up and clean up.

PRAYERS: Sadie Kortemeyer has been in Canton Inwood Hospital. They are trying to determine why she is short of breath. Prayers for answers and healing.

EVANGELISM COMMITTEE: Envelope giving to Evangelism has decreased significantly since the beginning of 2026, we ask you to prayerfully consider making a gift to support this important ministry. Evangelism funds are used to support domestic and foreign missions, including evangelistic efforts right here in our local community. Thank you for helping us share the Gospel and support the work of those who are bringing the Good New to others. If you have questions, please contact Delmer Scholten.

Announcements

CHILDREN & WORSHIP: We are looking for some caring/loving adults and teenagers/Jr high age to serve as teachers and helpers for this years Children & Worship services. If you are led to assist in this please sign up on the sheet in the back of church, which can be found on the counter. You can also let Summer Folkerts know by texting her at 712-631-9686. *"Start children off on the way they should go, and even when they are old they will not turn from it."* — Proverbs 22:6

SUNDAY SCHOOL/CATECHISM CLASSES: Sunday School and Catechism classes will begin on Sunday, September 13. Parents, please look for class lists, room and teacher assignments in your mailbox today.

GEMS: Gems is gearing up for our next year. Our first meeting will be on September 23rd. We meet on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays from September through April. We minister to girls in grades 3rd thru 8th. We are looking to put together a group of women for our counselor team. Please contact Abbi Davelaar (712-470-4894) or Lindsey Folkerts (712-470-5888) if you are interested in helping out.

PRAISE TEAMS: We would love to welcome anyone who has an interest in singing, playing an instrument, or playing piano to join our Praise Teams this year! We're doing things a little differently by having sign-up sheets for each week that a Praise Team is scheduled instead of designated Praise Team groups. We hope this makes it easier for new people to join in, try it out, and serve when it works for their schedule. We are always looking for additional piano players to help grow our teams! If you've thought about playing but aren't quite sure, this is a great opportunity to give it a try alongside some of our regular pianists. Sign-up sheets will be available on the table in the back of church with additional information and instructions. We would love to see more people use the gifts and talents God has given them to help lead our congregation in worship! Please reach out to Jessica Van Grouw with any questions. **"Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence with singing!" — Psalm 100:2**

Requested Announcements

COMMUNITY WORSHIP GATHERING: Consider joining a community worship gathering on September 9 at 7:00 p.m. in the West Lyon Auditorium. A community worship gathering hosted by area churches uniting as one voice for prayer & praise to strengthen our families, schools, & churches.

SOCKTOBER SOCK & UNDERWEAR DRIVE: As you prepare for the new school year, whether you are shopping for your own family of picking up a few extra items to help others, we invite you to consider supporting our drive! The West Lyon Ed Association with support from a Community grant from ISEA, is collecting new socks and under wear for individuals and families in our community. There is a collection box in the back of church, next to the counter. Please make your donation from now—October 23. All sizes are needed, from infants through adults.—Thank you for your generosity and for helping make a difference in your community!

AT WORK IN THE GARGEN: Join us for At Work in the Garden, the faith and work conference. Rediscover work as worship, calling, and participation ion God’s ongoing work in the world. September 17-19 at Dordt university. Register online at <https://www.dordt.edu/news/registration-open-for-at-work-in-the-garden-conference-on-creativity-cultivation-and-care>

BETHEL WOMEN’S CONFERENCE: Women, when you hear the word HOME, how does our heart feel? What emotions get stirred up deep inside? Join us as we spend the morning reminiscing about HOME — acknowledging the hard while also recognizing the blessings! And then, as scripture tells us, “Let us be reminded that this world is not our permanent home.. That the Lord is preparing a place with HIM, for those who have surrendered and placed their trust and lives in His hands.” Hebrews, 13:14
Hosted by Bethel Reformed Church of Lester, IA Registration opens September 1 with limited seating. Please see the following website for mor information/registration.
Worship, message, brunch, activity, coffee bar and Door prizes.
<http://www.eventbrite.com/e/bethel-womens-conference-2026-tickets-199745070914?aff-oddtcreator>
A flyer can be found on the counter in the Narthex if you are interested.

SEPTEMBER OFFERINGS

Sept 6	Inwood Christian School / Food for Manna Market
Sept 13	Sewing for Missions
Sept 20	Family Connection
Sept 27	Luke Society

AUGUST SPECAIL CAUSES OFFERINGS

Inwood Christian School	\$ 686.00
The Teacher’s Garden	\$ 778.50
Cherish Center	\$ 871.50
Crossroads Bible Institute	\$ 647.00
Inspiration Hills	\$ 1,643.00

AUGUST MONTHLY ENVELOPE AMOUNT

Budget	\$ 19,725.72
Building Fund	\$ 625.00
Inwood Christian School	\$ 230.00
Benevolent Fund	\$ 1,037.00
CCEF	\$ 75.00