

## Dates to Remember

- Sunday, December 28 - **ONE** Service at 9:00am
- Sunday, January 4 - **ONE** Service at 9:00am  
(NO Sunday School on these two Sundays)



Christmas Break until January 7



All Faith men are invited to a **Men's Night Out** in The Gathering Place on Sunday, January 18 at 5:30pm. Casual night of fellowship and games! Please RSVP to Todd Vander Velde (470-0399) or sign up on the sheet in the narthex.



Valets will be ready at the front main entrance of Church for anyone that could use a little help parking their car on a winter Sunday morning.  
– This service will be available by pulling your car up to the **front main entrance doors** from 8:10am to 8:30am. The valets will also be available to get your car after the first service. Valet will run to the end of March.  
– When you pull up to the front entrance simply let the valets know you would like to use the valet service. They will park your car for you and return the keys to you. If you would like your car retrieved for you after the service simply go back to the front entrance and they will retrieve your car.

### Weather Related Announcements

As winter weather is creeping up on us we want to remind you how we will communicate any weather-related announcements.

1. Any decisions to cancel/alter Sunday morning service schedule will be made by 7:00am on Sunday.
2. Any decisions to cancel/alter Wednesday evening activities will be made by 5:00pm on Wednesday.
3. Notifications will then be sent/placed through the following: (be sure to check/listen to multiple sources)
  - a. Faith Church App Notification
  - b. Faith Church-Wide Email
  - c. Faith Church Facebook Page (<https://www.facebook.com/faithrv/>)
  - d. Faith Church Website ([www.faithrv.com](http://www.faithrv.com))



# FAITH

## REFORMED CHURCH

*Be disciples who make disciples*

December 28, 2025

## The Gospel according to Elijah/Elisha

This Sunday - December 28, 2025:

9:00am ONE Worship Service - **NO C&W and NO SUNDAY SCHOOL**

**SONGS:** God So Loved - His Glory and My Good - Christus Victor (Amen)  
- All Glory Be to Christ

10:00am Fellowship Time in The Gathering Place

11:00am Lighthouse Service led by Nick LeLoux

Wednesday:

No Church Activities

Thursday:



Next Sunday - January 4, 2026: **COMMUNION**

9:00am ONE Worship Service - **NO C&W and NO SUNDAY SCHOOL**

10:00am Fellowship Time in The Gathering Place

11:00am Lighthouse Service

**December 28, 2025**

**9am Service**

**COFFEE:** Kelly & Nicole Roder

Adam & Karin Rosman

**NURSERY:**

**9:00** Nick & Deidre Dowdey

**NO C&W**

**USHERS:**

**9:00** Cal Helmus, Ross Hoksbergen,  
Jerald Hoogendoorn, Bob Huyser,  
Chris Huyser

**SOUND:** Adam Rosman

**VIDEO:** Dalton Bennett

**POWERPOINT:** Matt Elbers

**January 4, 2026**

**9am Service - Communion**

**COFFEE:** Mike & Cara Suter

Heath & Tammy Swanson

**NURSERY:**

**9:00** Brandon & Lexi Rau

Troy & Sarah Davelaar

**NO C&W**

**USHERS:**

**9:00** Wes Kats, Myron Klarenbeek,  
Mike Koedam, Dennis Koele, Ethan  
Kooima

**SOUND:** Al Vermeer

**VIDEO:** Travis Blankespoor

**POWERPOINT:** Taylor Harberts

## **PRAYERS & PRAISE**

- Congratulations to Wyatt and Christina Berentschot on the birth of their new baby boy, Truett H. Berentschot born December 19th! Mom and baby are home and doing great! Excited grandparents are Patrick & Misty Van't Hul. Praise God for His wonderful blessings!
- We give praise and continue to pray for Tyler Van Voorst as he was transferred to Madonna in Omaha on Tuesday Morning to begin physical therapy! They are still treating Tyler's infection and he did have a small procedure on his vocal cords to help him get his voice back stronger, but they are hopeful that things are looking better. As Tyler continues this long road ahead of him, filled with treatment, therapy and recovery, please pray for him and his wife, Jordan to feel God's presence and peace.
- Continue to keep Howard Kooistra in your prayers as Howard was back at the Mayo Clinic on December 22-23 for scans to help figure out why he has been losing strength in his legs and muscles. Please pray for peace and answers for Howard and Vicky.
- Please continue to uphold the families of Ethan (Brittany) Kooima and Scott (Pam) Kooima in your prayers as they mourn the loss of their dad and brother, Dave Kooima. May the peace of God fill the hearts and minds of the Kooima family.
- Please keep Glen & Jodi Lutjens, Kurt (Nancy) Vander Schaaf, Lee (Janel) Vander Schaaf, and Stephanie (Brent) Vermeer in your prayers as they mourn the loss of their loved ones. Praying God's comfort rests in their hearts and the peace of Jesus Christ is their strength!
- Please continue to uphold Andy Boender in your prayers as he battles an infection in the eye that was injured weeks earlier. Praying for answers to the infection and relief from the pain he is experiencing.
- Please continue to be in prayer for the families of Nathan Schafer, Marcus & Cierra Overweg, Craig Davelaar, Reece Schulze, Dallas Rozeboom and Henry & Kathy Vande Vegte as their loved ones battle cancer. We pray that God will provide them peace and that their loved ones will feel the Lord's loving presence consistently through this long and difficult journey.
- Prayerfully remember those serving our country: Kole Blankespoor, Kylie Blankespoor, Chris Huyser, Chris Kooima, Madison Cleveringa, and Danielle Van Kekerix.

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## **Faith Church Financial Report**

### **General Fund**

	<b><u>Actual</u></b>	<b><u>Budget</u></b>	<b><u>Ahead/Behind of Budget</u></b>
<b>Last Week</b>	\$35,477	\$16,904	\$18,573
<b>Year To Date Total</b>	\$863,421	\$879,028	(\$15,607)

### **Building Fund**

	<b><u>Actual</u></b>
<b>Last Week</b>	\$328
<b>Year To Date Total</b>	\$37,649

Faith offers automatic withdrawal and Online giving. Stop in the church office to pick up a withdrawal form or go to the Faith Church App or Website to take advantage of this option.