



Come join us between services for Adult Sunday School as we kick off 2026! Al Vermeer will be starting off the first 2 weeks focusing on transforming your vocational and financial health. Pastor Thomas will then be starting a very detailed, in depth series on how to study your bible!



Jan. 14: 6<sup>th</sup>  
John Study



Jan. 14: 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>  
Large Group/PODS  
Jan. 16: TGIF - 7:30pm-9pm



Jan. 14: 9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>  
SERVE/PODS



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.



Faith's Meal Ministry will be preparing meals on **February 2<sup>nd</sup>**! If you would like to help out by donating needed ingredients, the sign-up list, along with reminder cards, are located on the Information Center. Donated items will need to be in the FLC kitchen by **January 25<sup>th</sup>**! Thank you!

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. Please pull your car up to the **front main entrance doors** from 8:10am to 8:30am. 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. The valets will also be available to get your car after the first service, simply go back to the front entrance and they will retrieve your car.



**Valet service will run to the end of March.**



### *Weather Related Announcements*

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

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



# FAITH REFORMED CHURCH

*Be disciples who make disciples*

**January 11, 2026**

## *"Strength & Purpose in Suffering"*

**1<sup>st</sup> Peter**

### This Sunday - January 11, 2026:

**8:30 & 10:45am** Worship Service

**SONGS:** *Bless God - In Christ Alone (My Hope Is Found) - Hymn of Heaven - Living Hope*

**9:30am** Fellowship Time in The Gathering Place

**9:35am** Children's & Adult Ministry

**11:00am** Lighthouse Service

**5:00pm** Women of Faith

### Wednesday:

**6:30am** Women's Bible Study

**5:30-7pm** Food & Fellowship

**7:00pm** Faith Kids/CREW/RCYF

*(1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade 7-7:45pm - 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade 7-8:30pm)*

### Thursday:

**6:00am** Men's Bible Study

**9:00am** Thursday Mornings @ Faith: *Cookie Baking and Clothing Closet Sorting - until 11:30am*

### Friday:

**TGIF** 7:30pm to 9:00pm

### Next Sunday - January 18, 2026:

**8:30 & 10:45am** Worship Service

**9:30am** Fellowship Time in The Gathering Place

**9:35am** Children's & Adult Ministry

**11:00am** Lighthouse Service led by Pastor Mike Molenaar

**5:00pm** Women of Faith

**5:30pm** Men's Night Out

### January 11, 2026

**COFFEE:** Randy & Sheila Tietgen  
Gladys Van Den Top

**NURSERY:**

8:30 Spencer & Kacyn Post

Jordan & Shannon Koele

10:45 Austin & Ashley Feekes

**C&W Helper (8:30):** Miranda Niemeyer

**USHERS:**

8:30 Scott Kooima, Grant Kooiman,  
Chad Kraai, Barry Leusink, Glen Lutjens

10:45 Phil Kooistra, Brian Moser, Zac  
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**SOUND:** Don Harberts

**VIDEO:** Cory Brandt

**POWERPOINT:** Jeremy Leusink

### January 18, 2026

**COFFEE:** Terry & Arla Van Driel  
Arlo & Dianne Van Kley

**NURSERY:**

8:30 Brandon & Annie Dorhout

Matt & Brandalyn Westra

10:45 Keaton & Katie Grevengeod

**C&W Helper (8:30):** Annie Dorhout

**USHERS:**

8:30 Stan Oostra, Jeremy Phipps, Randy  
Post, Brandon Rau, Paul Remmerde

10:45 Marcus Overweg, Jayme  
Rozeboom, Brent Rus

**SOUND:** Eric Van Zee

**VIDEO:** Taylor Harberts

**POWERPOINT:** Dalton Bennett

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## ***Faith Church Financial Report***

### **General Fund**

	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Ahead/Behind of Budget</u>
Last Week	\$36,269	\$17,250	\$19,019
Year To Date Total	\$36,269	\$17,250	\$19,019

### **Building Fund**

	<u>Actual</u>
Last Week	\$800
Year To Date Total	\$800

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.

## **PRAYERS & PRAISE**

- Congratulations to Alex and Sara Black on the birth of their first daughter, Jaali Mae! Both mom and baby are doing well. Elated first time grandparents are Al and Ruth Vermeer. Praise God for precious little miracles!
- Please keep the family of Margene Kooima in your prayers as Margene unexpectedly passed away this week. May God's peace and comfort surround Margene's husband, Jim, daughters, Deb Van Ginkel and Brenda De Bruin, grandson, Travis Van Ginkel, brother-in-law, Brian Kooima and niece, Ronna Teunissen in the days and weeks ahead. We thank you Lord for the hope of eternal life for all those who believe in you.
- We give praise and continue to pray for Tyler Van Voorst as he was able to come home on January 6! They will continue to monitor the infection and he will now be doing rehab closer to home. May Tyler, and his wife Jordan continue to feel God's presence and peace as he progresses in his therapy and recovery.
- Please continue to keep Myron Klarenbeek in your prayers. Myron had surgery on his hand a little while back and last week it swelled up and was causing him a great deal of pain. They sent him to Sioux Falls where he had another surgery, and they discovered he has a staph infection. He will be doing an infusion of antibiotics every day for the next 4 weeks to fight the infection. His pain is manageable at the time, but Myron has a long road ahead of him. Praying these treatments will lead to a full recovery for Myron and that he will feel God's peace and comfort.
- Please keep Helen DeZeeuw and her family in your prayers as Helen's sister-in-law, Harriet Hanenburg passed away. May the Lord surround them with His comfort and peace.
- Continue to keep Howard Kooistra in your prayers as Howard was back at the Mayo Clinic in December 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 Andy Boender in your prayers as he deals with an infection in his injured eye. 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 Clevering, and Danielle Van Kekerix.



Food & Fellowship will be providing a wonderful meal on **Wed., January 14!** Come join us from 5:30pm to 7pm and enjoy a meal of scalloped potatoes & ham, corn, rolls, and oreo fluff!!