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THE COMMUNICATOR

JULY 29, 2026

THIS WEEK

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Wednesday, July 29

7:00pm- Study of Romans
(Led by Clyde Teel)

Saturday, August 1

7:00am- Fresh Encounter
Prayer Group

Sunday, August 2

8:00, 9:00 & 10:45am-
Worship Services
Communion Sunday

7:00pm- Summer in the Psalms

Tuesday, August 4

9:30am- Play Group

Wednesday, August 5

6:30pm- Sip, Paint, Create
7:00pm- Study of Romans
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Clyde's Update

We have found the summer heat in the past few days. Last weekend was not much of a treat, that is for sure. It is now nearly August. Summer is moving right along. I know there will be school things getting into full swing here soon with lots of activities already getting an early start. The summer just goes too fast. I know you all agree with that. It has been dry, but we did pick up a little rain in the area which we needed. I don't like brown, but I know as the season moves along, that is what happens around here.

Thanks to all of you who came down to see us at the Levitt last Saturday night. Things got a little confusing with the time. The impending storm moved them to ask if we could start a little sooner and then cut our program short so the headliner group could get on stage. We are sorry for those of you who got there only to see us walking off the stage. We didn't know that was going to happen till literally when it happened. It was a rather warm evening to say the least. Wow! It was so humid. Good 'ole South Dakota and summer outdoors. We are playing some other events in the fall so we will keep you in the loop. Thanks again!

We had an amazing Bible School this year with lots of energy and so many great people who stepped up to help us. It did get a little overwhelming for some of the classes as we've seen some rather healthy numbers in some of those groups of kids. They all seemed to have a great time interacting with all the fun things on the stage, and just the overall vibe of the theme. Liz mentioned on Sunday that the kids did a fundraiser for Hope Haven and specifically seeing just how many kids wheelchairs they could purchase. They raised over \$7000 for that mission. They were pretty excited when all of that was announced. Thanks everyone, for being a part of this great yearly event. Thank you, Heather, for the work that goes into all of that, so all the pieces are in place from design to lessons and then just organizing the entire things to smoothly. Thanks to Liz for being Liz in front of those kids. She brings such energy to all of that. It is hard to explain if you haven't seen it happen, but if you are in the room, you know what I mean. Great job Community. Go God Go!

My classes are still meeting through the month of August, and so if you would like to be a part of those, we would love to see you there. Romans, on Wednesday nights, and Psalms, on Sunday evening. We have had some great discussions and good discipleship thinking going on in those moments. You can just walk in anytime and take right up with us. We would love to see you there.

Sunday's message will be around one of the great stories of Jesus not giving up on us. It is the story of the Apostle Peter's fall, and then then Jesus restoring his life once again. This theme never gets old and it seems as though God is never without a reason to bring us back into his care and mercy. This story is very personal. Peter has so disappointed his friend, but his friend is Jesus and this friend, knows the heart of the one who has failed. Jesus will bring him home because that is who Jesus is! We'll talk more on Sunday. Have a great week!

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605.CHURCH/STORE

COMMUNITY

ONGOING MINISTRIES

SENIOR CITIZENS

Senior Citizens will meet on Monday, **Aug. 10** at noon at the East 10th Pizza Ranch. Questions, please call Connie Parmley, 605-275-0030. Everyone welcome!

BOOK CLUBS

The evening book club will meet Tuesday, Aug. 18, at 7 pm at the church. We will be discussing *Violin Conspiracy*.

The morning book club will meet Wed., Aug. 19, at 9 am at the Bagel Boy on Minnesota Ave. near 33rd St. We will be discussing *Color of Justice* by Collins.

REFRESH

(College-age/ Young adults)

Join our group chat for upcoming events:

https://web.groupme.com/join_group/107959399/aJVru2FZ



SIP, PAINT, CREATE

Wednesday, Aug. 5
6:30pm
at church



Enjoy an evening of painting instruction by Angie Bonnema. You don't have to be a skilled artist to create a fall themed painting and enjoy time with others from Community.

Supplies and fun sodas are provided.
Sign up to let us know you are interested so we can prepare.
Men, women, teens, are all welcome!



Kids SUMMER STORYTIME

In the church Library

2nd Sunday of the month
10:10am-10:35am

Come enjoy storytime with our church librarians.



GORDON MOTE

FRIDAY, AUGUST 28
7:00PM
COMMUNITY REFORMED CHURCH

TICKETS | \$15



TO PURCHASE TICKETS CALL 605-336-1475
WWW.COMMUNITYRC.ORG

In need of prayer or want to
share your prayer request?
Email Pastor John at prayerline@communityrc.org

MISSION OF THE MONTH FOR AUGUST

THE BANQUET

The Banquet meal ministry was founded in 1985 starting with just one meal per week. They serve 16 meals per week at two locations. The Banquet is a volunteer-based ministry, which means our meals are paid for, prepared by, and served by volunteer groups who come from Sioux Falls and the surrounding area.



PLEASE HELP US IN SUPPORTING

Evita Attema

IN HER FIGHT AGAINST OVARIAN CANCER

ALL MONEY RAISED WILL HELP THE FAMILY WITH MEDICAL BILLS & EXPENSES

SUN, AUGUST 9TH ♥ 2 – 6^{PM}

- SILENT AUCTION
- FLOWER BAR
- KARAOKE
- FOOD & DRINKS
- DESSERTS



"Let us not be discouraged
in doing good, for in
due time we will
reap a harvest if we
do not give up."
GALATIANS 6:9



2501 W. 10th St, SF, SD



If you'd like to donate items for the
silent auction, you can drop items
off at the church

SCAN QR CODE FOR MORE EVENT
INFORMATION OR TO DONATE ONLINE

WWW.EVITASTRONG.COM

PRAYER REQUESTS

ONGOING PRAYER REQUESTS

- Dree Mayer's sister, Charlotte (triple bypass)
- Helen Robinson's brother-in-law, Donald (cancer)
- Lloyd VanEssen (bladder cancer)
- Elaine Deelstra (eye sight changes)
- Carol Baker (ongoing eye issues)
- Anna Halverson (seizures)
- Jayne Knockenmus's friend, Shelly
- Kailee Taborda (Leukemia)
- Ken Stellinga
- Jodi Ackerman's mother, Karen (aortic aneurysm)
- Leroy Thill (infant son of Katie & Trevor Thill)
- Gracia Harmsen
- Al Price
- Jan Sturing
- Tim DeLoof (ALS)
- Matt Meyer's fiancé Lynnette's dad (tumor)
- Ellen Nelson Garner (chronic airway disease)
- Brian Frisbee (ongoing rehab)
- Jordan Lipp's mom, Becky (dementia)
- Kristy Mouw's sister-in-law, Mindy (cancer)
- Susan Bierwagen's uncle, Darrell (cancer)

CONDOLENCES

Our condolences go out to Adam & Julie Brown on the
passing of their son, Austin.
Please keep their family in your prayers.

THANK YOU

Dear Community Church,
Thank you for your many acts of kindness during my
husband Ken's illness and following his death on Memorial
Day. We both appreciated your prayers, beautiful cards,
and many visits. This is truly a very caring church with a
wonderful staff. Thank you to both Pastor Clyde and Pastor
John and to everyone else who helped make Ken's
memorial service and luncheon very special for our family.
With love and gratitude, Bonnie Bloom

FRESH ENCOUNTER

**SATURDAY MORNINGS
@ 7:00AM**

Join us for prayer on Saturday mornings at 7am via Zoom
or in person in our chapel. People can join via video or
using the call-in number if video is not an option.

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Questions?

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HE CARES ABOUT THE
LITTLE THINGS TOO!





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REQUESTS FOR MEMBERSHIP & BAPTISM...

**If you would like to request membership or baptism, please
e-mail the church office at connect@communityrc.org.**

**We are doing individual family baptism after the 10:45am
service until further notice.**

NEED GROCERIES? OR GAS?

**Gift cards for HyVee, Fareway & Sunshine can be purchased
every Sunday morning at the coffee bar. 5% of that purchase
will go toward our Vision Fund at church.**

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