



# NEWS & NOTES

Sunday, November 17, 2019



New Life Christian Reformed Church, Highland, Indiana

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**CHRISTMAS IS AROUND THE CORNER!** Candy Piersma and Sheila Wadkins have committed our church to six families through LOVE INC. The Christmas tree will be up before Thanksgiving with many mittens, noting the age and gender with gift suggestions for each family member. We will also be collecting food and monetary gifts for their Christmas food baskets.

**COFFEE BREAK** is selling almond paste again. The cost is \$7/pound or \$58 for a 9-pound tub. Please give your payment to Jo Slifko, Judy Van Til or the church office. Checks should be made out to New Life CRC Coffee Break.

**PROPOSED BUDGET FOR 2020:** On Wednesday, October 16, the Council voted on the proposed budget for 2020. A copy of the proposed budget was placed in your church mailbox. If you have any questions about the budget, please contact your district deacon. The congregation will meet on **December 8**, after the morning worship service, to vote on the budget.

**JAIL LETTER WRITING:** Cards are now available in front of the church office. We encourage you to pick one up & sent it to an inmate this week: Allan Blackman, XB-430, Lake County Jail, 2293 N. Main Street, Crown Point, IN 46307; Fred Greene, XA-347 (same address). ***Please note that envelopes must be white and no glitter on cards. Thank you!***

## REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

**ILLIANA CHRISTIAN'S LIVE & SILENT AUCTIONS:** Please join us on **Saturday, November 23** for our 5<sup>th</sup> annual Live & Silent Auctions. **The silent auction will begin at 5:00 p.m. and the live auction will begin at 5:30 p.m. in the gym.** We will have great food, great fellowship and lots of great items to bid on. The proceeds of the auction will go to the athletic department. If you have any questions or would like to donate to the auction, please email [ddeboer@illianaweb.org](mailto:ddeboer@illianaweb.org). By donating to the auction, your business will receive advertising the night of the auction and in the winter sports book.

**PREVIEW ILLIANA (OPEN HOUSE FOR PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS AND THEIR PARTENTS):** Discover what Illiana Christian has to offer at Preview Illiana on **Thursday, December 5 at 7:00 p.m.** Parents and students interested in learning more about Illiana are welcome. Meet with faculty and administration, tour the campus, attend informative sessions, and have all your questions answered about Illiana. No pre-registration necessary. Call Direct of Admissions, Marie Limback at (219) 558-7066 ext. 49 for more information.

## OUR CALENDAR

### **MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18**

7:00 PM-WORSHIP COMMITTEE

### **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19**

6:00 AM-MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

9:45 AM-COFFEE BREAK

6:30 PM-CHOIR PERFORMANCE  
AT HOLLAND HOME

7:00 PM-COFFEE BREAK

### **WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 20**

9:30 AM-WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY #4

7:00 PM-COUNCIL MEETING

### **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21**

9:15 AM-PRECEPTS

6:30 PM-PRECEPTS

### **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22**

6:30 PM-SENIOR SINGLE BANQUET  
AT TEIBELS

**JAIL MINISTRY:** Mon.-Thurs.-7 PM

## STUDENT MINISTRIES

### **Junior High Student Ministries:**

- We will be meeting **every Monday** this year **from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.** at Faith-Highland.
- **Please note there will not be a meeting on Monday, November 25.**

### **Senior High Student Ministries:**

- We will be meeting **every Sunday** this year **from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.** at Faith-Highland.
- **Please note there will not be a meeting on Sunday, November 24.**

**NEXT SUNDAY, November 24, 2019**

**MORNING WORSHIP:** “Fruitful Living”; Galatians 5:22-23  
Offering: Ministry Opportunity Fund

**EVENING SERVICE:** “Doorsteps of the Promised Land”; Deuteronomy

**GREETERS: 9:30 AM**—Jeff & Shelley Boender/Brad Gossman/Jamie  
Kostelyk

**NURSERY: 9:30 AM**—Kathy Moes/Tina Hoeksema/Hannah Kortum

**AM & PM SOUND OPERATOR:** Jamie Kostelyk/Paul Armendariz

**AM POWER POINT OPERATOR:** Hallie Hofstra

**WELCOME CENTER:** Christina Eenigenburg

**ROVING ELDER:** Terry Kuiper

**COFFEE SERVERS:** Tim & Deb Abbring

**COOKIE SERVER:** Deb Abbring

**REMEMBER IN PRAYER**

Pearl Adams  
A.J. Boender  
Kathy Boender  
Sandy Corder  
Jean Davids  
Corrine DeYoung  
Keira Fennema  
Macy Glemby  
Bob & Irene Huizenga  
Lois Johnston  
Gelda Klooster  
Sam Kooistra  
Cindy Kuiper  
Millie Meekma  
Bob Moes  
Ed Rudenga  
Sissy Siersema  
Roy Smith  
Marilyn Sodo  
George Stammis  
Coralee VanAmstel  
Joey VanEck  
Nola Witvliet

*If you have a name that should be included  
or you would like your name removed,  
please contact the church office (838-0506).*

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