

Welcome visitors! We are glad you could worship with us today.
Please fill out a Welcome Card in the pew and put it in the offering plate to help us connect with you!

Viola Vasey will be 106 on August 7- The Care Team is hosting Coffee Fellowship today in her honor.

Pastor Traveling - Pastor Luke and his family will be traveling Aug. 6-14. Please refer any immediate needs to your Shepherding Elder or Patti Norris (secretary@colfaxcenterchurch.org).

Pulpit Supply - Stephen Manyara will be preaching August 13th. Stephen is a PCA Pastor who works in Campus Ministry. He and his wife Hannah recently moved to Ames to take up a position with the Navigators at Iowa State.

Diaper Shower – The Care Team is hosting a Diaper Shower on Sunday, August 20, during coffee fellowship for:
Bryce & Amber Eberline & their son, Kyler. Their diaper request is Luvs size 5 or 6.
Blake & Britny Eberline & their daughter, Kodie. Their diaper request is Pampers, size 3 or bigger.

Sunday School Kickoff – The Fall Sunday School Kickoff will be held Sunday, Aug. 27 at 11am. It will include a children's message, open house presentation of classrooms and teachers, and a fellowship meal together. Everyone is welcome!

Christian Education/Sunday School Teachers - A short meeting will be held following the Worship services on Sunday, August 13 & 20 to finalize Fall Kickoff plans.

Colfax Center Presbyterian Church

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Sunday August 6, 2023

Reflection Before Service

If someone is caught in a sin...conceited superiority would drive us to look down on them, be glad we are not like them, and feel righteous in ourselves. Pointing out their sin would merely be to underline how good we look by comparison. Conceited inferiority would cause us either to envy the life they are leading, however sinful; or to crave their approval so much that we won't risk pointing out their failure to live in line with the gospel.

Tim Keller

Prelude Announcements

*Call to Worship

Psalm 80:1-3

Give ear, O Shepherd of Israel, you who lead Joseph like a flock. You who are enthroned upon the cherubim, shine forth. Before Ephraim and Benjamin and Manasseh, stir up your might and come to save us! Restore us, O God; let your face shine, that we may be saved!

*Hymn of Praise

GHF 108 – All Glory, Laud and Honor

Call to Confession

Romans 14:10-12

Why do you pass judgment on your brother? Or you, why do you despise your brother? For we will all stand before the judgment seat of God; for it is written, "As I live, says the Lord, every knee shall bow to me, and every tongue shall confess to God." So then each of us will give an account of himself to God.

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Philippians 2:4-8

Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others. Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

Song of Celebration

GHF 204 – Turn your Eyes

Worship Through Giving

General Fund

*Doxology

*Greeting

Leader: "The grace and peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you"

Congregation: **"And also with you"**

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Supplication

Reading of God's Word

Galatians 5:25-6:5

Sermon

"Restoring our Brothers"

Pastor Luke Wolfe

*Confession of Faith

(Back of Sermon Outline)

Apostles Creed

Celebrating the Lord's Supper

*Song of Response

Behold the Lamb

Benediction and Postlude

**Those who are able, please stand*

This Week at Colfax

Sunday, August 6

9:00a – “Coffee Chat”
9:30a – Morning Worship
10:30a – Coffee Fellowship -

Monday, August 7

1:30p – Women’s Bible Study

Sunday, August 13

9:00a – “Coffee Chat”
9:30a – Morning Worship
10:30a – Coffee Fellowship
6:30p – Women’s Prayer Group

Call the church, 319-824-5231, or email secretary@colfaxcenterchurch.org of upcoming meetings to ensure building access and up-to-date calendars.

Please communicate all announcements to the church office weekly by 3:00 p.m. Wednesdays.

Serving Sunday, August 13

Coffee Chat: Shawn & Emily A
Coffee Fellowship: Tom & Sandy S
Greeters: Fran H & Maxine H
Nursery Worship: Shawn & Emily A
Nurse during Sunday School: No
Elevator Attendant: Jesse W
PowerPoint: Caleb W
Camera: Leon J
Sound: Sheryl J

CENTER PRAISES & PRAYER CONCERNS

As you go to the Lord in prayer, please read the following scripture:
Romans 12:12 “Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer.”

Our nation and its leaders.

The ministries of our church:

- Pastor Luke, Aimee, and their family
- Elders & Deacons as they lead the church.
- Current Elders: Leon Johnson, Dean Salo, Curt Tjepkes, Tom Simms, Donn Anderson, Paul Smit
- Current Deacons: Brian Boomgarden, Jesse Willis, Coty Albers, Shawn Albers, Blake Eberline, Bryce Eberline, Jim Beninga, & Curt Bakker
- Our Children’s ministries
- The hearts of our congregation
- Our Missionaries, especially those in sensitive countries.

Iowa Presbytery: - Hospers Pres. (Hospers, IA) – Rev. Brian Janssen

Medical Prayer Request

Dorothy Westerman –at Creekside recovering from having surgery.

Karen Kruger – For healing following a bowel perforation.

Larry Dreesman – Receiving treatments for cancer.

Connie Doughan – Recovering from Bone Marrow Transplant.

Jim Steinmeyer – Recovering from an infection.

Marcia Andersen – Receiving treatments for cancer.

Pray also for - Our armed forces (Cassidy Bronchick, Mary Puisner, and Jacob Eilers). Also, those who are anxious, discouraged, facing difficult family situations, struggling with sin, or do not know Christ.

Those who are shut-in or in nursing homes:

Mary Bakker; Bernard & Ethel Buskohl; Phyllis DeNeui; Marvin & Verone Nederhoff; Minetta Tjepkes; Dorothy Westerman; Margie Kuhlman; Viola Vasey.

Sermon Outline
“Restoring our Brothers”

1. Restoring Our Brothers

2. The Danger of Conceit

3. Sharing the Load of the Gospel

The Apostles’ Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty,
Maker of heaven and earth.
And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
and born of the virgin Mary.
He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried;
he descended into hell.
The third day he rose again from the dead.
He ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty.
From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic* church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen