

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!

Welcome Rev. Nick DeVusser – Rev. Nick DeVusser is a Reformed University Fellowship Minister and he will be preaching today and also speaking during the Adult Sunday School.

Colfax Mission Team – We will be receiving training on how to "Create a Culture for Missions", Saturday, August 15, 9:00-3:00. A light lunch will be provided. If anyone would like to join us, please contact Karen Dieken by August 12.

Project 52 Mission -Please be sure and join us following Coffee Fellowship next week, Sunday, August 16th to hear about Project 52 Mission. P52 began as a result of the murder of Wayne and Joyce Blythe's grandson, Treye, 20 years ago on August 20th.

Diaper Shower - The Care Team invites the congregation to join us in welcoming Bronson James Logen Hook, son of Trevor and Ashlen Hook to our church family. We are hosting a diaper shower on Sunday, August 23 during coffee fellowship. If you are able to participate, they are asking for Pampers brand size 2 and up. Hope you can join us August 23!

September-October Newsletter – All content submission for the Newsletter are due by Sunday, August 23.

July-August Newsletter – Printed copies are in the Narthex.

Prayer Concerns or Any Concerns – Contact Pastor David Hutchinson at (203)885-5179 or email Pastor Hutch at pastorhutch@sbcglobal.net.

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“A Church in the Country, For the Community”

August 9, 2026



Sunday August 9, 2026

Prelude
Welcome/Announcements

Call to Worship/The Lord's Prayer Psalm 99:1-3(Page:500)
The Lord reigns; let the peoples tremble! He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake! The Lord is great in Zion; he is exalted over all the peoples. Let them praise your great and awesome name! Holy is he!

***Hymn of Praise:** Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah(#84)

Declaration of Forgiveness: Proverbs 28:13(Page:549)
Whoever conceals his transgressions will not prosper, but he who confesses and forsakes them will obtain mercy.

Silent Individual Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon through Jesus Christ/Pastoral Prayer

***Hymn of Celebration:** Before the Throne of God Above(#121)

Worship through Giving

***Doxology**

***Confession of Faith** Westminster Shorter Catechism #9-10
Q. 9. What is the work of creation?
A. The work of creation is, God's making all things of nothing, by the word of his power, in the space of six days, and all very good.
Q. 10. How did God create man?
A. God created man male and female, after his own image, in knowledge, righteousness, and holiness, with dominion over the creatures.

***Greeting** *Leader: "The grace and peace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you"*
Congregation: **"And also with you"**

***Reading of God's Word**

Sermon Rev. Nick DeVusser,
Reformed University Fellowship Minister, University of Iowa

***Hymn of Response:** How Firm a Foundation(#294)

Benediction and Postlude

**Those who are able, please stand*

This Week at Colfax

Sunday, August 9

9:00a – “Coffee Chat”
9:30a – Morning Service
10:30a - Coffee Fellowship
11:00a – Rev. Nick DeVusser

Monday, August 10

1:30p – Women’s Bible Study

Thursday, August 13

10:00a – Man2Man Bible Study
6:30p – Man2Man Bible Study

Sunday, August 16

9:00a – “Coffee Chat”
9:30a – Worship Service
10:30a – Coffee Fellowship
11:00a – Project 52 Mission

Serving Sunday, August 16

Coffee Chat: Elaine S
Coffee Fellowship: Curt & Julie T
Greeters: Joyce B/Mike & Karen D
Nursery Worship: N/A
Nurse (SS): N/A
Elevator Attendant: Bryce E
PowerPoint: Larry F
Camera: Leon J
Sound: Jeremy S

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 before 9:00am on Wednesdays.

COLFAX 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:

- Elders & Deacons as they lead the church.
- Current Elders: Dean Salo, Curt Tjepkes, Kasey Lyons, Leon Johnson
- Current Deacons: Coty Albers, Shawn Albers, Bryce Eberline, Jim Beninga, Curt Bakker, Jason Steinmeyer, Mike Dieken
- Our Children’s Ministries, Missions, Care Team, WIC, Décor, Hospitality, Christian Ed
- The hearts of our congregation
- Our Missionaries, especially those in sensitive countries.
- Pastor David Hutchinson and Paula

Iowa Presbytery: - One Ancient Hope (Iowa City) – Rev. Will Bankston

Medical Prayer Request

Jan Williams – Healing from surgery.
Carolyn Stahl – Healing from surgery.
Curt Stahl – Healing from surgery.
Marrisa Getting – Healing for GI issues.
Laurie Kessler – Receiving radiation treatments for cancer.
Shelby Luwe – Healing from treatments.
Sheryl Johnson – Receiving treatments for cancer.

Pray also for - Our armed forces (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, Margie Kuhlman, Shirley Luwe, Orene Eberline, Joyce Dreesman.

Sermon Outline
Rev. Nick DeVusser

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3. Do you now resolve and promise, in humble reliance upon the grace of the Holy Spirit, that you will endeavor to live as becomes the followers of Christ?
4. Do you promise to support the Church in its worship and work to the best of your ability?
5. Do you submit yourselves to the government and discipline of the Church, and promise to study its purity and peace?

Baptism Questions:

For to you is the promise, and to your children, and to all that are afar off, even as many as the Lord our God shall call unto him. And I will establish my covenant between me and thee and thy seed after thee throughout their generations for an everlasting covenant, to be a God unto thee and to thy seed after thee. Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, thou and thy house (Acts 2:39; Gen. 17:7; Acts 16:31).

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2. Do you claim God's covenant promises in his behalf, and do you look in faith to the Lord Jesus Christ for his salvation, as you do for your own?
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