

EBENEZER CHURCH

June 7, 2026

Pastor Todd Rempe

Morning Worship 9:30 am

Prelude
Call to Worship
Prayer

Scripture: **Hebrews 11:1-3, 6**
Message: **What Makes Our Bloodline Unique**
Communion
Prayer

Response: *Praise Songs

* Hymn #527 *I Know Whom I Have Believed* verses 1 & 4 (Children ages 3 years-5th grade are dismissed to practice for Father's Day program)

*Doxology
*Announcements and Prayer Requests
*Benediction
Postlude

*Please stand if you are able

Welcome to everyone who has joined us for worship today!

Please join us in the basement for cake and juice or coffee and fellowship following the service.

Evening Gathering – Teaching 6 pm

This week:

Today: Communion – communion offering for Tom & Aichatou Johnson; NO Sunday School

Tuesday: 1:30 pm – Women in the Word: Lesson 3 *The Merciful Samaritan* from Luke 10:25-37
7:00 pm - Consistory meets

Wednesday: 3-5 pm - Community Coffee Time at Leighton Comm Ctr

Next Sunday: 11:30 am - Bridal shower brunch for Laurey/Ian

Advance Notice:

June 15-19 – VBS – 5-8:00 pm

June 19 – VBS picnic – games to be played are kickball, kids' baseball, and Adult slow pitch softball. We will have Pickleball and yard games as well.

June 26 – Leighton 4th of July Celebration

Question of the week: (From the Westminster Shorter Catechism)

Q. What is this change of heart called?

A. The new birth, or regeneration.

Missionaries: Scot & Becki Dykstra

Sending Network Church: Newton Church of The Way - Newton

Support: Love INC

The Brummel family invites everyone to the basement after this morning's service for cake to celebrate Ruth's 95th birthday.

Thank you to the people of Ebenezer for Happy birthday wishes. They were all appreciated! Also thanks for your support during the past 8 months of my health issues. It is truly a blessing to belong to a God-fearing, praying church. Jerry Rempe

There is a signup sheet in the entryway for **all** planning to attend the bridal shower for Laurey Johnson/Ian Thompson on June 14. The website to their registry for gift ideas is theknot.com. Everyone is welcome!

Ellie Johnson has passed out some CEF summer support letters. If you have not received one and would like to support, please contact her! If you are not on the Johnson Girls summer newsletter list and would like to receive it, please text her your email addresses. Her number is [641-638-4872](tel:641-638-4872).

The Ebenezer ball park canteen will be serving food & drinks during the Leighton 4th of July festivities on Friday, June 26th (rain date Saturday, June 27th). Volunteers are needed to help in the canteen during the event. We are going to have a planning meeting right after the morning Church service, gathering in one of the basement Sunday School rooms. Thanks. Ball Park Committee

Leighton Lions will be sponsoring a blood drive in the Leighton CRC basement from 1:30-6 pm on June 8. Contact Gary Vandenberg at 780-0694 to make an appointment.

The Leighton 4th of July Committee has asked Ebenezer to organize a hymn sing after the June 26th parade (June 27th is the rain date) and before the ball game. Tom Johnson will lead the 45 minute service. If you are willing to as greeter/usher to help maximize seating and to monitor total capacity, please see Tom.

Thank you to all who have signed up to donate food for the VBS meals! If you have an interest in helping to prepare the meals in the afternoon or help serve the meal in the evening, please let Danette or Jan V know.

You are invited to join the Calvary CRC Young At Heart group on a Christmas in Branson, Missouri trip December 8-12, 2026. Contact Christy Van Zee for more information. 641-780-0727 or vanzeejc@gmail.com. We are taking reservations now.

The children of Marlene Dykstra invite you to a 90+ birthday party for Marlene to be held on Saturday, June 20 from 2-4 pm in the fellowship hall of First Church in Pella. No gifts, please, but donations to Bible League International are welcome if you wish to honor her. Cards can be mailed to her at 608 E 3rd St, Apt 113 in Pella.

Announcements due Thursday at noon
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