

**LEOTA COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
**September 22, 2024**  
**WE APPROACH OUR GOD**

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship & Invocation

\* Songs of Praise

"10,000 Reasons" (Bless the Lord)

"His Name Is Wonderful"

"Jesus Loves Me" / "Oh, How He Loves You & Me"

Congregational Prayer

\* Hymn of Preparation - #473

"Victory in Jesus"

\* Offertory Prayer

**WE HEAR GOD'S WORD**

Scripture: **James 1:13-18**

Message: **What To Do When Tempted**

Prayer of Application

**WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD**

\* Parting Words

\* Closing Response – #255

"Greater Is He That Is in Me"

\* Postlude

**Welcome** to Leota Community Church. We are so glad you are with us today as we worship the Lord together in the House of God!

**Sunday Evening Worship: Pastor Ed Veldhuizen**

Scripture: **Daniel 5**

Message: **Is the Hand-Writing on the Wall?**

**Offering Ebenezer:** General/SWCH

**Next Sunday:** General/Tuition Need Fund

**Offering Bethel:** General/Benv Fund

**Next Sunday:** General Fund

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR GROWTH AND SERVICE**

WED 6:00 PM Cadet Kick-off at Rock River Park (families invited)

WED 6:30 PM Family Night Ministries

**PRAYERS AND PRAISES**

We are grateful for the people that reached out with food, cards and concerns during my knee replacement surgery. It is great living in a caring community. -- Jerry and Linda

Congratulations to **Marvin Van't Hof** who celebrates his 87<sup>th</sup> birthday on September 23<sup>rd</sup>.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**EVERYONE is invited to join us** for fellowship and refreshments after the morning service.

**Ministry Day in Leota** – Pastor Mike will be in Leota Wednesday afternoon and evening.

**Pastor Search Team Meeting** – after the morning service in the Fireside Room.

**Sunday Morning Schedule:**

\* 9:00 a.m. - Sunday School (children's class: K-4<sup>th</sup> grade; youth class: 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade; no high school class) Elders' Training Course

\* 10:00 a.m. - Worship Service

\* 11:15 a.m. - Fellowship Time

Note: Sunday School classes will continue to be at the North Campus.

**Presbytery Meetings** – On Friday and Saturday, Pastor Mike, Bill Sandbulte and Doug Van Peursesem will be in Hogarty Community Church in Aniwa, WI for Presbytery (classis) meetings. This will be the first opportunity for Leota Community Church to be introduced to the new denomination we are joining.

**Elders Training Course** – next week's assignment (September 29):

- \* Read chapter 4 in the Leadership Training Manual (Theology)
- \* Answer the questions on pages 73-74.
- \* Read the contents of the Westminster Catechism in pages 19-26.

Please turn in items for the **Newsletter** TODAY!!

**Wednesday Night Ministries** - The entire family is invited to attend.

- \* 6:30 to 7:00 p.m. – a meal for everyone!
- \* 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. – children, youth, & middle school ministries
- \* 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. – young adults (single or married) fellowship

**New Members Class for Youth** - Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. Make sure to come with your Bible passages to support the basic beliefs of Christianity.

**Cadets and their families** are invited to hot-dog roast and games Wednesday evening, Sept 25, at the Rock River Park. Bring roasting sticks, everything else provided. Cadets need not wear Cadet shirts. We will begin at 6:00 with Cadet Assembly and devotions, followed with supper for parents and siblings while the cadets play some games. The Cadets will eat after they are finished with games.

**FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER--** There will be a donation box in each church for school supplies. The items will be divided and distributed to our local schools. Some idea suggestions are: Kleenex, pencils, notebooks, black dry erase markers, glue sticks, scissors, crayons, washable markers. Your donations are appreciated.

**NLTC Harvest of Hope Festival** will be held at Centennial Park, 303 9<sup>th</sup> St, Worthington on Saturday, Sept 28 from 11:00 am – 5:00 pm. Live music, food trucks and activities for all ages.

Women are needed for the **GEMS Prayer Partner** ministry for our Leota club. Sign up on the kiosk for the opportunity to bless one of our 17 girls this year and mark your calendar for Wednesday, October 2 from 5:30-8:00 at Ebenezer for our Meet Your Prayer Partner Supper. Questions? contact Julie, Ava, Brenda H, or Laura

**Please get all announcements to Sandy by Thursday @12:00 p.m. at isschelhaas@gmail.com or call 507-215-6832.**