



Welcome visitors! We are glad you chose to join our church family in worship. Please accept this worship service as our gift to you. We pray God's blessings upon your life and would consider it a privilege to journey with you in your faith walk.

SUNDAY January 7

Please pray for all the students and school staff.

MONDAY January 8

5 pm **Prayer Warriors**

WEDNESDAY January 10

No Golden Girls

6 pm **G.R.O.W. Bible Study**

FRIDAY January 12

9:30 am **Let's Walk!** @ church

6 pm **Family Fun Game Night**



There WILL BE a BOARD MEETING Tuesday, January 23 @ 6pm.

January 2018! We will be filling the pew! Christ said—What you do to the least of these you do to me. The food bank needs replenished. Let's see how much food we can collect! And.. Now that we have helped to feed them...Let's try to Fill the Pews with new people –Feed their Spirit & Soul as well!



MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR

Thank You!
Linda and I want to thank you for all the gifts, cards, calls, love and support you have shown us this Christmas Season. You have made us feel very special with all your prayers and kind words. We want to wish you all a very blessed and Happy New Year with God's blessings. Love Pastor Larry and Linda



Our Deepest Sympathy
Our Sympathy to the Verna Voshell who's nephew Wayne Voshell went home to the Lord December 30th. Please keep the family & friends of Wayne in your prayers.



Please start collecting new or slightly used pillow cases for which to make little girl dresses and new or slightly used boy t-shirts. Empty medicine bottles with lids. These are for the shoeboxes. Please see Zoe if you are interested in sewing. **Thank you!**

Many new items will be collected this next year! We have learned that for some children, if they do not catch fish, they do not eat. So fishing line, etc. is a new item. A complete list of all the items will be available soon!

Communion & Healing Service January 14 during worship. All who seek the Lord are welcome to partake. If you have not accepted Christ as your Lord and Savior, please let Pastor Larry know and he will be happy to talk to you! We serve grape juice instead of wine.



January 14, Sunday, we have a Healing Service during worship. All those seeking to be healed are welcome! This can be any kind of healing; not just physical. You may also “stand in” for loved one.



Let's help Pastor Larry celebrate retirement! His last Sunday to preach is January 21st. After worship will be a light lunch and cake! And hey, there will be an open mic!! Be thinking of all those funny stories!!



Special thanks to my thoughtful and caring church family for the lovely goody bag. I'm sorry I missed the person who delivered. Best wishes to all to have a joyous and blessed Christmas. Thanks Again, Gloria



I want to thank all of you for my cards and gifts at Christmas. Thank you also for your prayers and sympathy cards when my sister unexpectedly went home to the Lord Christmas Eve. God Bless, Pam G

Today, Sunday, January 7, 2018

~ Sunday Morning Schedule ~

9:00 – coffee & pastries

9:30 – Sunday School (all ages)

10:30 – Worship Service & Children's Church

- **Nursery** (ages 0-2) • Room 208
- **Pre-School** (ages 3-kindergarten) • Room 108
- **Elementary** (grades 1-5) • Room 106
- **Jr & Sr High Class** • Room 201

Nursery during the Sunday School hour. • Room 208

Adult Classes

Room 101 – Studying “Gospel In Life”

Room 103 – Studying Genesis

Room 201 – Studying Contemporary Christian Music

Room 205 – Studying from the International Bible Studies

Nursery Attendants:

Serving Today:

Next Sunday:



Please call the church office if you need a ride to worship services or events.

Pastor Information:

Larry & Linda McKinney, 2209 Cypress Ave, Cedar Falls, IA 50613, phone 277-7104, E-mail: lmckinney@cfu.net

Church Office Hours: Monday – Friday 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Church business contact: Church Office (234-4094)

If you are in need of Pastoral Care please contact:

Rev. Larry McKinney, Ron Waters or Gail Gavlock

To start the Prayer Chain: Carolyn Waters

Check out the church web page:

www.HammondAvenueBrethren.com



John 6:22-35 (NKJV) “On the following day, when the people who were standing on the other side of the sea saw that there was no other boat there, except that one which His disciples had entered, and that Jesus had not entered the boat with His disciples, but His disciples had gone away alone, however, other boats came from Tiberias, near the place where they ate bread after the Lord had given thanks when the people therefore saw that Jesus was not there, nor His disciples, they also got into boats and came to Capernaum, seeking Jesus. And when they found Him on the other side of the sea, they said to Him, “Rabbi, when did You come here?” Jesus answered them and said, “Most assuredly, I say to you, you seek Me, not because you saw the signs, but because you ate of the loaves and were filled. Do not labor for the food which perishes, but for the food which endures to everlasting life, which the Son of Man will give you, because God the Father has set His seal on Him.” Then they said to Him, “What shall we do, that we may work the works of God?” Jesus answered and said to them, “This is the work of God, that you believe in Him whom He sent.” Therefore they said to Him, “What sign will You perform then, that we may see it and believe You? What work will You do? Our fathers ate the manna in the desert; as it is written, ‘He gave them bread from heaven to eat.’” Then Jesus said to them, “Most assuredly, I say to you, Moses did not give you the bread from heaven, but My Father gives you the true bread from heaven. For the bread of God is He who comes down from heaven and gives life to the world.” Then they said to Him, “Lord, give us this bread always.” And Jesus said to them, “I am the bread of life. He who comes to Me shall never hunger, and he who believes in Me shall never thirst.”

Hammond Avenue Brethren Church

Sunday, January 7– 10:30 a.m.

A nursery for infants through Kindergarten is provided at the end of the hallway by the elevator. Ask an usher if you need help finding it.

Welcome & Announcements

*When you see this * please rise as you are able.*

* “Firm Foundation”

“He Has Made Me Glad”

Offertory

“Another Year is Dawning” #339

Doxology

* “Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”

Intercessory Prayer

* ***Scripture Reading- Gordon***

John 6: 22-35

Sermon

“Here is Your Sign”

Pastor Larry McKinney

Closing Song

* “Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehova” #551

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Our Purpose: The purpose of the church is to honor God by bringing lives into harmony with him and one another through evangelism, worship, discipleship, fellowship, and service.

Our Mission: “To be and make Disciples”

“Here is Your Sign”

1. Follow the Pilot Car

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____

2. Bumps Ahead

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____

3. School Zone

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____



Thank you to everyone who helped with the Christmas Festival! We received a lot of donations from area businesses to give out as prizes! Thank you to Gail H. for obtaining the donations.

Visitor Gift Bags

January – Marilyn