

# The Chamberlain View

## United Church of Christ Chamberlain, South Dakota

### October 2011

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Helping this month  
Church Leadership  
Announcement's and  
Thank you's  
Birthdays and  
Anniversaries  
trustee report & bill list  
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#### *In our Thoughts and Prayers*

~Boyd King  
~Eula Morris  
~Lois Dominiack  
~Diane Philen  
~Arnold Schaefer  
~Ellis Carr

#### *October Suggested Scripture*

Oct. 2nd~ Ex 20:1-4,7-9,12-20; Ps 19; Phil 3:4b-14; Matt 21:33-46  
Oct. 9th~ Ex 32:1-14; Ps 106:1-6, 19-23; Ps 23; Phil 4:1-9  
Oct. 16th~Ps 99; Isa 45:1-7; 1 Thess 1:1-10; Matt 22:15-22  
Oct. 23rd~Deut 34:1-12; Ps 1; 1 Thess 2:1-8; Matt 22:34-46  
Oct. 30th~Josh 3:7-17; Mic 3:5-12; 1 Thess 2:9-13; Matt 23:1-12

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#### **IT'S A BOY!**

Jay and Amy Blum are excited to announce the arrival of a new son. Cyrus Jack was born on Tuesday, Sept. 13th, 2011 and weighed 8 lbs 3 oz and was 20" long. He was born at Sanford Hospital in Sioux Falls. Cyrus joins big brothers Chance and Chisum and big sister Piper!

## Church staff and leadership

Rev. Gregory King  
Lynn Miller, Secretary  
Val Moore, Treasurer  
Ryan Schaub, Diaconate  
Doug Johnson, Trustee  
Sheryl Larson, Moderator  
Sally Reimer, Women's Fellowship

Karol Jo Hendrickson, Choir Director  
Jane Cameron, Organist  
Janeen Story, Religious Education  
Jill Mitchell, Memorial Committee  
Sandi Knippling, Pastoral Relations  
Lynn Miller, Youth Group  
Sherry Hansen, Missions Committee

### STEWARDSHIP REPORT

Date:	Attendance:
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Aug. 7	62
Aug. 14	59
Aug. 21	73
Aug. 28	59

*This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it. Psalm 118:24*

### October Help...

#### Coffee Fellowship

The Hansen circle

#### Ushers

Tom Stone, Todd Priebe,  
Connie Priebe and  
Garry Winter

#### Chancel Arrangements

Sandi Knippling

Please keep Florence Foltz in your prayers as she is now living in a nursing home in Spencer, Iowa. She is now living close to her son Curt. Florence would love to receive letters and cards from her friends in Chamberlain!

St. Luke's  
1301 St. Luke's Drive  
Spencer, Iowa 51301

### AUGUST PASTORAL ACTS

Kit Talich & Tiffany Wingert wedding, August 27th, 2011.

### September Pastoral Acts

The funeral for Jody Hoff was held on Sept. 22nd, 2011. Rev. Reggie Ballard

A big "Thank You" to all who did the painting, cleaning and moving furniture. I know there were so many that helped that to name everyone I would be afraid to forget someone – ***you all had an important role and helping to make the Parsonage a home for Pastor Greg and Patti.*** All your time and talent was very much appreciated. THANK YOU!!

Cherri Johnson is mailing cards to our member's and friends. You may call her at 234-4081 for a "card request." Cards that may be sent by Cherri may include anything from sympathy, congratulations, get well, thinking of you or good job! You may also let Lynn know in the church office of any requests for cards to be sent.

***Give and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap, for the measure you give will be the measure you get back.***

***~Luke 6:38***

We, the Trustees, would like to “Thank you” for your past pledges, your time and your talents that have been given and/or shared with your church. God has blessed each of us through out this last year.

It is time to look at your annual pledges of giving. With your pledges it gives the Trustees a guide to plan for the year ahead. As we were informed of our commitment in additional pastoral expenses and the normal inflation increases would result in an increase in our 2012 budget. To meet our 2012 budget expenses every member needs to prayerfully consider pledging for the 2012 year.

For your convenience, a pledge card for 2012 has been printed below. Every member is asked to complete a pledge card and return to the church office or drop in the offering plate by November 13, 2011.

Thank you from the Trustees

## *Birthdays and Anniversaries of Members and Friends*

Oct. 1 Edie Holmquist  
Oct. 2 Ronald Petersen, Cadena Powers  
Oct. 4 Brooke Graves, Malerie Yeaton,  
Lawson Kercher  
Oct. 5 Cherri Johnson  
Oct. 7 Roger Randall  
Oct. 9 Jean Burfeindt, Steve Dominiack  
Oct. 10 Judy Hoellein, Pam Shroyer  
Oct. 11 Jason Johnson  
Oct. 14 Cathy Stone, Doug Johnson  
Oct. 15 Gene Dominiack, Bob Ramey,  
Chevy Fees  
Oct. 17 Marla Maxon  
Oct. 18 Nancy Christensen, Agnes Creamer  
Oct. 19 Marge Dominiack, Kay Hutmacher,  
Kazlyn Schulz, Kiley Strang  
Oct. 20 DeeDee Mayer  
Oct. 21 Iden Myers, Treyson Schulz,  
Jan Stevenson  
Oct. 23 Scott Rinehart  
Oct. 25 Ronda Burke  
Oct. 26 Mitchell Old Lodge  
Oct. 28 Cheryl Carruthers  
Oct. 29 Sheryl Larson, Chad Mutziger  
Oct. 30 Trevor McDonald  
Oct. 31 Dawn Cable

### **Anniversaries**

Oct. 1 Shawn and Cadena Powers  
Oct. 6 Jim and Lois Dominiack  
Oct. 8 Dan and Cindy Feltman  
Oct. 10 Ryan and Andrea Schaub  
Oct. 14 Robert and Cheryl Augspurger  
Oct. 23 Lawrence and Wanda Pickner  
Oct. 24 Mike and Judy Steckelberg  
Oct. 25 Pete and Nancy Christensen

## OFFICE HOURS FOR PASTOR GREG

Please note that the office hours for Pastor  
Greg will be;

Monday—Friday 9:30 am—11:30 am

And from 1:00 pm—4:00 pm by appointment

Call 605.234.5202

## Blum Circle

The Blum circle met at the home of Donna Hieb with co-hostess Wanda Swanson. Twelve members answered roll call with a Bible verse. Four guests were present, Mildred Reniker, Helen Hieb, Nancy Renner and Geri Murphy.

In absence was Ruth Blum, so Sally Reimer conducted the meeting.

A card was signed for John Blum. Also Harvest Festival was discussed, it will be held on October 12th. Many circle members volunteered food for the dinner and to help with the serving.

Sally had the lesson on "Secret Happiness," you don't stop laughing because you grow old, you grow old because you stop laughing. Few people know to be old. As soon as you feel too old to do a thing, do it! The best is yet to be.

Sally closed the meeting by everyone repeating the Lord's Prayer.

Bev Feltman, secretary and reporter

## Diaconate Board Meeting Minutes

September 21, 2011

Present: Ryan Schaub, Julie Mertz, Gary Biskeborn, Renee Schaub and Louie Bergner.

Absent: Carson Pringle, Jo Dooley, Jack Dooley, Carol Randall, Becky Phelps, Tom Carruthers and all of the Junior Diaconesses and Junior Deacons.

Due to the fact that we didn't have a quorum present, an official meeting was not held. We discussed communion for Sunday, October 2, 2011, which will be when Pastor Greg King officially begins his duties. Per instruction from Pastor Rhoadarmer, we will proceed with communion like we have done in the past and Pastor King can inform us of any changes he would like made for future communion services. Carson, Louie, Renee and Ryan have volunteered to serve and other members will be contacted to serve. Harvest Festival will be on Wednesday, October 12, 2011. Our next meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 19, 2011 at 6:00 p.m.

Lynn's church office hours  
are back to...

M-F 12:15 pm—12:45 pm

4:00 pm—6:00 pm

In emergencies you may call  
me at Treehouse and ask for  
Lynn at 234-6698 or Call my  
cell at 730-0855

# October 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2 9:30 am Sunday school 10:30 am worship 11:30 am Coffee Fellowship	3	4	5 Trustees meet at 5:30	6	7	8
9 9:30 am Sunday school 10:30 am worship 11:30 am coffee fellowship	10	11	12 Harvest Festival 5-7	13	14	15
16 9:30 am Sunday school 10:30 am worship 11:30 am carry-in	17	18	19 Diaconate 6 pm	20	21	22
23 9:30 am Sunday school 10:30 am worship 11:30 am coffee fellowship	24	25	26	27	28	29
30 9:30 S.S 10:30 am worship 11:30 am coffee Fellowship	31					

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## HARVEST FESTIVAL

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE 2011 UCC HARVEST FESTIVAL

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2011

DOORS OPEN AT 4:30 PM MEAL IS SERVED AT 5 UNTIL 7 PM

THERE WILL BE A BOOTH WITH BAKED ITEMS,  
GARDEN PRODUCE AND CANNED GOODS.

TICKETS ARE: ADULTS \$8.00

MEATBALLS ARE BACK!

KIDS 4-10 IS \$4.00

UNDER 4 ARE FREE

September Trustees Meeting Sept. 7th, 2011

Absent: Sally Reimer, John Blum and Lawrence Pickner

Present: Barry Swanson, Pastor Duane Rhoadarmer, Connie Priebe, Doug Johnson, Tom Stone and Roger Burnfiendt

Doug called the meeting to order. A motion to approve the August meeting minutes was made by Connie and Tom seconded it, carried. Tom moved to approve the August bill list Connie seconded it, carried. Tom made a motion to approve the financial report and Roger seconded it, carried.

Old Business:

Connie wrote and brought to the meeting a rough draft of the stewardship letter. With several ideas to add to the letter on was decided upon. It was also decided that in the October newsletter it will be printed, along with a copy of the pledge form so that it is brought to member's attention. A letter will also be sent out to member's homes in mid-October, then again in the November newsletter. Pledges will be due Nov. 13<sup>th</sup>, 2011 so that the trustees are able to budget for the 2012 year, as there will be general fund increases.

Connie has been working with Midwest Supply for paint and supplies for the parsonage. They will donate the supplies and sell the paint at cost. A work list has been started for the work that is needed in the parsonage before Rev. Greg and Patti move in.

New Business:

Pastor Duane will reimburse the church for ½ of his medical for September, as the Pension Boards do not reimburse medical.

Roger made a motion to purchase a gift certificate for Pastor Duane as a thank you gift. Connie seconded. Carried.

The meeting was adjourned by Barry and seconded by Roger.

The next meeting was set for Oct. 5th, 2011 at 5:30 pm in the church library.

Lynn Miller, secretary

## August 2011

### CHECK

NO.	PAYEE	DESCRIPTION	GENERAL	BUILDING	MUSIC	TOTAL
9501	Tim Johnson	monthly custodial contract	400.00			400.00
9501	Tim Johnson	1 wedding	100.00			100.00
9495	Pastor Duane Rhoadarmer	salary 8/31/11	2,153.00			2,153.00
9496	Pastor Duane Rhoadarmer	mileage	600.00			600.00
9502	Pastor Duane Rhoadarmer	local milage	33.35			33.35
9502	Pastor Duane Rhoadarmer	1 wedding	100.00			100.00
9503	Pensions Board	annuity w/h August	300.00			300.00
EFT	US Treasury	payroll tax	117.18		39.31	156.49
EFT	Delux Business Products	checks	149.45			149.45
9504	Jane Cameron	organist			36.04	36.04
9505	Lynn Miller	secretary	588.40			588.40
9506	Post Office	1 roll stamps 1 sht. Post	49.60			49.60
9507	Schmitt Music Company	choir music			390.94	390.94
9508	Office Products	contract	31.80			31.80
9509	Northwestern Energy	utilities, church	963.30			963.30
9509	Northwestern Energy	utilities, parsonage	196.81			196.81
9510	Steckelberg & Steckelberg	utilities, church	23.59			23.59
9511	Lorenz Publishing	piano/organ magazine			85.90	85.90
9512	Janeen Story	7th grade cirriculum-RE	68.88			68.88
9513	Karol Jo Hendrickson	music convention reimburse.			516.73	516.73
9514	Midstate Communications	utilities, church	136.55			136.55
9514	Midstate Communications	utilities, parsonage	111.43			111.43
9515	SD Conference	OCWM	666.67			666.67
9515	SD Conference	Placerville	50.00			50.00
<b>TOTALS</b>			<b>6,840.08</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>1,068.92</b>	<b>7,909.00</b>

