

## THIS WEEK

### TODAY 11-25

8:30 a.m.—Common Ground  
8:30 a.m.—Ushers & Greeters Prayer  
9:00 a.m.—Morning Worship  
Fellowship Time/Common Ground  
10:40 a.m.—Sunday School  
11:10-11:30—Christmas Program Practice

### TUESDAY 11-27

6:30 a.m.—Elder Prayer  
Noon—Community Prayer

### WEDNESDAY 11-28

3:45-5:00—AWANA  
6:00-7:30—Jr. High Youth Group  
7:45-9:15—High School Youth Group

### FRIDAY 11-30

Office Closed

### SUNDAY 12-2

8:30 a.m. —Common Ground  
8:30 a.m.—Ushers & Greeters Prayer  
9:00 a.m.—Worship Service  
Fellowship Time/Common Ground  
10:40 a.m.—Sunday School  
Full S.S. Hour—Christmas Program Practice  
3:00 p.m. —Westview Service

### PREACHING SCHEDULE

November 25—Terry Baxter  
December 2—Kyle Bartholic  
December 9—John Nemmers  
December 16—Terry Baxter  
December 23—Terry Baxter

## REMINDERS

### This Week

**Nursery** (9:00) Dennis, Lori & Shayna Ostercamp  
**Nursery** (10:40) Rob & Kristin McNeese  
**Greeters:** Zach & Amber Nielsen  
**AWANA Cookies:** Marlene Smith, Liz Hayungs, Erin Kamrad

### Next Week

**Nursery** (9:00) Jamie & Sheila Nielsen, Eden Nielsen  
**Nursery** (10:40) Ken & Linda DeWaard  
**Greeters:** Scott & Pat Ostermann  
**AWANA Cookies:** Linda DeWaard, Rita Fox, Kristin McNeese

## GIVING UPDATE

Weekly Budget: \$6,600

General Fund Offering— November 18: \$8,886.56

## PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for these people with health issues or other concerns

David Peterson	Josh Johnson	Nancy Anderson	Cindy Kumsher
Bev McNeese	Doug Kneisel	Matt Ites	Kevin Kruger
Mathew Dallman			

- For God to give us a passion to see Christ move in our community
- Servicemen & Women—including Josiah Faust—National Guard
- Missionaries including Tim & Nicole Fox—Wycliffe
- Sunday School—including 4th, 5th & 6th Grade—Teachers—Margaret Guth & Deb Kruger
- Life Group Leaders—including Ken DeWaard
- Youth Pastor—Jesse Bewley
- Please pray for Pastor Randal & Linda Kay as they make plans to transition to ministry here in Britt.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PASTOR RANDAL KAY & HIS WIFE LINDA SAID YES** to coming to serve in our church. Pastor Randal will be our Interim Pastor and will be starting on January 9th. Details are still being worked out for the timing. We are looking for furniture and other items to furnish the Parsonage for the time they are here. More details to come soon.

**CHRISTMAS PROGRAM PRACTICE** will be during the entire S.S. hour on December 2nd and 9th and Dress Rehearsal will be on Saturday, December 8th from 9:30-11:00 a.m. The Program is scheduled for December 9th at 6:00 p.m. , snow date December 16th.

**NEED MORE ITEMS FOR AWANA CHRISTMAS STORE** which is December 19th. Gifts for moms, dads, brothers, sisters, grandpas and grandmas are needed. We have a big tub marked AWANA Store sitting under the west coat rack where you can leave donations. Thank you "Church" for all the support you give to the youth ministries as together we are "Reaching boys and girls with the Gospel of Christ."

**A BIG THANK YOU** to all who participated in the Operation Christmas Child ministry, either by filling boxes, giving donations of money or even the gift of your time. Because of you, our church has sent out 155 boxes filled with goodies that will bless children and spread the gospel! Please be praying specifically for the children who will receive these boxes.

**THE COMMUNITY COMPASSIONATE CONCERN (CCC)**, which is made up of members of local churches, will again partner with the Angel Tree Project. There are still Angel Tree names at First State Bank and Farmers Trust Bank of Britt. There is also opportunity for your cash donations to go to the CCC which is used for gift certificates to the Britt Food Center to be given to families in need in the Britt area as a Christmas gift. Contact Lori Ostercamp or Becky Nielsen to donate.

**DAVE, HEATHER AND SOPHIA YOUNG** have relocated to the Des Moines area and would love to keep in touch. Their new address is:  
Dave and Heather Young  
6126 Terrace Drive, Johnston, IA 50131

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## "The Power of Gratitude"

I Thessalonians 5:12-22

