



The Counterintuitive Kingdom

Luke 6:17-25

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Dear Terra Ceia Church Family,

We met as a council on Sunday, January 24th. We thought that Andrea's ministry of Children in Worship went over well. She asked if she could do a Lent series and we approved her to do so. It is so wonderful to see our children worship God in a way that is more interactive for them!

We also approved a request for Dante to be examined at the next Classis (March 24-25) to be a commissioned pastor in the CRC. Mark Knetsch has been working hard with Dante and we are excited for Dante and his church to join our Classis shortly!

Finally, we have decided to read the 1968 Liturgical Report put out by the denomination. With the guidance of this report, we are going to be discussing whether or not we should partake of the Lord's Supper every week over the next few months. We would love to hear what you all have to say about taking the Lord's Supper weekly, so please share your thoughts with us!

Sincerely,

Your Council

What's Happening?

Sunday, February 14

9:30 am Sunday School
Adult Bible Study
10:30 am Worship Service

Sunday, February 21

Lent Begins

9:30 am Sunday School
Adult Bible Study
10:30 am Worship Service

Advance Dates

Sunday, February 28

8:30 am Council Meeting

Wednesday-Thursday, March 24-25

Classis Southeast US Meeting

Nursery Attendants

Feb 14 Deb & John VS
Feb 21 Carl VS, Jessica VW
Feb 28 Amber VS, Leslie VS
Mar 7 Amy VS, Andrea S

Birthdays

February

17 Grace VA 21 Molly VW
22 Ken VW 24 Beth H

March

4 Phillip VW 9 Garrett S
12 Amy VS 17 Austin VS
22 Sarah A 22 Jan VS
27 Ben H 28 Charlene M

Anniversary

February 18 Carl & Leslie VS

Council Members

Daren H, Kenneth VS, Ken VW,
Austin VS, John VS

At-home Faith Formation Tip

The Practice of Justice and Mercy:

Proverbs 14:31 says, "He who oppresses the poor shows contempt for their Maker, but whoever is kind to the needy honors God." Who in your community is needy? What might you do to show kindness to that person or group of people?

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In the Church Library

Journey through the Night is a novel for youth and adults, originally in four volumes published from 1951 to 1958, by Dutch author **Anne de Vries**. The novel centers around the representation of World War II in the Netherlands and the impact it had on a reformed family. The story is divided into 4 parts:

1. *Into the Darkness*
2. *The Darkness Deepens*
3. *Dawn's Early Light*
4. *A New Day*

The main character is Jan, the eldest son of the de Boer family. During World War II, the 5-year German occupation, he gets involved in the Resistance.

A new 3-book set is real-life based by **Dirk van Leenen**, a boy living in Europe during World War II. Van Leenen got the details from his dad, an active Resistance member at the time.

1. *Resistance on a Bicycle*, the starting point of this top-selling book trilogy
2. *The Americans Are Coming*, the last hope to win the war in Holland
3. *The Last Train to the Concentration Camp*, a small boy's memories on the train to Bergen Belsen