**WELCOME!** We're glad you're here and have decided to join us today!

If you would like more information about Living Water, please stop by the Welcome Center located in the lobby area.

**TEACHER**: Pastor Garry Nyenhuis

SCRIPTURE: 1 Peter 4:10-11

**SERMON SUMMARY:** This week as we continue to discuss spiritual gifts, we look at scripture to learn that Peter gives some great tips on how our gifts are to be used, knowing that our overall goal is glorifying God through Jesus Christ.

As an outline of this passage, we will spend time on several key words:

- 1. **USE**; this is not to be glossed over! Don't forget these gifts are meant to be used.
- 2. **SERVE OTHERS**; these gifts are not for ourselves. They are for those around us.
- 3. **FAITHFUL STEWARDS**; ongoing, showing up every day, sometimes monotonous!
- 4. **WORDS OF GOD**; what a responsibility! What a privilege!
- 5. **STRENGTH GOD PROVIDES**; nothing is impossible with God! Let's use the power we have been given!
- 6. **TO HIM BE THE GLORY AND POWER**; our overall goal! To God be the glory!

As action steps, consider these ideas:

- 1. **Take the spiritual gift assessment!** Go to forallwhothirst.com and scroll to the bottom of the page. Click on the Spiritual Gifts Discovery banner and follow the instructions.
- 2. **Talk with someone about your assessment**. Talk with a spouse or a friend and see if they agree with your results. Take their words seriously and understand that combining their words with the assessment can be valuable.
- 3. Talk with your pastor, a church leader or a ministry coordinator about your assessment. Pastor Garry would love to meet with you and encourage you to use your gift! Email gdnyenhuis@gmail.com to set a time up with him! A list of some volunteer ministry opportunities is printed in this folder. Email the ministry coordinator or secretary@livingwateroc.com if you'd like more info.

Don't let your gift go unused! NOTES:

## **OUR FAMILY**

**PRAY:** Please keep Jenness Wolgen and her family in your prayers. Her sister, Joni Eekhoff TerHark, passed away this week. Pray for comfort, peace, and that our Lord will walk with them through this difficult time. (SH)

**PRAY**: Please continue prayers for Brad Tebben who recently had surgery to remove a very large kidney stone. (SH)

**PRAISE:** Give thanks that Marian Randolph's son-in-law, Joe, was told that only 5-10% of cancer remains in his left lung and the doctors are hopeful that the year-long immunotherapy infusions beginning this month will put the cancer in remission and stop the growth. (SH)

# **TODAY - January 13**

\*Installation of new leadership - Arlyn Schaap, Administrative Elder Terry Mouw and Cameron Mulder - Care Elders Rachel Te Grootenhuis will be installed as a Care Elder at a later date. \*Donuts with the Pastor - Anyone who would like to know more about Living Water or just wants to get acquainted with/visit with the pastor is invited to the front of the Worship Center following worship.

## **TODAY**

9:30am COFFEE SHOPPE 10:00am WORSHIP

# 10:20am LITTLE TREASURES

3-5 yr olds time to worship God meets in Upper Room watch for dismissal slide

If you missed check-in prior to worship for Little Treasures or JAM, stop by the table in the lobby area with your child.

# 11:00am STAY AND PRAY

SW corner of the Worship Center

#### WAVE

Meets in the large classroom in SW corner of the lobby dismisses at 12:00 noon

# 11:10am JAM Praise & Worship

5 yrs-5th gr Meets in the JAM room next to kitchen

# Sunday School small groups follow

5 yrs-1st gr - meets upstairs 2nd gr-5th gr - meets on main floor 12:00 dismissal

Parents pick up children from their classrooms

# THIS WEEK

Mon, Jan 14

**6:30pm** - Leadership Transition Mtg (OC)

**Wed, Jan 16** 

7:00pm - Overflow (OC Campus) 7:00pm - Men's Bible Study (SH) Meet at SH Immanuel 601 Union

Thurs, Jan 17

**8:30pm** - College and Career Group Meets at Nyenhuis home - 316 Boston Ave NE Orange City. For more info contact Sandra at sandranyenhuis@live.com or 952-807-3063

#### CALENDAR BEYOND THIS WEEK

<u>Sun, Jan 20</u> - Baptisms Meysa Mulder and Gideon Mingo

Meet and Greet - following worship Worship Coordinators-Damon and Tristan

Mon, Jan 21 - Unity Meal (SH)

Sun, Jan 27 - Spiritual gifts overview

#### **OPPORTUNITIES - PLEASE CONTACT SUE DYKSTRA**

1susandykstra@gmail.com or 712-360-0650

In need of:

Small Group Substitute SS teacher(s) Feb. 17 – 11:30 to 12:00 for 4th Grade

# CHILDREN Children's Chi

**INFANTS** 

**Children's Church Bags** are available for younger attendees at the Welcome Center in the lobby area. Following worship, please return the bags and contents to the Welcome Center.

**NURSERY:** Nursery is available throughout the service for newborns thru 2 years

The nursery is located near the Welcome Center in the front lobby area.

**INFANT CARE ROOM**: A room is available throughout the service for parents with

The infant care room is located right outside the worship area near the stairway.

young children. This space is designed for parents to sit with babies or small

children for privacy; this room will not be supervised by volunteers.

**LITTLE TREASURES**: A time to worship God for 3-5 year olds; meets during the worship service in the Upper Room. Watch for announcement slide for dismissal (OC)

**JAM**: "Jesus And Me" 5 yrs-5th gr - Praise and Worship meets 10 min after the morning service in the JAM room next to the kitchen; small group Sunday School follows. Dismissal 12:00pm Parents pick up children in classrooms. (OC)

# YOUTH

**WAVE:** 6th-8th grade. Meets following the Sunday morning service in the large classroom in the SW corner of the lobby. Dismisses at 12:00noon (OC)

OVERFLOW: 9th-12th grade. Meets from 7:00-8:30pm on Wednesday (OC)

**GEMS**: Girls 3rd-8th grade. Meets from 6:45-8:30pm @ Immanuel CRC (OC) Wednesday evenings 2x a month

**CADETS:** Boys 4th-8th grade. Meets from 6:50-8:45pm @ Calvary CRC (OC) Wednesday evenings 2x a month

# ADULTS/FAMILIES

**STAY AND PRAY:** Group of people gathering after the worship service in the SW corner of the Worship Center. For more info, contact Kim Groeneweg at skgroen@yahoo.com

**COLLEGE AND CAREER GROUP:** For more info contact Sandra at sandranyenhuis@live.com or 952-807-3063

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Meets every other Thursday at 7:00pm at Scott VanDeBerg home 1346 7th St NE Sioux Center. For meeting dates or more info contact Scott at vandebergscott@gmail.com or 712-441-0005

### **OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE**

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