

“Do This In Remembrance of Me”



PLEASANT VALLEY

MISSION:

*"Pleasant Valley Church
exists to glorify God and
advance His Kingdom."*

VISION:

*"To guide people to
become fully devoted
followers of Christ Jesus."*

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October 4, 2026

Speaker: Rev. Rus Boersma

Scripture text: Ephesians 2: 1-10

Message Title: "Saved By Grace"

- #103 - Blessed Be The Name
- #334 - Come, Ye Sinners Poor & Needy
- #202 - Amazing Grace
- #206 - There Is a Redeemer

10/04/2026		10/11/2026
World Wide Communion		
Rev. Rus Boersma	SPEAKER	Rev. Ron Bartlett
Jerry	PVC Asst	Ross
Greta Cordes	Musician	Pastor Ron
Denise	Song Leader	Praise Team
Mary & Paul	Hospitality	Randy & Mary

"PRAISE!! AND PRAYER LIST"

Clarence Karslens: Had a stroke on Wednesday that affected his right side, which is starting to come back. He was transferred to Creekside on Friday to receive intensive therapy. He needs to walk 5 times a day.

Patty Schell: Fell again on Monday night hitting her face and shoulder. Went to ER and nothing was broken and head/neck CT was good. Pretty bruised and sore yet. She is wearing a heart monitor until the 9th to record any changes, etc.

Mae Hinders: "Thank you to everybody who attended my party on Sept 13th. I so appreciated seeing so many of the church that came by to say congratulations and remembered me. Thank you all very much."

Pastor Rick and Betsy: Prayers for strength and clarity in packing up and moving to new home. "We want you to stay in contact with us as we will miss you each. We have an overwhelming task ahead of us preparing for the relocation. Your prayers are deeply appreciated. Please call or text anytime to stay in touch."

Dottie McGrane: They removed a mass on her right kidney and were able to leave about half the kidney. Path report showed renal cell carcinoma. Doctors fairly confident they got it all so no radiation or chemo now. They will watch with scans every 3-6 months. Prayers God will provide for her, Jesse and Jacob for the next 4-6 weeks with her being off work and limited finances.

ATTENTION!! Please make sure to let Sara Freeseaman know of any announcements, praises and prayer requests, funeral info, etc. Please do not assume I have heard. Thank You!!!! Email is sara.freeseaman@gmail.com or text/call info to 319-239-0557.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY We will celebrate Communion in conjunction with World Wide Communion Sunday.

~The PVC Council has presented the option of having an Interim Pastor, Rev. Ron Bartlett. He will be speaking here NEXT Sunday, October 1st and on the 18th, with a special Congregational meeting on the 18th to vote for a 1-year term.

~As part of the CRCNA now, PVC will be contributing to the ReFrame and Thrive ministries. See bulletin inserts for more information.

~There are NEW scripture writing and reading plans for OCTOBER in the lobby. If you would like a digital copy, please text Sara at 319-239-0557.

~Butler County Visions of Wellbeing with the help of the community, is sponsoring "Christmas Cheer." The are now accepting donations, which will be used to purchase gift cards for families in need. See bulletin insert

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Randy Alderks Family Concert - Tuesday, October 6th at 7 pm in the Legacy Room at the Riverview Conference Center in Cedar Falls. Free will offering accepted.

Wednesday Morning Breakfast Group: Wed. Oct 7th at 8:30 am in Parkersburg.

Bible Babes Study Group - Wed. Oct 7th at 1 pm. Lesson 4 of our new study on Proverbs 31. Come and join us.

Council Meeting - Thursday, October 8th at 6:30 pm - Jerry has snacks

Men's 2x4's study group - Saturday, October 10th at 7 am

Falcon HOPE FMSC Burger Night - Saturday, October 10th, 5-7 pm at Apington EPC (Evangelical Presbyterian Church). NOTE: This is the FINAL Burger Night for 2026, there will be a soup supper in November



Butler County Households Need Your Help This Christmas!

Butler County Visions of Wellbeing, with support from the community, is sponsoring Christmas Cheer. Each year we serve Butler County households that are identified by community partners, social service agencies, food banks, schools and churches as needing assistance during the holidays.

**In 2025, we received 332 applications,
and we served over 800 adults and children.**

BCVOW is now accepting donations which will be used to purchase gift cards for these families. Our hope is to help them cover some basic expenses and free up some of their budget for special holiday purchases.

IN ORDER TO HELP THESE FAMILIES, WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT!

PLEASE DONATE IF YOU ARE ABLE

Christmas Cheer is an opportunity for your family, organization, class, church, or business to provide support for Butler County Households.

100% of donations will go directly to Butler County Households in Need!
Donations of any amount are appreciated!

Mail Donation Checks to:

Butler County Visions of Wellbeing (BCVOW)

Attn: Christmas Cheer

P.O. Box 744

Allison, IA 50602



For more information, please call Terri at 319-501-5210

Check us out online at www.BCVOW.com

OCTOBER

- O** ~ Open your heart to new mercies, opportunities and God's amazing plans.
- C** ~ Choose Kindness every day. Let your light shine even in the small moments.
- T** ~ Trust God's plan and timing. What is meant for you will always find you.
- O** ~ Offer a little more grace to yourself and others.
- B** ~ Be brave, stay faithful and keep showing up.
- E** ~ Embrace change with a hopeful heart. Every season brings something beautiful
- R** ~ Remember you are loved, you are enough, and God is always with you.

@dailyprayers&blessings

PVRC Giving methods

- 1) Offering plates will NOT be passed - Drop your tithe & gifts in the box on the half-wall in the lobby, near the front door.
- 2) Mail your check directly to the church address or Wendy Lage, PVC Treasurer via U.S. Postal service at—P.O. Box 424 Wellsburg, IA 50680
- 3) On-line giving on the PVC website: www.pleasantvalleyonline.org. Front page "Give" button. Clicking on it brings up a window on top of our webpage. It is a very secure place to enter the necessary information to tithe via credit card or direct bank debit. A small processing fee will be deducted from your gift, so if you want to also cover that fee cost, check the appropriate box.

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