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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2 Elder Meeting @ 6:30PM	3 Prayer Night @ 6PM Student Ministries Homework Help: 3PM-5PM Meal: 5PM-6PM Adventure Club 6PM-7:30PM Rooted: 6:30PM-7:30PM	4 Worship Team Practice @ 7PM	5	6 Men's Breakfast at Olivia's @ 7:30AM OA @ 8:00AM
7 Worship Service @ 9AM Sunday School @ 10:30AM	8	9 Gideon Meeting @ 6:30PM	10 Stonecroft Bible Study @ 9AM Prayer Night @ 6PM Student Ministries Homework Help: 3PM-5PM Meal: 5PM-6PM Adventure Club 6PM-7:30PM Rooted: 6:30PM-7:30PM	11 Worship Team Practice 7PM	12	13 Men's Breakfast at Olivia's @ 7:30AM OA @ 8:00AM
14 Worship Service @ 9AM Communion Sunday School @ 10:30AM	15	16 Young Hearts @ Noon Missions @ 6PM	17 Prayer Night @ 6PM : Student Ministries Homework Help: 3PM-5PM Meal: 5PM-6PM Adventure Club 6PM-7:30PM Rooted: 6:30PM-7:30PM	18 Worship Team Practice 7PM	19	20 Men's Bfast at Cornerstone @ 7:30AM OA @ 8:00AM Rooted All Day Event, 8AM Member's Class @ 9AM
21 Worship Service @ 9AM Sunday School @ 10:30AM	22	23	24 Stonecroft Bible Study @ 9AM Prayer Night @ 6PM Student Ministries Homework Help: 3PM-5PM Meal: 5PM-6PM Adventure Club 6PM-7:30PM Rooted: 6:30PM-7:30PM	25 Worship Team Practice 7PM	26 Devoted Hearts in Rochester	27 Men's Breakfast at Olivia's @ 7:30AM OA @ 8:00AM Devoted Hearts in Rochester Church Spring Clean 9AM—NOON
28 Worship Service @ 9AM Sunday School @ 10:30AM Potluck & Quarterly Meeting After Sunday School	29 Deacon/ Deaconess Meeting @ 6:30PM	30 Administrative Board Meeting @ 6:30PM				



High School & Middle School Students

Rooted is a place for students 6-12th grade to come together to have fun, grow together, and seek a relationship with Jesus. We are a ministry committed to the grace of God. Come enjoy an awesome time hanging out and diving into the Word of God!

A typical Wednesday night includes student-led worship, games, snacks, an interactive message, and small groups.

ROOTED meets Wednesdays @ 6:30PM-8:00PM Cornerstone Church

> Rooted Youth Group ALL DAY EVENT @ 8:00 AM COME JOIN THE FUN!

## <u>Women</u>

#### Women's Book Club

For more information, contact Nina Sellner, ninawalks@gmail.com or the church office, 507-446-5850.





Men's Breakfast Saturdays Olivia's @ 7:30AM 4/6, 4/13, 4/20 Cornerstone EFC @ 7:30AM 4/20

ALL are welcome!

# **Check Us Out**

- ⇒ Live streaming will be available via YouTube just go to the Cornerstone Website, App, or Facebook Page and click on the video or use the link on the website. Worship starts at <u>9:00 AM</u>. Adult/Grades 1-12 Sunday School starts @ 10:30 AM September through May.
- ⇒ Videos of the service are available on YouTube, the link can be found on our website: cornerstoneowatonna.com
- $\Rightarrow$  Digital audio recordings are available in our church app.
- $\Rightarrow$  The network name is "CornerstoneGuest" with no spaces.

## **Missions Moment**

April Missions: The Home of the Sparrow Orphanage

April's Mission for the Globe is The Home of the Sparrow Orphanage in Nhamatanda, Mozambique. They provide food, shelter, Christian teaching, and the opportunity to attend school for children who have lost parents and family support. It is run by Papa/Pastor Domingos Caetano and his wife Mama Alice. Paulo Biriate (who visited our church in 2022) assists them with business matters for the orphanage. Brian and Andrea Johnson visited the orphanage in 2014 and 2018 and have maintained contact since that time.

The orphanage is in need of money for clothing, food, payment of staff, building repairs, school supplies, fuel and electricity. The one church (in England) that regularly contributes is not able to meet all of their monthly needs, so they depend on God heavily for continued operations.

Prayer Requests Include:

- 1. Papa's health (high blood pressure, stroke, and prostrate issues) and someone to come alongside Papa to provide a succession plan for the Center.
- 2. Funding for basic needs (\$1000/month)
- 3. Funding for technical courses (mechanic, electrician, plumber, etc.) at \$173 per student for 6-month training which has proven to be the most successful way to help graduates find means of support after leaving the orphanage.
- 4. A partnership with churches for more consistent support and ability to implement ideas to help the orphanage generate funds for themselves.
- 5. Šafety and spiritual growth for Children, and prospects for them when they graduate.
- 6. Mental, physical, and spiritual health of the corrupted and hurting Nation of Mozambique.
- 7. Healing for those currently impacted by an epidemic of hemorrhagic conjunctivitis at the orphanage and throughout the nation.
- 8. Returning for another visit in the future, possibly when the orphanage celebrates their 25th anniversary in 2025.

Praises:

- 1. Paulo has a new job with the school system of Nhamatanda, allowing him to work more closely with the orphanage (it's a praise, but please pray that the government will start paying new hires who wait months for their paychecks to start).
- 2. The orphanage upgrades completed last year (with your help) have satisfied government inspectors who threatened to close down the center.
- 3. Paulo has started construction for a chicken farm operation that will help support the orphanage when complete (additional funds pending).
- 4. Papa's health has been much more stable in the past year.



REMINDER...

If you would like to provide a donation of money for the Mission's of the Month

Ministry please put it inside the globe in the lobby, designate it in the offering box, or designate Mission's Globe through donations on the website/App. **Long-Term Missionaries** 

Brian & Phyllis Hovey, ABWE-Papua New Guinea Dan & Erin Pack, Akina—Minneapolis Dave & Cathrin Osterhus, ReachGlobal-Austria Josh & Nicole Wilke, CTEN-Peru Steve & Kathy Austvold, EFCA Mission Mobilizers Josh & Sarah Seykora, YWAM—Hawaii

# Quarterly Meeting

Sunday April 28

Join us for an update at the quarterly meeting after Sunday School and potluck!

#### **Devoted Hearts Women's** Conference

#### Register At-

April 26th - April 27th Autumn Ridge Church Roch xed lunch purchase for additional \$11 ter, follow the QR code or Nevigate to https://br Click "Join a group" Select the group: Cornersto Enter the passcode CEFC iduals are responsible for the cost of their own ticke

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#### **April Birthdays**

- Tara Palmer 6
- 13 Gary Wallace
- 14 Brian Prins
- 16 Heather Fast
- 17 April St. Martin
- 19 Melissa Beaver
- 22 Jason Friesen
- 23 Kim Cluever
- 23 Linda Sprague
- 24 Greg Moore
- 25 Tony Hauer
- 26 Richard Moore
- 27 Linn Whiteside
- 27 Linda Friesen
- 27 Alex Beaver
- 28 Carolyn Pederson
- 28 Phil Bungum
- 30 Michael Van Ommeren

#### **April Anniversaries**

- Gene/Judy Hovey 2
- 18 Greg/Edyie Hauer
- 18 Tom/Becky Franklin
- 26 Derald/Judy Meixner
- 29 Steve/LeeAnn Jes

## Wednesday Night Prayer

Join us for prayer time in the Prayer **Room** at Cornerstone EFC Wednesdays @ 6PM.





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#### **FINANCES** -

January — February 2024

**General Acct.** YTD ACTUAL **Giving** 35,701.39 **Expenses** \$32,619.57

YTD BUDGET \$44,200.00 \$44,197.16

### 2024 Leadership

Senior Pastor Nate Palmer: 608- 487-5190 Church Office: 507-446-5850 Associate Pastor Scott Kahn: 815-501-1002

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1-31-25	Sunday School Superintendent and Children's		
1-31-25	Church Leader: Sami Olson		
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1-31-27	Nursery Coordinator: Tara Palmer/Sami		
	Olson		
	FUN Team: Jason Fawley		
	Missions Team: Andrea Johnson		
	Adventure Club: Tai Tolle/Colleen Waugh		
	Prayer Chain: Carolyn Pederson and Bonnie		
1-31-25	Jacobson		
	IT/Social Media Director: Zach Engel		
1-31-25	Meals Ministry: Becky Franklin/Kathy		
1-31-27	Van Ommeren		
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1-31-26	Card Ministry: Becky Quaintance		
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#### \*Last Term

#### Staff

Administrative Assistant Tai Tolle

**Building Custodial** Tai Tolle

#### **Elected Positions**

Church Treasurer Reagan Dregge

**Financial Secretary** Kathy Van Ommeren