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 in the front lobby area or complete a Connect Card (that's part of this folder) and drop it in the offering basket.

Our teacher today is Nicholas Andersen. Nicholas is the Director of ATLAS Orange City Area and the Teaching Elder for Common Place Evangelical Free Church in Rock Valley. He is passionate about seeing unbelievers being discipled to Jesus and believers being discipled in Jesus by everyday Christians proclaiming the gospel word and living a tangible, gospel life. His theology and missiology are decidedly Reformed, and he is currently in a wonderful season of becoming greatly acquainted with the clear and simple beauty of the Westminster Confession. He has been married to his wife, Marsha, for 18 years and they have 4 children.

TEACHER: Nicholas Andersen

SCRIPTURE: 1 Thessalonians 2:1-12

SERMON TITLE: "Imitation Discipleship"

NOTES:

OUR FAMILY

Living Water is excited to announce the hiring of Sandie Vant Hof as the Sheldon Campus Administrative Assistant. Please greet and encourage Sandie as she begins in this new position this week. Sandie and her husband, Lyle, attend the Sheldon Campus.

BBX (Vacation Bible School) **Wild West Adventure - a Journey with Jesus!** is happening this week - July 16-19 - from 6:30-8:00pm in Orange City backyards! Register your kids on the Living Water Kids Facebook page. Questions? Contact sarah@frcoc.org

Cadets: July 26-28 - The Three Day campout for the Three Rivers clubs is coming up soon in Hawarden. Please let either George Scholten 712-441-4015 or Jamey Schiebout 712-441-3290 know soon if you are interested in attending.

TODAY

9:30am COFFEE SHOPPE

10:00am WORSHIP

CHILDREN'S SUMMER WORSHIP 3, 4, and 5 yr olds

meets upstairs - use stairs right outside worship area (watch for announcement slide to dismiss)

11:00am STAY AND PRAY Little Treasures Room

Today, we will be praying specifically for the upcoming Leadership Strategic Retreat. The Council and Pastors will be meeting with a consultant to help sharpen Living Water's mission and vision. You are encouraged to be in prayer for that event and, if possible, stay after the worship service today and join with others to pray.

THIS WEEK

Mon, July 16 6:00pm

Unity Meal (SH) This is a free meal; everyone is invited!

<u>Tues, July 17</u> 7:00pm

Women's Bible Study (SH)

CALENDAR BEYOND THIS WEEK

Sun, July 22 - 6:00-8:30pm - Family Movie Night! (OC)

Featuring – "Jonah – A Veggie Tales Movie"

FREE - Popcorn & M&M's & Veggies provided! Bring your own beverage – non-alcoholic only

*Questions or willing to donate popcorn, M&M's or veggies?

Please contact: 1susandykstra@gmail.com or 712-360-0650

SAVE THE DATE: Sun, Aug 26 - Biker Event Rally at the Water (SH)

Watch for more details.

GET INVOLVED

INFANTS

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.

CHILDREN

Children's Church Bags are available at the Welcome Center in the lobby area. They are filled with quiet activities for our younger attendees to use during worship services. Following worship, please return the bags and contents to the Welcome Center.

SUMMER WORSHIP: 3, 4 and 5 year olds meet upstairs during the worship service. Use stairs right outside worship area. Watch for announcement slide for dismissal.

ADULTS/FAMILIES

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

COMMUNITY GROUPS: Small groups of people who enjoy staying connected to each other by discussing life, studying scripture, playing, eating, serving, and investing in one another. Contact Pastor Garry at gdnyenhuis@gmail.com

7-4-3 GROUPS: Groups of about 7 people gathering for a meal 4 times over a 3 month period. Contact Brittany Foreman - dan brittanyforeman@yahoo.com

LW Website: www.forallwhothirst.com

Find a Calendar of Weekly Events including Teaching Pastors, scripture and sermon topic

Copies of weekly worship folders and podcasts of the worship services

And much, much more!

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE CONTACT ONE OF THESE MINISTRY TEAM LEADERS

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