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Adult Education

The purpose of this ministry is to provide Biblical teaching and education for adults within Bible studies, small groups, and accountability groups.

Some groups are:

- Sunday School (9:00am-9:40am)
- Women's Ministry/ Bible studies
- Men's Ministry/ Bible Studies

How to get involved:

Become a **teacher** for a Bible study or small group. **Participate!** Join a Bible study, small group, or a Sunday school class.

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Youth Ministries

Sunday School (9:00am-9:40am): 6th-8th grade students meet in the youth room. High school and college students are able to join the adult Sunday school classes.

Get Connected (6th-8th grade ministry): Our large group normally meets on Sunday nights at Federated Fellowship at 6:00pm, unless we have a special event planned.

SWAT (High school ministry): SWAT stands for Students With A Testimony. SWAT meets on Wednesday nights at 7:00pm for large group and various other nights for different activities and events throughout the year.

Thrive is a ministry for college students as well as recent college grads to share life, community, and fellowship together. Based on John 10:10, "that we wouldn't just exist, but we would THRIVE."

How to get involved:

Become a **volunteer** for one of these groups (*there is an application process*).

Pastor Kurt Rietema 641-780-4704
kurt@federatedfellowship.org.

If you are interested in getting involved or would like more information about one the ministries in our church, you can contact the leader of the ministry directly or you may fill out the form below and turn it into the church office or Welcome Center.

- I am interested getting involved
- I would like more information

Ministry: _____

Name: _____

Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

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Children's Ministry

Sunday School is offered each **Sunday** morning **9:00am-9:40am** from Labor day through Memorial day for children.

Age Groups are:

- Little Lambs (3 & 4yr olds)
- Kids Praise (5 yr to Kindergartners)
- Jesus & Me (grades 1, 2 & 3)
- Worship Warriors (grades 4 & 5)

How to get involved:

Become a **teacher** or **substitute** (*1 month intervals*).
Participate! Send your children to Sunday School
Ages 3 yrs. through 5th grade.

Jenny Sharp 712-830-1585; tommygal1974@yahoo.com, or
Beth Andersen 641-780-9633; andersenb@central.edu

Nursery

The purpose of this ministry is to provide a safe, secure, nurturing environment for our nursery aged children 0 to 3 years allowing parents to participate in the worship service.

Workers in the nursery include a variety of both men and women. Our youngest volunteers, who are always paired with an adult, must be at least 11 years old.

How to get involved:

Become a **Nursery Volunteer** (*serve every 6-8 weeks; a 1 year commitment*).
Participate! Send your children to the nursery ages 0-3 years.

Denise Rodwell 641-295-4137
drodwell@q.net

Junior Church

The purpose of this ministry is to provide a safe, secure, nurturing environment for our children ages 3 years-Pre-K during the sermon allowing parents to participate in the worship service. Activities for children include a Bible story, coloring, snack, and play time.

Workers in Jr. Church include a variety of both men and women. Our youngest volunteers, who are always paired with an adult, must be at least 11 years old.

How to get involved:

Become a **teacher** (serve every 7-8 weeks; a 1 year commitment).

Participate! Send your children to the Jr Church ages 3 yrs to Pre-K.

Sheri DeNooy 641-660-3671; denooy@iowatelecom.net
Beth Andersen 641-780-9633; andersenb@central.edu

Women's Ministry

The Women's Ministry Team consists of a group of women who strive to minister to the women of our church. Their goal is to build relationships and encourage women to grow in unity and knowledge of Jesus Christ. This is accomplished by sponsoring weddings, baby showers, Bible studies, retreats, seminars and other social events such as Girls' Night Out.

How to get involved:

Become a **team member** or join a **sub-team** for Girls' Night Out, Baby Shower, etc.

Participate! Attend one of the events above or let us know if you have a baby or getting married.

Angela Wilson 641-620-9048;
thewilsons@iowatelecom.net

Prayer Ministry

The Ministry of Prayer has many different avenues within our church. Prayer Meetings are held on Sunday evenings where we meet to pray together. Prayer requests are sent out via email or by phone calls. After service on Sunday mornings, prayer servants are available for individuals prayer. In addition to these known times of prayer, this ministry is ever expanding and invites everyone to join us as God has called us to pray.

How to get involved:

Become a **prayer servant** during service or join a prayer group. **Participate!** If you are in need of prayer, please let us know.

Jean Van Wyk 641-780-1288; jean@ldj-products.com

Greeter's Ministry

When a guest or member enters the doors of the church, a greeter is there waiting to provide a warm and genuine word of welcome. Greeters provide a positive first impression for guests and a glad-to-see-you-again feeling for regular attendees of the church.

Besides a warm friendly smile, a greeter may answer questions, direct people to the nursery or hand them a bulletin.

How to get involved: Become a **greeter**.

Barry Ferguson, 515-344-6258; Barry.E.Ferguson@gmail.com

Visitation

The purpose of this ministry is to reach out to anyone with a need. Some examples would be hospital visits, a death in the family, or any other change that is affecting the family and could be served by a friendly and loving visit from a member of our church.

How to get involved:

Become a **friendly visitor**.

Participate! If you are in need of someone to pay you a visit, let Cleo know.

Cleo & Karron Duncan 641-780-2770
cdunkin3@gmail.com

Missions

Missions have been a big part of Federated Fellowship over the years. We support over 10 missionaries as a church body and offer various mission trips throughout the year. Many people in our church have participated in the annual Spring Break mission trip and it has been instrumental in many people's spiritual growth. Some possible mission trip opportunities in the future may be to Omaha, Chicago, Alaska, Venezuela, and Tanzania.

How to get involved:
Participate! Sign-up to go on a mission trip.

Pastor Kurt Rietema 641-780-4704
kurt@federatedfellowship.org

Bus Ministry

The purpose of this ministry is to provide transportation support for other ministries both at our church and the surrounding community. This includes providing maintenance, drivers and upkeep on our current buses as well as future vehicles. The Federated Fellowship "One Way" bus has traveled to Des Moines, Omaha, New Orleans, Mexico and Canada on various outings and mission trips.

How to get involved:
Become a **team member** or a **bus driver**. (*drivers must have a commercial license and a passenger endorsement.*)

Russ Engle 641-780-9280 or
Tony Spiker 641-230-0152; gspikeravon@yahoo.com

Men's Ministry

The Men's Ministry consists of a group of men who strive to minister to the men of our church and community. Their goal is to build relationships and encourage men to grow in unity and knowledge of Jesus Christ. We do this by having Bible studies and monthly events.

Vital Men
Men's Fraternity

How to get involved:
Become a **Bible study leader, co-coordinator for events.**
Participate! Join a Bible study or come to the monthly events.

Mike Sereg 641-660-7715

Common Ground

Common Ground is a group for young couples (20's and 30's). There are monthly get togethers focusing on fun and fellowship. Some months will be for the girls, some for the guys, and some for both!

Past events:
Laser Tag
Garden Night
Mini-Mission
Hayrack ride & Soup supper

How to get involved:
Become a **co-coordinator.**
Participate! Come to a Common Ground event.

Heidi Brand 641-990-6857
Lyndsi Guillien 641-780-1133

4 x 4 Groups

Couples and singles of all ages are invited to participate in the 4 x 4 groups where 4 family units (*single or couples*) will get together 1 time/month for the next 3-4 months for an evening (*or day activity*) of fun and fellowship. It is a great way to get to know people in your church body, have fun, and build relationships outside of church.

How to get involved:

Become a **group leader**.

Participate! Join a 4 x 4 group if you want to get to know others in our church better.

Rick & Diane Van Gorp 641-780-3535; rvangorp@kdsi.net

Hunting and Fishing

The hunting and fishing ministry is a ministry to reach men, women and young people through a shared passion for the outdoors. Our goal is to create opportunities to build relationships with other sportsmen and women in order to potentially lead them to a saving knowledge of Jesus Christ. This ministry is open to men, women and young people of all ages. We welcome both the experienced, novice and those who have never set foot in the great outdoors. We encourage anyone interested in getting involved to attend our meetings, get-togethers and events. Some possible events we might have are fishing derbies, fishing retreats, 3-D archery shoots, wild game banquets, fishing and hunting seminars and just good old fellowship nights.

How to get involved:

Participate! Become a member or go to an event.

Rodd Vande Wall 641-521-4451
Jim Farnum 641-891-9421

Buildings & Grounds

We all agree that a church is more than a building. Having a building enables us to do more ministry. With a building comes a lot of practical issues. We want to handle all issues to be good stewards of what God has so graciously given us. Building maintenance, cleaning, yard and parking lot maintenance and even IT services may not seem like a ministry. But to the people involved, it is a ministry that God has called them to and one that they take seriously and are dedicated to.

How to get involved:

Become a **volunteer** in the one of the areas above.
Participate! Enjoy the facility that God has given us.

Dennis Bogaards 641-780-0518;
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Special Events

The purpose of the special events ministry is to promote fellowship within our church. Many people participate and help with various events throughout the year. Our annual events include Easter Breakfast, Thanksgiving Dinner and Christmas Eve service.

How to get involved:

Become a **kitchen volunteer** or **help set-up the food area**.

Participate! Come join us for this time or worship and fellowship.

John or Marlene Gosselink 641-780-9472
marlene@federatedfellowship.org

Worship Team

This ministry has over 35 people involved with the Sunday morning worship service. If you have a gift in singing or playing an instrument, then join the Worship Team.

How to get involved:

Join the **worship team**.

Participate! Enjoy the worship experience on Sunday morning.

Blake Korns 641-521-5946;
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Audio/Video

The Audio Visual Team is a very behind the scenes type of ministry. However, without the microphones, sound system (audio) and the power point slides (visual) operating with a proper flow, our services would be distracting.

How to get involved:

Volunteer. Help run the sound system, computer, or control the lights

Blake Korns 641-521-5946; btkorns@gmail.com
Damon Fontinel 641-780-2981; dfontinel@gmail.com

Set-up

This ministry focuses on set-up of the multi-purpose room for Sunday mornings and other special events. Help is needed to set-up chairs for worship service and then tear down at the end of service so other ministries can use this area during the week.

How to get involved:

Become a **volunteer** for this ministry (*rotating schedule*).

Curt Van Wyk 641-780-0526; opl@iowatelecom.net

Meet the Needs

The Meet the Needs ministry was created to extend a helping hand to those who may have needs that they are unable to take care of by themselves. The most used service has been to help with household moving and taking meals to those who have been hospitalized for illnesses, surgery, or a birth of a baby. Volunteers give of their time, talents, vehicles and strength to help in many different ways.

Help someone move or become a moving coordinator
Deliver a meal or meals co-coordinator
Minor Repair
Cleaning
Transportation
Lawn Care & Snow Removal

How to get involved:

Become a **volunteer** or **co-coordinator**.

Participate! If you are in need of help, please let us know.

Casserole Night

Come join us for some fun and fellowship while we prepare a casserole to "meet the needs" of our fellow members. This provides a ready supply of frozen casseroles that can be taken at a moments notice to those who are sick, in the hospital, had a baby, etc.

What happens on Casserole Nights? People bring the ingredients to make your favorite casserole, missions fund provides the type of meat needed, and you assemble them together in our church kitchen.

How to get involved:

Become a casserole night **volunteer**.

Judy Nikkel 641-417-808;1 jrnikkel@netins.net

Share What You Wear

A community outreach in which we collect donations of gently-used clothing (*all ages & sizes*), bedding, baby items and school supplies in preparation for our FREE giveaway event which is set-up similar to a “garage sale” but we give away the items. At the event, we also strive to extend the hand of fellowship, provide information about our church and ultimately the love of Christ.

It is also a good opportunity to get to know others in our church family. This ministry team is made up of 16+ team co-leaders/members and over 100 volunteers.

How to get involved:

Join one of planning teams or volunteer the week of the event.

Participate! Everyone is welcome to receive free clothing, school supplies, etc. the day of the event.

Trisha Kornis 641-521-3946; btkorns@gmail.com
Cindy Van Donselaar 641-780-8422 ; dcvand@yahoo.com

SHARE Iowa

SHARE Iowa offers tasty, nutritious grocery packages at half the retail cost in exchange for 2 hours of volunteer service in your community. Choosing where you volunteer is up to you - any good deed qualifies. Anyone can participate. You can purchase as many packages of food as you like; either for yourself or as a gift. SHARE Iowa partners with places of worship, schools, and other organizations to create neighborhood "host sites" to make picking up your SHARE packages fun and convenient. Visit www.shareiowa.com for more information.

How to get involved:

Volunteer your time to help organize the packages.

Participate! Order a food package today.

Jean Van Wyk 641-780-1288; jean@ldj-products.com

Get Plugged In

This ministry focuses on helping people find their place in the church. It helps current members find their gifts and also find areas in which they can use them. The goal is to help people connect with one another and ultimately with Christ.

How to get involved:

Become a **greeter, visitor follow-up volunteer, or team member.**

Participate! Look for ways to get involved in the church.

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Josh Christenson 641-780-4278; jchriste4817@yahoo.com

Hospitality

Hospitality means making our guests and visitors feel welcome and at home in our church. Members of this committee make sure that there are plenty of snacks and drinks available before church. They are always available to clean up a spill or set out another plate of cookies. Over 50 volunteers take turns bringing treats each week.

How to get involved:

Volunteer to bring cookies, help set-up or tear down breakfast.

John or Marlene Gosselink 641-780-9472
marlene@federatedfellowship.org

Visitor Follow-up

This ministry follows-up with first time visitors delivering a free gift to their home while letting them know that we care and are glad they came to Federated.

How to get involved:

Become a **volunteer who delivers** the free gift
Participate! Fill out the Communication Card located at Welcome Center.

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