

GLORIFY, GROW AND GO!

FIRST REFORMED CHURCH, SIBLEY, IOWA
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2017

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE: John 6:pg. 1655

TODAY'S MESSAGE: *"Not a Fan, Is Jesus Enough"*

Welcome Guests! We are delighted that you are worshipping with us today. We are honored to have you as our guest. We strive to be a warm, welcoming place for you to glorify God. Please fill out an information card and place it in the offering plate as it is being passed. To find out more about First Reformed Church, stop at the Information Center in the Narthex, or visit our website: www.sibleyfrc.org.

Glorify! God With Worship

Cornerstone Service-9 am

Children and Worship (3 year-kindergarten)

Coffee Fellowship and Sunday School - 10:05-11:00 am

- Coffee Fellowship
 - Sunday School Classes (3yr olds and up)
 - Sunday School Guide class will meet in the Library
 - The Truth Project Bible Study meets-west end of the F.H.
 - Prayer Time with the Elders in the Fireside Room
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Open Door Service-11 am

Join us for a time of praise and worship through music and prayer, followed by scripture and a message.

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Grow! In His Word

Sunday, February 19 : Pastor Luke continues his sermon series, "Fan or Follower". We will have Communion Preparatory this morning to prepare our hearts and minds for Communion to be held next Sunday, February 26.

- **This morning in our Cornerstone Worship**, we will be blessed by the Senior Choir who will be singing, *"To Everything There Is A Season"*.
- **This past weekend, T.E.C.** (Teens Encountering Christ) was held in Sioux Falls. Working from our church was Dalten Bremer, Nick Buysman, Paige Hurlburt and Hunter Rockman. We pray for all of the candidates and workers who were at T.E.C.
- **10:10 am Starting today, we will be conducting** Membership Classes for anyone interested in becoming a member at FRC. Please go to Pastor Luke's office. These classes will run for 4 consecutive weeks. If you have any questions feel free to ask Pastor Luke for further details.
- **10:10 am Join the Men's Bibles Study** in the West room of the Fellowship Hall for a new study starting today called, "The Creed". We will be discussing the Apostles Creed.
- **6:30 pm The Truth Project** in the Fellowship Hall. **URGENT:** We are needing volunteers to help with Child Care during The Truth Project starting tonight. There is a sign-up sheet on the Information Center.

Tuesday: 8:30 am Chickadee Quilters

Wednesday: 9am Mothers Together will meet. We will have a presentation on "Traditions-the Ties that Bind". Learn and discuss on how traditions give your family identity and memories. All young mothers are invited to attend. Childcare provided.

- **6:30-7:15 pm** Bible Class for grades 1st-5th
- **6:30-7:15 pm MS Remnant** meets in the Youth Room
- **7:15 pm HS Remnant** meets in the Youth Room

Sunday, February 26 : Lord Willing, We will Celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion. **This morning in our Open Door Worship**, We will have public Profession of Faith for Levi Christensen and Kira Christensen. We will also celebrate the Sacrament of Infant Baptism for Connor Lee Christensen, son of Levi and Kira Christensen. First Reformed welcomes you all.

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Opportunities to Serve our Church and Community

Faith in action for the month of February is: Random Acts of Kindness. Show what it "looks" like to be a Christian by doing a random act of kindness for someone.

The Baby Bottle Campaign for the Cherish Center in Milford, Iowa has begun. Take an empty bottle from the table, fill it with your change or bills, return it to the table at church. That's it! Cherish Center is a non-profit organization in Northwest Iowa formed in 1999. Services include counseling, mentoring, and providing a home (Cherish House) for young girls facing an unplanned pregnancy.

Our church is responsible for the Delivery of Meals on

Wheels for the weeks of February 27-March and March 6-10. Delivery of the meals usually takes about 45 minutes of your time. We need 4 people to help each week. Sign-up sheets are on the Information Center. If you can, please sign up to help the community ministry!

Remember to check the narthex table and take home some free books and music CDs. You may also place on the table Christian books or materials you'd like to give away. We'd like to see these get a new home.

Wednesday, March 8: FRC Soup and Pie Supper Sign-up sheets have been hung on the Information Center. This is the Youth Soup and Pie Supper and this year we are doing things a little different. The high school Remnant group will be doing all the serving (soups, BBQ, etc.) We will be needing some workers to warm soup and cut pies during the day as the youth are still in school. We are also making the Vegetable soup at church the morning of the Soup and Pie Supper. We are asking for a monetary donation from people to purchase the supplies for the soup. If you have questions please call the office.

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February 22 First Presbyterian Church of Sibley will host a Soup and Pie Supper.

You are invited to attend the **Community Potluck** held on the third Sunday of each month at the Senior Citizens Center. Bring a dish to share and your own table service; coffee is furnished. Join us for dinner at 12:30 on February 19.

Inspiration Hills Summer Camp: Brochures with registrations can be found on the information center. There are many different camps for many different ages. Check the dates and see which one will work for your children this Summer. Also remember that our church will pay 1/2 of the registration cost as well. Register before April 15 to receive the best discount.

Sibley-Ocheyedan Elementary Early Childhood Registration is open. Children who will be 4 years old by September 15, 2017 are eligible for Preschool. Children who will be 5 by September 15, 2017 are eligible for Pre-K or if they are not currently enrolled in the S-O Pre-school or Pre-K programs are eligible for Kindergarten. If you would like to register your child for the 2017-18 school year in these classes please call 712-754-3636. Deadline for registration is Friday, February 17th.

Head Start Applications are being taken for the Sibley Head Start preschool program, which will begin in the fall of 2017. Any child who is age 3 or 4 by September 15, 2017, will be eligible to apply. Please call 712-298-4169 or the main office at 800-245-6151 to request an application.

You are invited to a **Community Spaghetti Meal and Sundaes** hosted by TEAM TRINITY on **February 26** 11am-12:30pm at Trinity Lutheran Church. Free will donations accepted for the American Cancer Society.

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Visit our website at: sibleyfrc.org

All bulletin announcements are due in the church office on Wednesdays by noon. Bulletins are printed on Thursday morning.

There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

	Today:	Next Week
Cornerstone Greeters:	W: Arnie and Diane Langstraat M: Cliff and Linda Mehls E: Regina and Andrea Meyer	W: Keith and Brenda Michelson M: Rich and Marcia Oldenkamp E: Roger Lindberg and Marlin Roelfs
After Church Greeters:	SE: Lawrence Wiersma C: Pastor Luke SW: John Bartels BE: Marcus De Boer BW: Heath De Jong	SE: Ron Dykstra C: Harold Ernst SW: Pastor Luke BE: Henry Fisher BW: Lennis Harberts
Children and Worship	9am Leader: Annette J Helper: Family of Pierce Julius 11am Leader: Annette J Helper: Family of Paisley Kreykes	9am Leader: Deb K. Helper: Family of Alea Ross 11am Leader: Deb K. Helper: Family of Keegan Van Der Slood
Nursery	Cornerstone: Jennifer and Ella Bruxvoort Sunday School: Jan Henrichs and Lana Hibma Open Door: Chrissy Ackerman and Heather Tangeman	Cornerstone: Brenda and Alyssa Wassman Sunday School: Sandy Lamfers and Megan Loerts Open Door: Melissa and Kalie De Boer
Library	Kathy & Joel Verdoorn	Ruth Ann Wiersma
Coffee	Ted Schutte	Keith and Janelle Van Drunen

Offerings: February 12, 2017: General Fund- \$5,301; Benevolent Fund-\$429; HS/MS Remnant-\$1,4,38. **Special Offering for February:** High School and Middle School Remnant Youth Groups

