# GLORIFY, GROW AND GO!

FIRST REFORMED CHURCH, SIBLEY, IOWA SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2018 TODAY'S SCRIPTURE: COLOSSIANS 3:1-7 PG: 1834 TODAY'S MESSAGE:

"BODY BUILDING...BUILDING CHAMPIONS FOR KINGDOM RESULTS—BUILDING ENDURANCE"

**Welcome Guests!** We are delighted and honored that you are worshipping with us today. We strive to be a warm, welcoming place for you to glorify God. We encourage you to please fill out a visitor card found by the hymnals in the pew 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

# 9 am - Cornerstone Service

Children and Worship (3 yrs.—Kindergarten)

## 10:10-10:50 am Coffee Fellowship & Sunday School

- Joel and Samantha (Honken) Bouwers will share about their ministry between services today
  - Coffee Fellowship in the Fellowship Hall
  - Sunday School for ages 3 yrs.—Adult
- Sunday School Guide Class will meet in the Library
- Men's Bible Study: "<u>24 Hours That Changed the World</u>" meets-west end of the F.H.
  - Prayer Time with the Elders in Pastor's Office

# Open Door Service-11 am

Join us for a time of praise and worship by use of music, prayer, scripture and a Bible Talk. *Children and Worship (3 yrs.—Kindergarten)* 

**Offerings: Jan. 28, 2018:** General Fund–\$4,010; Benevolent Fund-\$200; Building-\$100; Lighting-\$310; Osceola Love Bank-\$25; MS/HS remnant-\$50. **Special offering for February** is HS and MS Remnant.

# Grow! In His Word

**Sunday, February 4:** This morning, Pastor Luke will conclude his sermon series, "Body Building...Building Champions for Kingdom Results – Building Endurance." Today we will celebrate the Sacrament of Holy Communion. We thank the Senior Choir for providing special music at the Cornerstone Service this morning. We also thank Joel and Samantha Bouwers for sharing about their ministry this morning.

- 8:40 am: Senior Choir will practice
- **10:10 am:** Joel and Samantha (Honken) Bouwers will share more about their ministry between services.

Monday, February 5:

- 7:00 pm Women's Monday Evening Bible Study *Tuesday, February 6:*
- 8:30 am: Chickadee Quilters
- 6:30 pm: Special Elders Meeting

### Wednesday, February 7:

- 9:00 am: Coffee with the Pastor
- 6:30 pm: A Study on Philippians will begin tonight at The Lantern
- Bible Classes & Youth Groups
  - 6:30-7:15 pm: Bible Class for 1st—5th Grade 6:30-7:15 pm: Middle School Remnant meets
  - 7:15-8:30 pm HS Remnant meets in the Youth Room

**Sunday, February 11:** This morning we welcome the Remnant Youth as they lead us in worship at both services. The theme this morning will be "Let Go/Let God."

- No Senior Choir practice this morning.
- **10:10 am: Property Team** will meet between services in the front of the Sanctuary.

### *Go! And Serve Him* Opportunities to Serve our Church and Community

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

**Inspiration Hills Camp brochures are here!** Pick one up today and see what amazing adventures await your children this summer at Inspiration Hills. Registration opened February 1st. Register by April 15 and Save \$\$\$. \*Remember FRC will pay half of the cost of registration!

**You are Needed!!** The MS Remnant Youth Group is looking for a few good people to add to our Youth Sponsor Team. If you have a heart for youth and are interested please contact Josh to find out more details.

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### **Opportunities to Serve our Church and Community**



<u>Community Grief Support Group</u> will be meeting at 5:30 pm at The Lantern on Thursday evenings for 8 weeks.

 <u>A Study on Philippians</u> will begin on
 Wednesday, February 7th from 6:30-7:30, at the Lantern.

**Easter Memorial Garden** We will be decorating the front of our church on Easter morning with beautiful flowers. Order forms for plants have been placed in your mailboxes. Purchased flowers can be dedicated to the memory of a loved one, or to celebrate a birthday, anniversary or other special occasion. There is a place on the bottom of the order form for you to indicate your dedication request. Completed order forms along with payment need to be placed in the box on the Information Center by Sunday, February 25th.

**TEACHERS ARE NEEDED!!** We are in need of Wednesday Night Teachers. Please prayerfully consider giving of your time to help build God's Kingdom one child at a time. If you are interested please log onto our Google Docs or talk to Deb Kosters to get signed up. https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/

d/1idJE4sd9Mktix67DTzefCymUv4HxMY5oyeAdFQsHQrU/edit#gid=0. We also will need a couple of Sunday School teachers starting in February. If interested in those positions, please contact Diane Langstraat or sign up on the Google Doc: https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/ d/1pBk1yqPAAqRRX6lQFsSIMqP7YLPWZq8Gyii2yzRZw4g/edit#gid=0

**"This Is God" Easter Cantata needs your voice!** As we prepare our Easter Cantata, the choir would like to invite anyone in the congregation, Middle School—Adult, who is interested in singing to join us. It does not matter if you have never joined us before. This is also not a long term commitment. Practice will begin February 18 at 1:30pm. We are looking forward to a great turn out with many voices!!!

**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 nonprofit organization in Northwest Iowa formed in 1999. Services include counseling, mentoring, and providing a home (Cherish House) for young girls facing an unplanned pregnancy. Thanks in advance for your help!!

**Open Kitchen at the Sibley United Methodist Church** will be February 10<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 pm. The meal will be Spaghetti and Sauce, Garlic bread, Lettuce and dressing, Angel food cake with strawberries and whipped cream. This is a free meal and all are welcome.

### *Go! And Serve Him* Opportunities to Serve our Church and Community

A Valentine Dinner is being hosted by the Sibley-Ocheyedan Choirs on Saturday, February 10 at 5:30 at The Lantern. A delicious meal and amazing entertainment is being planned. To make reservations please call 712-754-4594. Seating is limited so don't delay...Call Today!! All proceeds will benefit the 2019 Choir trip to Nashville/Memphis.

**You are invited to a** *Community Spaghetti Meal & Sundaes* hosted by Relay for Life team, TEAM TRINITY, on **February 25** from 11am -12:30pm at Trinity Lutheran Church. Free will donations will be accepted for the American Cancer Society.

**Sibley-Ocheyedan Junior Class** is raising funds for Prom and has <u>Casey's</u> pizza cards available! With these cards you are able to buy one pizza and get another free. They are \$15.00 and don't expire! If you are interested please stop at or call <u>Essentials Salon</u> @ 754- 2038 or contact Brenda Ackerman @ 461-2448. We thank you for your support!!

**Sibley-Ocheyedan Elementary Early Childhood Registration:** If you have a child who...

- will be (4) by Sept. 15, 2018 and you are interested in having him/her attend Preschool, or
- will be (5) by Sept. 15, 2018 and you are interested in having him/her attend Pre-Kindergarten, or
- will be (5) by Sept. 15, 2018 and is not currently enrolled in the S-O Preschool or Pre-K programs and you are interested in Kindergarten
   Please call 712-754-3636 to register Peristration Deadline is Friday. Feb.

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# **Advance Notices:**

February 14: 9:00 am Mothers Together will meet February 18: 1:30 pm Easter Cantata Practice at FRC February 19: 9:00 am Faith Bible Study will meet

- 4:00 pm Patience Bible Study will meet
- 6:00 pm Elders / Deacons will meet
- 7:00 pm Full Consistory will meet

## church staff

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# **There is JOY in Serving Jesus!**

	This Week: February 4	Next Week: February 11
Cornerstone Greeters:	<ul> <li>W: Larry &amp; Alfreda Verdoorn</li> <li>M: Brent &amp; Brenda Wassman/family</li> <li>E: Joel &amp; Kathy Verdoorn</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>W: AJ &amp; Jenny Weg/ family</li> <li>M: Lawrence &amp; Ruth Ann Wiersma</li> <li>E: Ryan Wiersma &amp; Paul Feldkamp</li> </ul>
After Church Greeters:	<ul> <li>SE: Pastor Luke</li> <li>C: Josh Lucas</li> <li>SW: Henry Fisher</li> <li>BE: Stan Gaalswyk</li> <li>BW: Lennis Harberts</li> </ul>	<ul><li>SE: Ed Harskamp</li><li>C: Pastor Luke</li><li>SW: Josh Lucas</li><li>BE: Bill Hartzell</li><li>BW: Dale Honken</li></ul>
Prayer with the Elders:	Cornerstone: Lennis Harberts Open Door: Lawrence Wiersma	Cornerstone: Duane Vande Hoef Open Door: Dale Honken
Children and Worship:	9:00 am Leader: Deb K. Helper: Family of Olivia Daiker 11:00 am Leader: Deb K. Helper: Family of Hadlie Town	9:00 am Leader: Deb K. Helper: Jeannette Juffer 11:00 am Leader: Deb K. Helper:
Nursery:	Cornerstone 9:00am: Ashley Heronimus & Diane Langstraat Sunday School: Sandy Lamfers Open Door Service: Chrissy Ackerman & Heather Tangeman	Cornerstone 9:00am: Kim & Alex Mc Dougall Sunday School: Megan Loerts Open Door Service: Melissa & Kalie De Boer
Library:	Jan Henrichs	Beth Hulstein
Coffee:	Ken & Wilma Loerts	Scott & Jamie Hulstein

# **Body Building** FOR KINGDOM BUILDING **CHAMPIONS** RESULTS

# Building Endurance Colossians 3:1-17

