

GLORIFY, GROW AND GO!

FIRST REFORMED CHURCH, SIBLEY, IOWA
SUNDAY, JULY 23, 2017

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

Coffee Fellowship - 10:10-11:00 am

- Men's Bible Study: The Creed meets-west end of the F.H.
 - Prayer Time with the Elders in Pastor's Office
 - Study on the Sermon on The Mount in Fireside Room.
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Open Door Service-11 am

Join us for a time of praise and worship by use of music, prayer, scripture and a Bible Talk.

Offerings: July 16 2017: General Fund-\$4,965; Benevolent Fund-\$263; Building-\$5; Mission Support-\$375. **Special offering for July** is FRC Mission Share Support.

Grow! In His Word

Sunday, July 23: This morning we welcome JJ Ten Clay. JJ is our missionary serving in Italy. The TenClays work in the region of Palermo, Sicily. JJ is a social action worker, developing partnerships with medical, mental health, substance abuse recovery, governmental, and social service entities as well as ministries focused on meeting the physical, spiritual, and socioeconomic needs of the more than 500,000 migrants in the area, most of whom are from Africa and the Middle East.

- **We thank Dale Honken** for his ministry of music this morning in our first service.

Tuesday: 8:30 am Chickadee Quilters.

Wednesday: First Reformed Is scheduled to help serve at The Banquet in Sioux Falls today.

- **12:30 pm** volunteers to prepare the meal will leave. (You need to be there by 2 pm)
- **4:00 pm** 40 volunteers to serve the meal will leave. (you would need to be there by 5:15 pm).
- **We are still needing volunteers to help serve the meal.** *Sign-up at the Information Center.* Please make a commitment to help out with this Outreach project! The average meal cost is \$700-\$900 plus the cost of milk. REMEMBER: open toed shoes/flip-flops, tank tops, low cut or midriff baring tops and short shorts are not acceptable attire.

Thursday: HS Remnant returns from Rocky MT. High.

Sunday, July 30: Pastor Luke will continue his sermon series entitled "Proclaim."

Go! And Serve Him

Opportunities to Serve our Church and Community

Faith In Action for the month of July is: School Supplies! The Osceola County Ministerial Association (O.C.M.A.) buys school supplies in bulk to be distributed during school registration (August) to low income or needy families. This year, instead of having individuals buy school supplies, the O.C.M.A. is asking for monetary donations. If you would like to contribute to the School Supply program, you can do so through your offerings with School Supply designations on your check. You can also give directly to the O.C.M.A. by dropping off any money to any of the pastors in town. Thank you for your continued support of the O.C.M.A. projects!

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The Bountiful Blessings Table is back! Whether it is an abundance of garden produce, flowers, bars, cakes, cookies, etc. all items are appreciated. Items donated to the table are available to take home for a free will monetary donation. All money collected by the end of the season will once again be donated to the Upper Des Moines Food Pantry.

COLLEGE YOUNG ADULTS ARE GOING TO ROMANIA IN AUGUST

Currently, we have 12 young people going on this mission trip. (Megan Block, Burke Newman, Troy Soat, Andy Champalath, Dylan Runia, Francine Wiese, Ashton Reiter, Andrea Meyer, Britta Harberts and MaLeaha Doeden). ***We still have two fundraisers going on!! (see the back of the Sanctuary for envelopes that still remain. Can you help us reach our goal?***

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The Bible League's "Christmas in July" will be held on Monday, July 24, 2017 at 1:30 pm. at the Hospers Christian Reformed Church in Hospers, Iowa. You are asked to bring an item such as baked goods, crafts, plants, etc., to place on the silent auction tables. You will be given time to view the items and place your bids. Our guest speaker will be Loren Veldhuizen. Hope to see you all there.

Come Camp Out and get s'more out of Jesus! Sibley United Methodist Church (700 11th Ave. NE) will be holding their summer VBS on Friday, August 4 from 5-9pm, and Saturday, August 5 from 10am-3pm (Please note: this is not an overnight event). To pre-register by Friday, July 28, please contact the church at 754-2624 or Cindy at 461-0714. All children ages 3-years-old through 6th grade (completed in May) are welcome and encouraged to attend these two adventurous days and learn that Jesus is the light (John 8:12).

There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

Today:

Next Week

Cornerstone Greeters:	W: Ron and Nancy Dykstra M: Scott and Marlys Dykstra E: Trudy Dykstra and Anita Ernst	W: Harold and Luella Eggink M: Harold and Mim Ernst E: Henry and Barb Fisher
After Church Greeters:	SE: Stan Gaalswyk C: Pastor Luke SW: Lennis Harberts BE: :Ed Harskamp BW: Bill Hartzell	SE: Pastor Luke C: Dale Honken SW: Dan Janssen BE: :Dr. Greg Kosters BW: Arnie Langstraat
Prayer with Elders	Cornerstone: Lawrence Wiersma Open Door: Lennis Harberts	Cornerstone: Dale Honken Open Door: Duane Vande Hoef
Children and Worship	Finished until Fall	Finished until Fall
Nursery	Cornerstone: Daphne Bremer and Tayler Sunday School: Finished until Fall Open Door: Sarah Loerts and Megan	Cornerstone: Brenda and Leah Ackerman Sunday School: Finished until Fall Open Door: Marvella and Britta Harberts
Library	Alfreda Verdoorn	Kathy & Joel Verdoorn
Coffee	Charlie and Brenda Kuhl	Dave & Sandy Lamfers



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someone who leaves their family for a short time, so that others may be with their families for eternity.

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

