

GLORIFY, GROW AND GO!

FIRST REFORMED CHURCH, SIBLEY, IOWA
SUNDAY, MARCH 5, 2017

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE: Matthew 6: 5-8; 16-18 pg. 1504

TODAY'S MESSAGE: "Discipline of Prayer and Meditation"

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, March 5 : Pastor Luke is starting a new sermon series dealing with Spiritual Disciplines. **This morning in our Open Door Worship,** We will have public Profession of Faith for Cody Hurlburt. We will also celebrate the Sacrament of Infant Baptism for Braelyn Grace Hurlburt, daughter of Cody Hurlburt and Kristen Witt. First Reformed welcomes you all.

- **The Baby Bottle Campaign** has ended. Please return your bottles to the table today. Thank you.
- **10:10 am Membership Classes** in Pastor Luke's office.
- **10:10 am Join the Men's Bibles Study** in the West room of the Fellowship Hall for a new study called, "The Creed".
- **6:30 pm The Truth Project** in the Fellowship Hall

Monday-Friday: Meals on Wheels. Driving this week are Lyle Peelen and Ed and Jan Harskamp.

Tuesday: 8:30 am Chickadee Quilters

Wednesday: 9 am O.C.M.A. meets.

- **2 pm Nursing Home Services**
- **5-7 pm Soup and Pie Supper.** If you haven't signed up to donate anything or to help out, please consider doing so. Thanks in advance!
- **6:30-7:15 pm Bible Class** for grades 1st-5th
- **6:30-7:15 pm MS Remnant** meets in the Youth Room.
- **HS Remnant** is working the Soup and Pie Supper.

Sunday, March 12: Pastor Luke continues his sermon series on Spiritual Disciplines.

- **10:10 am Last Membership Classes .** All Elders are asked to meet with the class this morning.
- **10:10 am Join the Men's Bibles Study** in the West room of the Fellowship Hall for a new study called, "The Creed".
- **6:30 pm The Truth Project** in the Fellowship Hall

Go! And Serve Him

Opportunities to Serve our Church and Community

Faith in action for the month of March is: Items for the Nursing Homes. This month, we are encouraging everyone - children through 90 year olds - to bring at least one item for the residents of our two local nursing homes. Sibley Rehab needs items for bingo prizes: Little Debbie or other individually wrapped snacks and candy bars. Country View needs items for their general store: jewelry, small knick-knacks, shaving cream, shampoo, lotion, toothpaste & brushes, hard candies, etc.

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Check the FREE BOOK/CD TABLE in the narthex—some more books have been placed there. Leftovers will be disposed of after March 15.

We Welcome Brenda Kuhl to the staff at FRC. Brenda will be working as a worship coordinator for both services. We thank Brenda for accepting this position and we welcome her to the staff at FRC. If you need to get a hold of Brenda her email address is: pptfrc@gmail.com.

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. *That all being said, we still need your help with pies and soups. Please consider helping out.*

Advanced Notices:

Sub Sandwich sales will be starting. Be watching for order sheets coming out soon!

March 14: Classis Meeting ; Trinity Reformed Orange City

March 15: 6 :30 am Men's Lenten Breakfast at United Methodist

March 15: 5-7 pm St. Andrews Soup and Pie Supper

March 18: 1:30 pm Senior Social Event at FRC

March 20: 9 am Faith Bible Study Meets

March 20: 4 pm Patience Bible Study Meets.

March 20: 6 pm Elders meet

March 20: 7 pm Consistory Meets

March 29: 6:30 am Men's Lenten Breakfast at FRC

March 29: 5-7 pm Soup and Pie at Baptist Church

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Hope Haven and Osceola Employment Services needs your help. They are in need of a sewing machine. These sewing machines are what the clients use to make strips to make rugs. If you have a good working sewing machine that you no longer have use for, please call 754-2635. (We can even come and get it from you) You can also drop one off at 1206 11th Ave. in Sibley.

Sibley United Methodist Church (700 11th Ave. NE) will offer their Open Kitchen meal at noon on Saturday March 11. This month's menu includes Runza, dinner rolls, fruit cocktail, and pudding cake. There is no charge for the meal.

On the Information Center are some handouts about Digital Media and your children. It has facts and statistics about digital media and suggestions on how to encourage a media free zone. If you are interested, please stop by and pick one up!

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.

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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: Lawrence and Ruth Ann Wiersma M: Ted and Eileen Schutte E: Cal and Kathy Runia	W: Marvin and Janice Runai M: Dr. Brian and Heidi Saylor and family E: Eric Schiphoff and Hugh Schiphoff
After Church Greeters:	SE: Stan Gaalswyk C: Pastor Luke SW: Ed Harskamp BE: Bill Hartzell BW: Dale Honken	SE: Dan Janssen C: Dr. Greg Kosters SW: Arnie Langstraat BE: Pastor Luke BW: Ken Loerts
Children and Worship	9am Leader: Deb K. Helper: Family of Logan & Aiden Ver Steeg 11am Leader: Deb K. Helper: Family of Kalen Heronimus	9am Leader: Deb K. Helper: Family of Grace Hoekstra 11am Leader: Deb K. Helper: Family of _____
Nursery	Cornerstone: Tanya and Makya Dykstra Sunday School: Tami Tracy and Pam Vande Hoef Open Door: Kathy Runia and Abby Kreykes	Cornerstone: Amy Van Marel and Mary Hustoft Sunday School: Peg Van Kley and Ruth Ann Wiersma Open Door: Wendy and Jahlyn De Jong
Library	Jane Buysman	Marilynn De Boer
Coffee	Jim and Pauline Van Engen	Curt and Peg Van Kley

Offerings: February 26, 2017: General Fund— 3,133; Benevolent Fund—\$372; Building—\$155; HS/MS Remnant—\$120; Village—\$100; Hope Haven—\$40. **Special offering for March** is Hope Haven.

