

Ancient Warnings For A Modern World "The Judgement"

AMOS
A Prophetic Book



**SUNDAY,
MAY 6, 2018**

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE: Amos 8-9 PG: 1429

SERMON TITLE: "Amos...Ancient Warnings for a Modern World — The Judgement"

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

No Children and Worship

10:10-10:50 am

Coffee Fellowship, Prayer Time

- Coffee Fellowship in the Fellowship Hall
 - No Sunday School until Fall
- Prayer Time with the Elders in Pastor's Office

11 am - Open Door Service

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

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Offerings April 29, 2018: General Fund—\$6,850; Benevolent Fund—\$315; Building—\$105; MS/HS Remnant \$50; Bible League—\$20; Lighting \$200.

Special offering for May is Center of Hope.

In order to meet all of our Benevolent bills for the 2nd quarter, we will need an additional \$25,000 above our normal offerings by June 30.

Grow! In His Word

Sunday, May 6:

- This morning Pastor Luke will continue his sermon series entitled, “Amos...Ancient Warnings for a Modern World—The Judgement.” This morning we will have Communion Prep to help prepare our hearts and minds to Lord willing, celebrate the Lord’s Supper next Sunday.
- **10:10 am: Between services this morning** there will be a quick VBS info meeting for all volunteers in the Fireside Room. We will be filling out required background check permission forms. Please bring your driver’s license and Social Security Card if you do not know your number. Thanks!
- **After the VBS meeting:** Discipleship Team will have a short meeting in Pastor Luke’s office
- **Middle School Sub Sandwich orders are due TODAY.**

Monday, May 7:

- **7:00 pm: Ladies Bible Study** will meet.

Tuesday, May 8:

- **8:30 am: Chickadee Quilters**

Wednesday, May 9:

- **2:00 pm: FRC is in charge** of Nursing Home/Assisted Living Services
- **6:00 pm-8:00pm Flower Sales and** sponsored by the HS Remnant Youth Group. For more information please see announcement in this bulletin.
- **Youth Groups will not meet**

Friday, May 11:

- **2:00 pm: FRC is helping with BINGO** at Sibley Specialty Care

Saturday, May 12:

- **11:00am-Noon: MS Sub Sandwich Orders** will be ready for pickup

Sunday, May 13:

- Happy Mother’s Day! This morning we will have the privilege of celebrating the sacrament of the Lord’s Supper. We also wish to welcome to our service, Dr. Bernadeth Kelly and Adrian Bobb, who are currently serving as RCA missionaries.

Mark Your Calendars:

- May 14:** 7:00 pm Outreach Team will meet
May 20: Graduation for Sibley-Ocheyedan Community School
May 27: Graduation for Sheldon Community School

Faith in action for May: Faith in action for this month is **Daily Vacation Bible School**. Sign up to help teach, be a helper, bring food, work in the nursery etc. It takes many people to help make DVBS a success !

Go! And Serve Him

Opportunities to Serve our Church and Community

BINGO HELP: FRC is responsible for bingo at Sibley Specialty Care on **Fridays at 2:00 pm for the month of May**. Please consider giving an hour to serve in Christ’s name. A sign-up sheet is on the information center.

Attention First Reformed Church!! Remnant’s Middle School Students are selling sub sandwiches! If you would like to purchase these meaty, delicious turkey, ham or club sub sandwiches please fill out the order form located on the Information Center in the back of the church! Drop it in the box in the same spot! **ALL ORDERS ARE DUE TODAY, MAY 6th**. These subs can be frozen and make a great, quick meal. All money raised will go to our Power Connection Trip this summer and other activities. Students will get credit for the subs they sell. Please write the student’s name on the order form to ensure proper credit is given. **Sub sandwiches will be ready for pickup May 12 from 11 am-noon.** Thank you for your support!

Shipwrecked Vacation Bible School Registration deadline for Vacation Bible School is **Today, May 6th**! Registrations submitted after this date cannot be guaranteed a free t-shirt! If you haven’t already, go online to fill out the registration form at <https://vbspro.events/p/sibleyfrc>. We still need additional volunteers to help make the week a success! Contact Kelsey Joseph (712-301-2044) or Jena Ver Steeg (507-360-0748).

Ladies, please join us for a video based Bible study, Befriend. We live in a world where real friendship is hard to find. This study invites Christians to see the breadth of Christ’s love toward people. We will start on **Monday, May 7, at 7:00 p.m.** at church and plan to meet weekly. This is a 6 week study. Go to Right Now Media for more information.

Need to get something for Mom for Mother’s Day? The HS Remnant can help you out! On Wednesday, **May 9, from 6-8 PM** come to the church to check out a variety of potted plants, packs of flowers, vegetable plants to get your garden going, and much more. In addition to our flower sales that evening, we will also be ***servng burgers, brats and other yummy foods plus all the fixings*** for a free will donation. Come out rain or shine to help the HS Remnant’s journey to Rockport, Texas this summer! Thanks so much for your support!

Reservations are being taken for a piano recital to be given by Mr. Peter Carlson, Sibley-Ocheyedan’s Band Director, for the Sibley-Ocheyedan Music Scholarship. This scholarship provides funds for S-O graduates pursuing music degrees. The recital will be held on **Sunday, August 12, at 2pm** in the S-O Auditorium. This special performance **must sell out by May 24th** in order for Mr. Carlson to agree to perform. Tickets are \$15 per seat minimum donation. Contact Mr. Carlson at 712-754-7233, or email pcarlson@thegenerals.org for reservations!

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FRC is in the process of updating their website to make it more user friendly. We are also going to be putting pictures on this website of activities within our church. If you do not want your picture or your child's picture on the website, please contact the office.

Bible League International Spring Salad Luncheon is scheduled for Monday, **May 7, at 11:30 am** at the First Christian Reformed Church of Orange City, Iowa (408 Arizona Ave. S.W.) Come learn about the work of Bible League in Latin America and enjoy the music of the Siouxland Women's Chorus. **You are asked to bring a salad for every two people to share.** Drinks will be provided. Hope to see you there!

Free Food Available: The Food Bank of Iowa mobile pantry will be distributing food on Tuesday, **May 8th from 4-6 p.m.** at the Sibley Christian Reformed Church. If you or anyone you know could use some help with food, please come. Please bring your own bags, baskets, or boxes to carry your food.

Ackerman Fundraiser/Bake Sale items needed. A fundraiser for the Curt Ackerman family will be held on **May 12**. As part of this fundraiser we plan to hold a bake sale. I am looking for pies/ cakes/cupcakes/ cookies 12 or 6 on a plate/ bars 12 or 6 on a plate. All proceeds of the fundraiser and bake sale will go to help the Ackerman family with expenses after Curt's accident. If you are able to help in this area please contact Lesleigh Noonkester (712) 461-2566 Thank you in advance!

You are invited to a Community Women & Girls Brunch hosted by Relay for Life Team *TEAM TRINITY* at **9 am Saturday, May 12**, Trinity Lutheran Church, Sibley. After brunch a presentation entitled "Romance of Hats" will be given by Jan Stofferan, followed by door prizes. Rhubarb pies and Team Trinity crafts will be also be available. All proceeds donated to the American Cancer Society. Tickets are \$7 and available at The Porch On Main or call Brenda Krahling @ 712-461-0687.

Those interested in the Mission Trip to Rockport, Texas: There will be a Parent/ Student, informational meeting on **Monday, May 28 at 7pm**, regarding the upcoming mission trip to Texas to help with hurricane relief. If you are planning on going to Texas or if you are still "on the fence" you need to plan on attending this meeting. Please mark your calendars!

Sermon Notes:

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Miss a message? Want to hear the message again? Go to **Sibleyfrc.org** and click on "sermon" to watch the video.

Pray for God's People



If you have a pastoral need, please call Pastor Luke Schouten, 920-889-3911, any consistory elder or the church office (754-2783) Remember, we cannot print your name unless you have granted FRC permission to do so. If you have a prayer request you would like included, please contact the office.

- **Pray for those in assisted living:** Ethel Jurgens and Geneva Wissink.
- **Pray for our nursing home residents:** Larry Buysman, Minnie De Jong, Tracy Den Beste, Dutch Kruger and Lois May
- **Pray for our Missionaries:** Dr. Bernadeth Kelly and Adrian Bobb, Jeff and Chelsea Lampen, Sayuri Kist-Okazaki, Brian and Donna Renes, J.J. and Tim TenCley, Rowland and Jane Van Es.

Prayer Requests

Kelli Vande Berg is currently dealing with an infection which has delayed her hip surgery that was supposed to have happened this past week. We ask that you please keep her in your prayers as she deals with this new set back. Pray for patience and a quick healing for her.

Please continue to lift **Jay Ten Napel, Mike Kraayenbrink, and Myrna Calsbeek** up in your prayers as they deal with cancer. Please also lift up their families as they seek to care for their loved ones who are struggling with their health.

There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

	This Week: May 6	Next Week: May 13
Cornerstone Greeters:	W: Jacob & Sami Fox/family M: Michelle Fox & Rhonda Henrichs E: Stan & Gert Gaalswyk	W: Gene & Renae Groen M: Robert & Janice Groen E: Amanda Harms/family
After Church Greeters:	SE: Arnie Langstraat C: Ken Loerts SW: Pastor Luke BE: Josh Lucas BW: Ed Meendering	SE: Dick Oldenkamp C: Lyle Peelen SW: Larry Riebeling BE: Pastor Luke BW: Josh Lucas
Prayer with the Elders:	Cornerstone: Dale Honken Open Door: Duane Vande Hoef	Cornerstone: Bill Hartzell Open Door: Dick Oldenkamp
Children and Worship:	Children and Worship is on Summer Break... See you next Fall!!	Children and Worship is on Summer Break... See you next Fall!!
Nursery:	Cornerstone 9:00am: Gina & Jaden Jacobsma Sunday School: Summer Break until Fall Open Door Service 11:00 am: Missy Julius & Kim Van Der Sloot	Cornerstone 9:00am: Brenda Michelson & Linda Mehls Sunday School: Summer Break until Fall Open Door Service 11:00 am: Karen Honken & Amy Dykstra
Library:	Marcia Van Ruler	Phyllis Vander Linden
Coffee:	Jim & Pauline Van Engen	Curt & Peg Van Kley



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