



# Welcome to Church! SUNDAY, AUGUST 19, 2018

We are delighted 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
- Prayer Time with the Elders in Pastor's Office
  - No Sunday School until Fall

### 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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# Grow! In His Word

SERMON TITLE: "God's Top 10—
The Sin No One Will Admit...Don't Want"
TODAY'S SCRIPTURE:

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# Stewardship & Giving

Offerings for August 12, 2018: General Fund-\$5,453; Benevolent Fund-\$150; Building-\$5; HS Remnant-\$50; Village Northwest-110.

Special offering for August is Village Northwest.



Scan here with your smart phone to link to our online donation page!

# Happening This Week

#### Sunday, August 19:

- **The Sermon Topic** for this morning will be "God's Top 10—The Sin No One Will Admit...Don't Want." This morning we will celebrate the sacrament of the Lord's Supper at both services.
- **1:30 pm: Middle School Remnant** trip to Thunder Road in Sioux Falls, SD. Students will return by 7pm.

#### Monday, August 20:

- 9:00 am Faith Bible Study
- Patience Bible Study will not meet this month
- 6:00 pm Elders/Deacons Meeting
- 7:00 pm Full Consistory

#### Tuesday, August 21:

• 8:30am: Chickadee Quilters

#### Thursday, August 23:

First Day of School for Sibley-Ocheyedan Community Schools

#### Sunday, August 26:

 The Sermon Topic for the morning will be "Focus on Farming...Breaking Up Your Fallow Ground." We will also hear an update from the College Mission Group that recently returned from Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

### Mark Your Calendars

August 27: 6:30pm / 7:00pm Nursing Home Sing-a-Long September 3: Church Offices will be closed due to Labor Day

September 5: 9:00 am Coffee with the Pastor

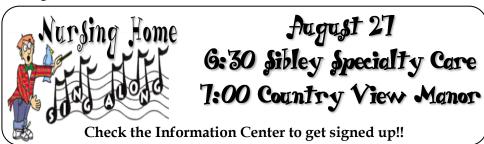
September 17: 9:00 am Faith Bible Study

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

September 19: 5-7 pm Soup and Pie Supper (Groups 5 & 6 are in charge)

#### Faith in Action for August is the Upper Des Moines Food Pantry.

Let's help fill up the pantry! Any nonperishable food is welcome. Thank you for sharing!



# Go! And Serve Him

## **Opportunities and Events**

Attention Middle School Remnant students! (incoming 6th grade-8th grade) Get ready for a fun afternoon today at Thunder Road in Sioux Falls! We will be leaving the church at 1:30pm and will be back in Sibley by 7:00pm. Please bring a fun attitude and \$10 to cover the cost. Invite a friend! See you there!!

Ladies, join us on Monday, Aug. 27, at 7:00 p.m. as we start a study on the book of Colossians. This book of the Bible is a letter written by Paul and many consider it as one of the most important letters ever written. This will be a video study, lead by Pastor Louie Giglio, that will dig deep into this book of the Bible. We will meet weekly for this eight part Bible Study. Contact Annette Janssen for more details 754-4174.

Attention Parents of College Students: The office would like to have an updated mailing address for your student/s to publish in the newsletter. Could you please send the church an email sibleyfrcoffice@gmail.com or drop a text to Jamie Hulstein 712-260-7246 with this information. Thanks so much!!

The annual ATLAS of Osceola Fall Celebration Banquet will be held Wednesday, <u>August 29, 2018</u>, at the Ashton Legion Building. Doors will open at 6:00 to view items offered for the silent auction and the meal served at 6:30. All those interested in attending can acquire their free ticket from any board member or by stopping at the ATLAS office.



#### **Start Dates:**

#### **Wednesday Night Bible Classes**

September 5th Sunday School September 9th

Please consider helping by leading a class this year!
Sign-up sheets are posted on the Information Center
as well as on these Google Docs links:



(Wednesday Bible Classes) https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1idJE4sd9Mktix67DTzefCymUv4HxMY5oyeAdFQsHQrU/edit?usp=sharing



(Sunday School Classes) https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1pBk1yqPAAqRRX6IQFsSIMqP7YLPWZq8Gyii2yzRZw4g/edit?usp=sharing



Grab your lawn chairs and head over to Central park on Saturday, August 25 at 8:45pm for a FREE outdoor movie in the park. We will be watching "God's Not Dead: A Light in the Darkness." All ages welcome.

# BRING YOUR OWN BEVERAGE AND SEATING. SNACKS WILL BE PROVIDED.

The Ashton (& Sibley) Auxiliary Unit 290 of the American Legion will be hosting the Burger Barn south of Sibley Super Foods on Labor Day weekend. Visit them on <a href="Aug. 31/Sept.1">Aug. 31/Sept.1</a> for lunch from 11:00 to 1:00 – all proceeds go to help Veterans in our area.

Heartwood Heights is asking for donations of fabric that the residents can use. Any variety of fabric will do. Big, small, (maybe not bed sheets) What is being planned with these donations is making different types of crafts to do for our afternoon activities! An example of the crafts we would like to do would be: wrapping a roll of toilet paper to make it look like a pumpkin, or making a flower, or wreath to hang on their doors! Please bring your donations to Heartwood Heights and ask for Suzanne.

**Michael W. Smith outdoor concert** set for Arnolds Park, Iowa tonight <u>August</u> 19, 2018. Gates open at 3 p.m. with opening act Jacob Daniel taking the stage at 4 p.m. He will be followed by Ten Seven Band, with Michael W. Smith closing out the night. Bring lawn chairs or blankets, no coolers please, with seating on a first-come basis. Tickets are \$25 each, available online through the Facebook page, Holy Trinity Lutheran Church Concert. You may also purchase tickets by calling (507) 841-0474 during normal business hours.

**You are invited to attend the August Night of Music** at Salem Reformed Church, Little Rock. We welcome the Southern Gospel Music group, The Klassens, from Worthington, MN, **tonight, August 19 at 7 pm**. Refreshments will follow.



On <u>September 11</u>, the Bible League Volunteers are hosting their Fall Retreat. You will be enriched with spiritual encouragement, joyful fellowship, worship, and entertainment. To give you an opportunity to partner in the

Great Commission, an offering will be taken for ministry in Latin America. More details can be found online at bibleleague.org/retreat18 or on the poster posted on the Information Center.

### Sermon Notes:

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Miss a message? Want to hear the message again? Scan our handy QR code to get quick access to our web page (Sibleyfrc.org) where you can click on "Sermons" to watch the video. While you are on our home page check out our other tabs for more church information.



# In Our Prayers

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, Harold Schram 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 Van De Berg had surgery** on her pelvis on August 16th in Rochester. Please continue to lift her in your prayers as she recovers.

We are thankful that Wilma Loerts was able to return home from the hospital. Please continue to lift her in your prayers as well.

**Please lift Cavell Van Westen** up in your prayers as he continues with his cancer treatments.

# There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

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	This Week:	Next Week:
	August 19	August 26
Corner-	W: Mark & Melissa Langstraat/	W: Brian & Megan Loerts/family
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Greeters:	M: Gary & Wilma Leusink	E: Josh & Hannah Lucas
	E: Brad & Sara Loerts/family	
After	SE: Ron Dykstra	SE: Stan Gaalswyk
Church	C: Harold Ernst	C: Lennis Harberts
<b>Greeters:</b>	SW: Pastor Luke	SW: Ed Harskamp
	BE: Josh Lucas	BE: Pastor Luke
	<b>BW:</b> Henry Fisher	BW: Josh Lucas
Prayer	Cornerstone:	Cornerstone:
with the	Lawrence Wiersma	Dale Honken
Elders:	Open Door:	Open Door:
	Lennis Harberts	Duane Vande Hoef
Children	Children and Worship	Children and Worship
and	is on Summer Break	is on Summer Break
Worship:	See you next Fall!!	See you next Fall!!
Nursery:	Cornerstone 9:00am:	Cornerstone 9:00am:
	Daphne Bremer & Dalten or Tayler	Brenda & Leah Ackerman
	Sunday School:	Sunday School:
	Summer Break until Fall	Summer Break until Fall
	Open Door Service 11:00 am:	Open Door Service 11:00 am:
	Karen Honken & Amy Dykstra	Chrissy Ackerman &
		Heather Tangeman
Library:	LaVonne Prins	Imogene Rasmussen
Coffee:	Roger & Carol ledema	Dave & Donna Kleinwolterink



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#### **Jamie Hulstein, Communications**

Hrs.: Thurs. 8am–1pm; Fri 8am-12pm
\*\*\*All bulletin announcements are due in the church office by Wednesday noon. Bulletins are printed on Thursday morning.\*\*\*