



I HAVE
 SET YOU AN
 EXAMPLE
 THAT
 YOU
 SHOULD DO AS
 I HAVE DONE
 FOR YOU. JOHN 13:15



Welcome to Church!
SUNDAY, AUGUST 5, 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.

No Children and Worship

Grow! In His Word

SERMON TITLE: "Do As I Have Done For You"

TODAY'S SCRIPTURE: John 13:12-17 pg: 1674

Stewardship & Giving

Offerings for July 29, 2018: General Fund-\$4,749; Benevolent Fund-\$140; Building-\$300 Mission Share Support \$20; School Supplies-\$50.

Special offering for August is Village Northwest.



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

Happening This Week

Sunday, August 5:

- **This morning's sermon** topic is "Do As I Have Done For You." We will be privileged to hear an update on the High School Remnant Mission Trip to Texas as well as an update from Gabby Anderson on her mission trip to Europe.

Tuesday, August 6:

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

Wednesday, August 7:

- **4:30pm: Dream Big! Bible Study** at the Lantern.

Friday, August 10:

- **7:00pm: Middle School Remnant Lock-in** at Church begins.

Saturday, August 11 :

- **8:00am: Middle School Remnant Lock-in** students will be dismissed.

Sunday, August 12:

- **The Sermon Topic** for the morning will be "Sin's Guilt." We will have Communion Preparatory to help us prepare our hearts and minds to partake in the Lord's Supper next Sunday morning.

Mark Your Calendars

- August 19:** Communion Sunday
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
August 23: First Day of School for Sibley-Ocheyedan

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

Mission trip students left late last night for Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Please keep Jada Carlson, Peyton Crichton, Hunter Rockman, Jayden Abels, Kaitlyn Bechler, Angie Ackerman, and Pastor Luke in your prayers. They will be returning Aug. 12.



Hey Middle School Students...Mark your calendars and get ready for some fun!!! MS Remnant will be having a lock-in at church on **Friday-Saturday, August 10-11**. Games, food, fun and Josh; what more could you ask for? You can invite friends as well. The lock-in will be over at 8 am Saturday morning.

The Bountiful Blessings Table is back for the summer! This is a great way to share your extra produce and baked goods while helping those less fortunate. All proceeds will be once again be donated to Upper Des Moines!

The August newsletter is available at the Information Center. A color digital copy is on our website, <https://www.sibleyfrfc.org>, under the "Publications" tab.

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!!

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

McCallum Museum, located in the Sibley Central Park, presents the program Life In Country School: schedule, recess games, discipline, lunches, subjects taught, etc. on **August 5 and 12 at 2:00pm**. Refreshments will be served and there will be a freewill offering for the new furnace and air conditioner. •MUSEUM HOURS open every Sunday from 1:30 – 4:30p.m until August 26, 2018. Also open on Tuesday & Thursday 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.



Sermon Notes:

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Invite your Friends to the annual Okoboji Bible Conference which will be held **August 4-12**. For more information please see the brochures and poster on the Information Center. If you have questions please feel free to call 712-332-2883 or go online to okobojiconference.org.



On September 11, 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.

Michael W. Smith outdoor concert set for Arnolds Park, Iowa on **August 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.

Nursing Home August 27
6:30 Sibley Specialty Care
7:00 Country View Manor
Check the Information Center to get signed up!!

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

We praise God that Travis Klaassen was able to return home from the hospital this past week. Please continue to lift him and his family up in your prayers as he continues to recover from his broken leg.

Barb Van Diepen was able to return home from the hospital this past week. Please continue to remember her in your prayers as she is still dealing with pain.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Chad and Megan Travaille who were united in marriage here last night. May God bless this union and be a guiding light to them.

Congratulations to Brian and Megan Loerts on the birth of a daughter, Ellie Grace born Wednesday, August 1. Ellie weighed 7 lbs 11 oz. and 19 3/4 inches long. She is welcomed home by 3 brothers, Brysen, Jaxton and Nash. Proud grandparents are Ken and Wilma Loerts.

There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

	This Week: August 5	Next Week: August 12
Cornerstone Greeters:	W: Pam Kruger & Jodene Kruse M: Tim & Jodie Kruger/Family E: Rich Kruger & Robert Kruger	W: Charlie & Brenda Kuhl M: Dave & Sandy Lamfers E: Arnie & Diane Langstraat
After Church Greeters:	SE: Pastor Luke C: Josh Lucas SW: Harvey Van Ruler BE: Larry Verdoorn BW: Lawrence Wiersma	SE: John Bartels C: Corky Koerselman SW: Josh Lucas BE: Marcus De Boer BW: Heath De Jong
Prayer with the Elders:	Cornerstone: Dick Oldenkamp Open Door: Bill Hartzell	Cornerstone: Marcus De Boer Open Door: Heath De Jong
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: Tanya & Makya Dykstra Sunday School: Summer Break until Fall Open Door Service 11:00 am: Angie Ackerman & Amber Mortenson	Cornerstone 9:00am: Amy Van Marel & Mary Hustoft Sunday School: Summer Break until Fall Open Door Service 11:00 am: Missy Julius & Kim Van Der Sloot
Library:	Jeannette Juffer	Leona Meendering
Coffee:	Mike & Mary Hustoft	Dan & Annette Janssen



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Hours: Mon-Thurs. 8am -1pm

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.