

For God So Loved the World



John 3:10-21



FEBRUARY 4, 2024

We are delighted that you are here to worship with us today.
Miss a service, want to watch a sermon again? Our services are broadcasted live on our YouTube Channel (Sibley First Reformed Church).

Glorify God With Worship!

9:00 am Praise and Worship Service

Prelude - Ger Van Diepen

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

SONG: "10,000 REASONS"

SONG: "FIRM FOUNDATION"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION / WORDS OF ASSURANCE

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP ARE DISMISSED

SCRIPTURE: JOHN 3:10-21

MESSAGE: FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD

PRAYER CONCERNS

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER -- DUANE VANDE HOEF

BRINGING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

(DOXOLOGY AND OFFERTORY PRAYER)

SONG: "I KNOW WHOM I HAVE BELIEVED" #310

BENEDICTION

CLOSING: "MAY GOD'S BLESSINGS SURROUND US"

Happening This Week

Sunday, February 4:

- **9:00 am: Praise and Worship Service.** This morning, Josh Lucas will share his message "For God so Loved the World" based on John 3:10-21.
- **10:10 am: Sunday School** for 3-103
- **10:10 am: Coffee Fellowship**
- **6:30 pm: Fellowship Bible Studies**

Tuesday, February 6:

- **8:30 am: Quilters will meet** in the Fireside Room

Wednesday, February 7:

- **6:00 pm Agape Supper hosted by the Remnant Youth**
- **7:00 pm Agape Movie in the Sanctuary**
- **Bible Classes and Youth Groups**
6:30 pm: Bible Classes for 1st-5th Grades will meet. Please use the east door for entering and exiting the church as the Agape event will be happening in the Fellowship Hall.

Sunday, February 11:

- **9:00 am: Praise and Worship Service.** This morning, Pastor Troy will share his message "Abraham: Fear vs. Faith" based on Genesis 12:10-20. Today we also will be blessed with the gift of music by our Wednesday Night Bible Class Students as well as the Children and Worship students. Thank you for sharing your talents with us this morning.
- **10:10 am: Sunday School** for 3-103
- **10:10 am: Coffee Fellowship**
- **6:30 pm: Fellowship Bible Studies**

Mark Your Calendars

February 12: 6:00 pm Elder Deacon Meetings

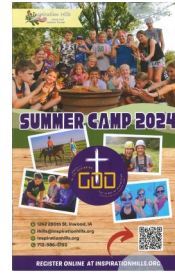
7:00 pm Full Consistory will meet

February 14: FRC is in charge of Nursing Home services.

February 19: 9:30 am: Faith Bible Study will meet

3:00 pm: Patience Bible Study will meet

February 21: 6:00am Men's Lenten Breakfast at Sibley Christian Reformed Church



Summer Camp Registration Is Now Open!!

Please see the link below for more information:

Inspirationhills.org

Receive the Early Bird Discount if you register before April 15.

Many camps fill up quickly!! Make plans now so you won't miss out on the camp you want to attend. Remember that First Reformed will pay ½ of the camp registration fees for your student plus a friend if they choose to bring one. Canteen Cards etc are up to the families. If you know of someone who would like to attend camp but can not afford it please contact the office as funds have been made available to help offset some of the cost.



The congregation is invited to a bridal shower in honor of Paige Hurlburt, daughter of Chris and Teresa Hurlburt and bride-to-be of Kyle Blomgren, on Saturday, February 17th from 1-4 at the Lantern. The couple is registered on Amazon.



Babies Blessings Table

We are so excited to be starting this ministry here at First Reformed Church!! Donations for baby supplies are needed!! Beginning on February 1st, and each month afterward, we will be asking for donations of diapers, outfits, wipes, pacifiers, gift cards to buy formula, diaper rash cream, etc. All of the things that you can think of that a new parent would need for a new baby. ****Please place all donations on the table in the Narthex under the west balcony stair case.****

If you know of someone who is in need, please have them contact Josh Lucas and he will make arrangements for them to get their supplies. If you have any other questions, please let Josh or anyone on the Outreach Team know.

Remember ALL babies are a blessing!!

News you Need to Know

Registration for Spring Cursillo is now open! Cursillo is a spiritual renewal program for people seeking to grow and deepen their faith in God. Cursillo is also intended to strengthen the local church through the development of Christian disciples and leaders. Cursillo begins on a Thursday evening and ends late Sunday afternoon. If participants are married, both spouses must attend. Men and women who are single, engaged, divorced or widowed may also attend. Those attending the Cursillo weekend hear a series of talks, worship together, participate in small-group discussions and participate in Holy Communion. Cursillo weekends are lay-led, with spiritual support and guidance from pastors. **For the Spring Cursillo the Men's weekend is February 22-25 and the Women's weekend is Feb. 29-March 2, at Swan Lake, Viborg, SD.** For more information, please contact Jodi Wagenaar.

Volunteer Opportunity—Sibley Christian Reformed Church is starting an English class ministry. Some of the volunteer roles involve tutoring, welcoming people, caring for children, serving snacks, and praying. Our first night of class will be Feb. 20. If you are interested in being a part of this ministry, visit www.sibleycrc.com/english-class or contact Lisa Wiersma (712-441-3910, wiersma.lisa11@gmail.com).

Register NOW for Tri-State TEC which will be happening on **February 16-18** at Maurice Reformed Church. Register at www.tristatetec.org.

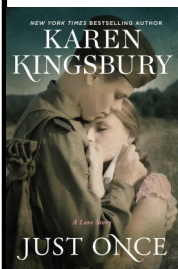
Hospice Needs Volunteers: The Avera @ Home program is looking for volunteers to work with their hospice program. If interested please contact Stacie Inman at 712-209-0160 or see the Information Center poster for more information.

Sermon Notes:

SCRIPTURE: JOHN 3:10-21

MESSAGE: *FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD*

Book of the Week



JUST ONCE
By
Karen
Kingsbury

In Our Prayers...

If you have a pastoral need, please contact Pastor Troy Van Beek or your District Elder or Deacon. You may also contact the church office or Jamie's cell if you would like a prayer chain started. 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:** Ellen Schram, Anita Ernst, Trudy Dykstra, Larry and Alfreda Verdoorn, Ethel Jurgens, and Margaret Calsbeek
- **Our nursing home residents:** Gert Gaalswyk, Martha Krikke, Jane Buysman, Donna Sterler and Marlys Brink
- **Our Missionaries:** Dr. Bernadeth Kelly and Adrian Bobb, Sayuri Kist-Okazaki, Brian and Donna Renes, J.J. and Tim TenClay, Rowland and Jane Van Es

Pray For:

- **All those** who have lost loved ones.
- **Our Church as we** seek God's will with our future decisions
- **Our Country and its Leaders.**
- **All those who have had** illnesses and surgeries and/or deal with health issues.
- **Dale Dreessen**, Donna Smidt's brother-in-law, recently underwent shoulder surgery and has a long recovery ahead of him.
- **Eunice Valenziano**, Donna Smidt's sister, underwent hip replacement surgery this past week. Please pray for healing with minimal pain for both Dale and Eunice.
- **Randi Vander Sloot**, Marty Vander Sloot's wife, has been moved into hospice care. Pray for peace for the family.

Words of Thanks

We wanted to thank you for your recent gift of \$305! Your generosity and precious investments into the lives of children and families is making a huge impact. We are so grateful for you!

~~The Bethany Family

Faith In Action for February

Random Acts of Kindness

Leave a thank you note Offer your seat
Cycle courteously BE TOLERANT Let another go first
Bake cookies for firefighters Give a compliment
Help a student make friends Assist an adult
Give a balloon away Lend a classmate a pencil
Celebrate something every day Encourage a friend
Respect others Walk a dog Do a favor
Forgive mistakes Smile at someone new

Stewardship & Giving

Offerings taken on January 28: General-\$8949.60; Benevolent-\$365; Building -\$85; Osceola Community Express-\$830; Remnant Youth-\$100.

Special Offering for January was for Osceola Community Express

Special Offering for February is HS and MS Remnant

Attendance Last Sunday: 193

There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

	This Week: February 4	Next Week: February 11
Greeters:	E: Marlin Roelfs C: Janice Runia W: Marlin and Kathy Runia	E: Brian and Heidi Sayler/family C: Eric Schiphoff W: Hugh Schiphoff
S. School Nursery:	Kira Christensen & Kathy Verdoorn	Teresa Hurlburt & Peg Van Kley
C&W Leader	Deb Kusters	Deb Kusters
Library:	Alfreda Verdoorn	Kathy/Joel Verdoorn
Coffee:	Ed and Jan Harskamp	Bill and LaDonn Hartzell



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Hours: Mon & Thurs. 8am -2 pm

***Announcements are due by Wed. noon.
***Bulletins are available by the sanctuary doors
no earlier than Thursday at 2:00pm