

# Family Matters

Deuteronomy 6:4-9



**JUNE 30, 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:** Karissa Hulstein

**WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**SONG:** "HOLY, HOLY, HOLY" #2

**SONG:** "COME NOW IS THE TIME TO WORSHIP"

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION / WORDS OF ASSURANCE**

**SCRIPTURE:** Deuteronomy 6:4-9

**MESSAGE:** *Family Matters*

**PRAYER CONCERNS**

**CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER -- DALE HONKEN**

**BRINGING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

*(DOXOLOGY AND OFFERTORY PRAYER)*

**SONG:** "LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD"

**BENEDICTION**

**CLOSING:** "THE BOND OF LOVE" #123



## Happening This Week

### Sunday, June 30:

- **9:00 am: Praise and Worship Service.** Today we welcome Josh to the pulpit as he concludes his Family Matters Series with the topic, "Family Matters" based on Deuteronomy 6:4-9. This morning we will have Communion Preparatory to help prepare our heart and minds to participate in the sacrament of Holy Communion next Sunday.
- **10:10 am: Coffee Fellowship**
- **6:30pm Digging into God's Word** Bible Study Group will meet in the Fireside Room

### Monday, July 1:

- **Pastor Brian will be on staff** here at First Reformed.

### Tuesday, July 2:

- **8:30am Quilters will meet**

### Thursday, July 4:

- **Church Offices will be closed** for the 4th of July holiday.

### Friday, July 5:

- **2:00 pm FRC is in charge of BINGO at Sibley Specialty Care.** Please see the sign up sheet on the Information Center to Volunteer.

### Sunday, July 7:

- **9:00 am: Praise and Worship Service.** Today we welcome Pastor Brian to the pulpit. May God bless him and his family as he begins his ministry here at First Reformed. This morning we also have the privilege of celebrating the sacrament of Holy Communion.
- **10:10 am: Coffee Fellowship**
- **6:30pm Digging into God's Word** Bible Study Group will meet in the Fireside Room
- **July 7-12: Josh is serving as Chaplin at Inspiration Hills Camp**



**BINGO volunteers are needed** for the month of **JULY**. Please sign up at the Information Center today to help out.



**The Bountiful Blessings Table is back for the season.** A great way to share your abundance of garden produce, flowers, baked goods, home canned items, crafts... (all items are appreciated) All items donated to the table are available to take home for a free-will monetary donation. All money collected by the end of the season will once again be donated to a local food pantry.

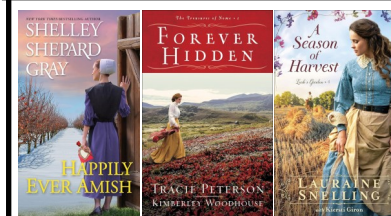


**The Congregation is invited** to the Installation Service for Pastor Brian Carpenter, on **Sunday, July 21 at 4:00** pm here at First Reformed Church. Following the service, you are encouraged to stay for a meal served in the Fellowship Hall. Main dish and desserts will be furnished; however, we are asking congregation members to please bring a hot or cold side dish to share. Please save this date and time on your calendars. Hope to see you all there.

## Mark Your Calendars

July 8:	6:0pm Elder and Deacon Meetings
	7:00 pm Full Consistory will meet (Fireside Room)
July 12, 19 and 26:	2:00 pm FRC is in charge of BINGO at Sibley Specialty
July 11-14:	FRC Men's Fishing Trip
July 15:	9:30 am Faith Bible Study
	3:00 am Patience Bible Study
July 17:	2:00 pm FRC is in charge of Nursing Home Services

## Books of the Month



Check out these featured books in this month's Newsletter!!

## Community Bulletin Requests

**SAVE THE DATE!** You are invited to enjoy food & fellowship at the ATLAS Omelet Brunch fund-raiser **TODAY, Sunday, June 30, 10:00 AM – 1:00 PM** at the Senior Citizens Center, Sibley. Serving delicious omelets with your choice of fillings, muffins, juice, milk, & coffee. Choose from indoor seating or carry-out. A freewill offering will be received to support the ministry of ATLAS of Osceola County. Together touching lives for Christ.

**The Osceola Regional Health Center Auxiliary** is selling greeting cards as a fund-raiser. Boxes of 30 uniquely designed birthday or sympathy cards are available for \$40/box. Contact Jolene Eddy at [jse@premieronline.net](mailto:jse@premieronline.net) or 712-461-2142 to purchase or for more information.

## Sermon Notes:

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**MESSAGE:** Family Matters



**Celebrate Summer with food, fun and friends!**

**Free Summer meals are available for all children and teens 18 and under.**

**Where:** North entrance of the HS (by the bus barn) **When:** July: 1, 3, 8, 10

**How:** Children 18 and under and/or their guardians may drive up and pick up the meals for the day. *Monday's lunch will contain 2 days lunches and Wednesday's will contain 3 days lunches.*



***Kids away at camp this week***  
***July 1-3***

Jhase Hesse - Grand Camp

Kellan Hesse - Grand Camp

Pauline Van Engen - Grand Camp

**Students always love receiving mail from home. If you would like to write to students who are attending camp please send letters to:**  
**Inspiration Hills Camp, % (Student Name/Camp attending), 1242 280th Street, Inwood, IA 51240.**

## In Our Prayers...

If you have a pastoral need, please contact 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 or send a prayer chain unless you have granted FRC permission to do so. If you have a prayer request you would like included in the bulletin/announcements, please contact the office.

### Pray For:

- **Those in assisted living:** Jane Buysman, Ellen Schram, Anita Ernst, Trudy Dykstra, Larry and Alfreda Verdoorn, Ethel Jurgens, and Margaret Calsbeek
- **Our nursing home residents:** Martha Krikke, 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.
- **Pray for healing for:** Dale DeBoer, Dick Oldenkamp, LeRoy DeBoer, Mandie Sprock, Marlys Dykstra, Lennis Harberts, LeRoy Stevenson, and Melanie Schiphoff.
- **Janelle Van Drunen** underwent knee replacement surgery this past week. Please continue to pray for quick healing with minimal discomfort.
- **Mandie Sprock** underwent cancer surgery this past week. Please pray for peace as they await test results
- **Individuals away at camp this week:** Jhase Hesse, Kellan Hesse, Pauline Van Engen
- **All those affected by the flooding** in our area.

## Words of Thanks

Thank you to everyone who lent a hand with the parsonage repairs and updating. It was greatly appreciated.

~~Dennis Jurgens

# Faith In Action for June

## Shut-ins/Nursing Home Residents



**Make a point to send a card, visit or make them feel special in some way.**

## Stewardship & Giving

**Offerings taken on June 23:** General-\$4027; Benevolent-\$35; Building-\$10; Bountiful Blessings-\$5; Parsonage Repairs-\$150; Freedom's Gate-\$100; Village NW-\$100.

**Special Offering for June is Freedom's Gate**

**Attendance Last Sunday: 124**

## There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

	<b>This Week: June 30</b>	<b>Next Week: July 7</b>
<b>Greeters:</b>	E: Rodney Hulstein C: Chris and Teresa Hurlburt W: Cody and Kristen Hurlburt/family	E: Mike and Mary Hustoft C: Merlyn and Julie Janssen W: Jeannette Juffer
<b>Worship Nursery:</b>	Nursery is open but unstaffed	Nursery is open but unstaffed
<b>S. School Nursery:</b>	Sunday School is on break	Sunday School is on break
<b>C&amp;W Leader</b>	Children & Worship is on break	Children & Worship is on break
<b>Library:</b>	Leona Meendering	Janice Runia
<b>Coffee:</b>	Vande Hoef Family	Ken and Wilma Loerts



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