

THE STORY

READ THE STORY. EXPERIENCE THE BIBLE.



Deliverance



Welcome to Church!

JANUARY 26, 2020

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

9:30 am - Combined Worship

- Children and Worship for those 3 yrs-Kindergarten

10:10-10:50 am

Coffee Fellowship & Prayer Time

- Sunday School 4yrs-12th Grade
- Adult Sunday School Guide class meets in the Library
- Men's Bible Study meets on the West end of the Fellowship Hall
- Women's Bible Study "Grace Filled Marriage" meets on the West end of the Fellowship Hall
 - Coffee Fellowship in the Fellowship Hall
 - 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 contemporary music, prayer, scripture and a Bible Talk.

- Children and Worship for those 3 yrs-Kindergarten

Grow! In His Word

MESSAGE:

"DELIVERANCE"

SCRIPTURE:

Exodus 12:21-32 PG: 105

Stewardship & Giving

Offerings for January 19, 2020: No Church Due to Weather

Special Offering for January is Osceola Communities Express

Cherish Center Baby Bottle Campaign is here. Grab a bottle and donate! All bottles need to be returned by February 2nd. Thanks!!!

Happening This Week

Sunday, January 26:

- 8:20am Joyful Voices Choir will practice
- Today we continue the Sermon Series, "The Story" with the sermon topic "Deliverance" Today's sermon is based off of Chapter 4 pages 43-57 in the book "The Story."
- 10:10 Sunday School
- 6:30pm Sunday Evening & Wednesday Night "The Story" Bible Studies will meet at Clayton and Jodi Wagenaar's home. See announcement for more information.

Monday, January 27:

- Pastor Luke will be on Vacation from January 27-February 3. If you have a pastoral concern please contact an Elder or the church office.
- 7:00 pm: "The Story" Monday Night Bible Study will meet

Tuesday, January 28:

- 8:30 am: Chickadee Quilters

Wednesday, January 29:

- Wednesday night "The Story" Bible Study will be joining with the 6:30pm Sunday Bible Study at Clayton and Jodi Wagenaar's home this week. **No Wednesday Night Bible Study.**
- Bible Classes & Youth Groups will meet
 - 6:30-7:30 pm: Bible Class for 1st—5th Grade
 - 6:30-7:30 pm: MS Remnant meets in the Youth Room
 - 7:30-8:30 pm: HS Remnant meets in the Youth Room.

Sunday, February 2:

- Today we welcome Josh Lucas to the pulpit as he continues the Sermon Series, "The Story" with the sermon topic "New Commands, New Covenants" Today's sermon is based off of Chapter 5 pages 59-70 in the book "The Story." For corresponding scripture please see Sermon Notes page in the bulletin.
- 10:10 Sunday School

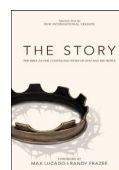
Mark Your Calendars

- February 5: 9:00am Mothers Together will meet
9:00am Coffee with the Pastor
- February 9: 1:30pm Ministry Team Training for all Ministry Team members
- February 10: 6:00 pm Elder / Deacon Meetings
7:00 pm Full Consistory will meet

Go! And Serve Him

Opportunities and Events

The 2020 Church Directory is being worked on. If you have had a change in address, email or phone number please get those to the office as soon as possible so we can get those updated. Thanks!



"The Story" Bible Study Opportunities:

- ♦ 6:30pm Sunday Evenings at Clayton and Jodi Wagenaar's House (6110 200th Street Melvin)
- ♦ 7:00pm Monday Evenings here at FRC
- ♦ No Wednesday night Study for January 29

The High School youth group is beginning to fundraise for Rocky Mountain High with "Money Envelopes!" You will notice a table in the back with numbered envelopes. All that you have to do is pick up an envelope and whatever number is on the envelope that is the amount you will put in. For example, if you pick up an envelope that has a "\$10" sign on it you will put \$10 in the envelope. The numbers range from \$1-\$100! Once you have done that you put the envelope in the box and you are done! Thank you in advance for your support!

Ministry Team Training will take place on Sunday, February 9 at 1:30. This Training is for ALL members of ALL ministry teams. If you have any questions please contact Pastor Luke.

Changing LIVES...
Strengthening FAMILIES

♥ Maternity Home for Teens
♥ Parenting & Prenatal Education
♥ Mentor Moms

cherishcenter

Baby Bottle Campaign

FRC is participating in a Baby Bottle Campaign to benefit the Cherish Center. Baby Bottles are located on the table in the Fellowship Hall ready for you to pick one up. Your coins can make a difference in the lives of young mothers and their children. Please help change lives and strengthen families. Please return your bottles to the church by February 2nd.

The proceeds of this unique fundraiser will be used to help Cherish House

Drivers Needed!!



We are in need of drivers to help Marlys Pietz get to her Dialysis Treatments in Worthington. If you are willing and able to help, please use the new sign up sheet on the Information Center.

Thanks!

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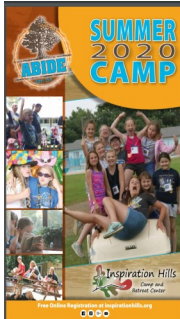
Financial Peace University is coming to Sibley! Please see the information center for more details.

There are a few openings remaining for Sunday School Teachers. Please contact Diane Langstraat if you feel led to help teach our young people.

Sheldon Christian School will have their annual Baked Potato Supper on Monday, January 27, 2020, at the school gym from 5:00 – 7:00 pm. Come on out for a warm baked potato with all the delicious toppings, plus a salad, fruit cup, and homemade dessert.



First Reformed Church is in charge of Meals on Wheels for the weeks of February 10-14 and February 17-21. If you would like to help with this opportunity please head to the Information Center to get signed up. Thanks!



Winter won't last forever...Summer is just around the corner!! Inspiration Hills Summer Camp brochures have arrived!!! Registration for summer camps opens February 1. Please grab a brochure today to see all the exciting opportunities that await our young people this summer. **Please remember our church will pay 1/2 of the Camp registration fees only.** If you want to provide a canteen card for your student that needs to be covered 100% by the family. If you have any questions please contact the office. Thanks!

The Inspiration Hills Hilltop Newsletters have arrived and have been put in your mailbox. Please take some time to read all the wonderful things that are happening at Inspiration Hills!!



The High School Youth Group is hosting our annual Agape Dinner! Saturday February 22nd! We start serving the meal at 6:00 pm and the movie starts at 7:30 pm! Child care is provided! This is a chance for couples and even single people to come out have a nice meal, fellowship, and enjoy a nice movie together! This year we will be showing the ground breaking film War Room! Tickets are available for purchase now! \$25 for a single ticket or \$40 for a couple ticket! See Josh if you would like to purchase a ticket! All funds raised are going toward Rocky Mountain High this summer!

Sermon Notes:

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Suggested Readings for February 2, 2020

New Commands and a New Covenant

Chapter 5 Pages: 59-70

- Covenant at Sinai (Exodus 19-24)
 - The Decalogue (20:1-17)
 - The Reaction of the People to God's Fiery Presence (20:18-21)
 - The Book of the Covenant (20:22-23:33)
 - Divine Worship (chs. 25-40)
 - Collection of the materials (25:1-19)
 - Ark and atonement cover (25:1-9)
- False Worship (32-34)

In Our Prayers

Pastor Luke will be on vacation from January 28-February 3. If you have a pastoral need during this time please call 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:** Margaret Calsbeek, Dutch Kruger, and Harold Schram.
- **Pray for our Missionaries:** Dr. Bernadeth Kelly and Adrian Bobb, Sayuri Kist-Okazaki, Brian and Donna Renes, J.J. and Tim Ten Cley, Rowland and Jane Van Es.

In Our Prayers

Please continue to lift Jessa Wolter, Dianne Kass, Anita Hoting, Marilyn DeBoer, Chelsey Alexander, Dave Stofferan, Janice Groen, Dean Ackerman, Jodene Kruse, Larry Riebeling, Ray Schram, Dave Kleinwolterink, Cavell Van Westen, Kelli Van De Berg, and Michael Block Jr. up in your prayers as they continue to deal with health issues.

Words of Thanks

Thank you so much to everyone for their kind words, cards and prayers. It meant a lot to me to have such a caring church family thinking of me.
~~Dianne Kass

Thank you so much for all the prayers, expressions of love, and the care extended to our family in the loss of our husband and dad. This church and our community have surrounded us with their support. We want to give a special thanks to Pastor Luke for his trips to Sioux Falls and for his counsel and prayers through these past months.

~~The Family of Marvin Runia

LOST: A man's black jacket was mistakenly taken from the east coat rack. The other black coat is still hanging on the rack. Check your closets. If you grabbed the wrong coat last week it would be appreciated if it was returned. Thanks!

There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

	This Week: January 26	Next Week: February 2
Corner-stone Greeters:	W: Larry & Rhonda Riebeling M: Marlin Roelfs & Lyle Peelen E: Cal & Kathy Runia	W: Josh & Hannah Lucas/family M: Dr. Brian & Heidi Sayler/family E: Eric Schiphoff & Hugh Schiphoff
After Church Greeters:	E: Ken Heronimus C: Dale Honken W: Dr. Greg Kusters BE: Pastor Luke BW: Josh Lucas	E: Josh Lucas C: Arnie Langstraat W: Ken Loerts BE: Dick Oldenkamp BW: Pastor Luke
Prayer with the Elders:	Cornerstone: Marlin Roelfs Open Door: Marlin Runia	Cornerstone: Bill Hartzell Open Door: Ken Heronimus
Children and Worship:	Children and Worship 9:00 am: Deb Kusters Helper: Elesson Joseph 11:00 am: Deb Kusters Helper: Blake Loerts	Children and Worship 9:00 am: Deb Kusters Helper: Kathy Verdoorn 11:00 am: Deb Kusters Helper: Family of Nash Loerts
Nursery:	9:30 am: Brenda Wassman & Kim McDougall Sunday School: Joanne Klaassen 11:00 am: Abby De Zeeuw & Megan Loerts	9:30 am: Jill & Emma Boeke Sunday School: Sandy Lamfers 11:00 am: Kalie DeBoer & Sami Fox
Library:	Gert Gaalswyk	Jan Henrichs
Coffee:	Ed & Jan Harskamp	Bill & LaDonn Hartzell



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