



# **OCTOBER 23, 2022**

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:** "IN CHRIST ALONE"

**SONG:** "HOW DEEP THE FATHER'S LOVE FOR US"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION/WORDS OF ASSURANCE

**PROFESSION OF FAITH - AMELIA HOEKSTRA** 

\*\*CHILDREN AND WORSHIP ARE DISMISSED\*\*

**SCRIPTURE:** EPHESIANS 3:14-21

**MESSAGE:** FILLED TO FULLNESS

**SONG:** "THE LOVE OF GOD" #305

**PRAYER CONCERNS** 

**CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER** 

SONG: "FAMILY OF GOD" #128

**BENEDICTION** 

CLOSING: "MAY GOD'S BLESSINGS SURROUND YOU"

# Happening This Week

#### Sunday, October 23:

- 9:00 am Praise and Worship Service. Today Pastor Troy will share his topic "Filled to Fullness" based on Ephesians 3:14-21. Today we also have the privilege of witnessing Amelia Hoekstra make her profession of faith. The Hoekstra family invites everyone to celebrate with Amelia, following the service this morning, with coffee and cookies in the Fellowship Hall.
- 10:10 am Sunday School for ages 3 Adult
- 10:10 am Coffee Fellowship
- 10:20 am Discernment Meeting to discuss RCA issues facing our church
- 6:30 pm Fellowship Bible Studies will meet

#### Tuesday, October 25:

• 8:30 am: Quilters will meet in the Fireside Room

#### Wednesday, October 26:

- **6:30 pm Discernment Meeting** to discuss RCA issues facing our church
- Bible Classes and Remnant Youth Groups will meet

**6:30 pm:** Bible Classes for 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grades

**6:30 pm:** MS Remnant will meet in the youth room **7:30 pm:** HS Remnant will meet in the youth room

Joyful Voices Choir will not practice this week

#### Sunday, October 30:

- **9:00** am Praise and Worship Service. Today we welcome Josh to the pulpit as he shares his topic "I Am" based on Romans 1:14-17.
- 10:10 am Sunday School for ages 3 Adult
- 10:10 am Coffee Fellowship
- 10:20 am Discernment Meeting to discuss RCA issues facing our church
- 6:30 pm Fellowship Bible Studies will meet

#### Mark Your Calendars

October 31: 4-5 pm Trunk or Treat during downtown Trick or Treating.

See announcement in the bulletin for more information.

November 9: 6:00 pm Remnant Spaghetti Supper

7:00 pm Annual Congregational Meeting

November 14: 6:00 pm Elder/Deacon Meetings

7:00 pm Full Consistory will meet

November 16: 6:30-8:30 pm Remnant Food Find

November 21: 9:30 am Faith Bible Study

3:00 pm Patience Bible Study

# Discernment Meetings

<u>Discernment Meetings:</u> We will be offering discernment meetings to discuss RCA denominational issues facing our congregation. This is a great way to learn about what is going on in the RCA and have questions

asked and answered. Two meetings, which will both offer the same information, have been set: Today, <u>Sunday, October 23 during the Sunday School</u> hour and Wednesday, October 26th beginning at 6:30pm.

The following individuals have been nominated to the office of Deacon: Troy Block, Derek Heronimus, Cody Hurlburt, Cory Maxwell, Brian Sayler, Verlyn Smidt, and AJ Weg. The following Individuals have been nominated to the office of Elder: John Juffer, Lyle Peelen, Paul Feldkamp, Dean Van Marel, Dennis Jurgens, and Curt Van Kley.

The Annual Congregational Meeting will be held on November 9 at 7:00pm. Preceding the meeting, the Remnant Youth will once again be providing a spaghetti supper from 6:00-6:45pm

#### TRUNK OR TREAT PARTICIPANTS NEEDED

When: October 31 from 4-5 pm (during downtown trick or treating)
Where: Klaassen Realty Parking Lot

What: You don't need to be crafty to participate. Simple is good!

Reasonably priced decorating kits can be found on Amazon & Oriental Trading that can be used. Sign up on the information center if interested. Candy donations are also being accepted. Please drop donations off at the church offices.

The Worship Team is making plans to staff our Nursery during our Worship Service and Sunday School hours once again. If you are willing to help our young families in this way or would like to serve as a nursery coordinator, please contact Peg Van Kley (461-0635) with your preferences and you will be included on the schedule. Thank you!



**Fall Cleanup**: If you are in need of a helping hand with outside yard work (raking leaves, gutters cleaned, etc.) before winter, let Mark Hulstein or anyone one the Congregational Care Team know!



**The Quilting Ladies** are looking for donations of clean blankets and mattress pads. Please drop off all donations in the Fireside Room. Thanks!

# COLLEEN BO

### **Book of the Week!**

EDGE OF DUSK by Colleen Coble. This is the first book in the Annie Pederson series.

## News you Need to Know

The Sibley Christian Reformed Church invites you to the concert of One Way Up on Sunday, October 23, 2022 at 3:00 They play a mixture of contemporary Christian music, gospel music, and old hymns.



**The Lantern Ministries Presents** a Bailey's Lodge Dessert Night Fundraiser on November 5, 2022 at 7:00pm at the Lantern Coffeehouse and Roastery. For tickets, please contact Justin (712) 798-9080 or Brenda: (612) 387-4790.

**BAKED POTATO MEAL** You are invited to a Baked Potato Meal hosted by Team Trinity on **November 6 from 11:00am-12:30pm** at Trinity Lutheran church. The meal will include a baked potato, your choice of several toppings, beverage and dessert. Free will donation will be given to the American Cancer Society. Thanks for your support.

The Christian Reformed Church of Sibley invites you to attend their Fall Soup Supper on <u>Wednesday</u>, <u>November 9 from 5:00-7:00 pm</u> in their church fellowship hall. A variety of soups, sandwiches, and desserts will be served for a freewill donation, with all proceeds going to the ATLAS of Osceola County ministry. Carry-out is available by calling 754-2171. No deliveries. Workers and food items are needed for this fundraiser. If you are willing to volunteer your time or make food, please call the ATLAS office at 754-4311 to sign up.

**WANTED:** Osceola Community Express is looking for a bus driver. This is a perfect part-time job for someone who relates well to others. A CDL license is required. The bus operates from 7:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. If you have an interest in helping others in our community, please call Ed Harskamp at 712-461-1372. He will be able to answer any questions you might have regarding this opportunity.



**Sibley Specialty Care** is in need of volunteers to help with BIN-GO on Friday afternoons from 2:00-2:45pm. Each week they are requesting 3-4 volunteers. If you are interested in helping out with BINGO, please see the Information Center to sign up to help out.

# Sermon Notes:

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# In Our Prayers...

If you have a pastoral need, please contact Pastor Troy Van Beek (712-348-0298) or your District Elder or Deacon. You may also contact the church office (754-2783) or Jamie's cell (260-7246) 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: Trudy Dykstra, Larry and Alfreda Verdoorn, Ethel Jurgens, Margaret Calsbeek, and Geneva Wissink
- Our nursing home residents: Donna Sterler, Marlys Brink, and Harold Schram.
- 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 had recent illnesses and surgeries and/or deal with health issues.
- All those who have lost loved ones.
- Our Church as we seek God's will concerning the RCA and as we seek for a lead pastor
- Our Country and its Leaders.
- LeRoy De Boer fell this past week and has an inoperable fracture. He was admitted to the hospital for pain management and physical therapy. It will take time for this fracture to heal on its own. Please pray for pain control and patience as he goes through the healing process. Please also lift up Glenda as she comes along side of him during this process.

### Words of Thanks

Thank you for your prayers, words of sympathy, food and cards for the loss of our mother, Sally Heronimus.

~~Ken and Sandy Heronimus and family

# Faith In Action for October Center of Hope Coat Drive



Clean your closets and bring any winter coats, scarves, mittens and caps, that are in good shape, to church.

They will be put to good use.

# Stewardship & Giving

**Offerings taken on October 16:** General-\$8677; Benevolent-\$515; Building-\$0; Operation Christmas Child-\$250.

**Special Offering for October is Operation Christmas Child** 

Attendance: 176

# There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

	This Week: October 23	Next Week: October 30
Nursery:	Open but unstaffed	Open but unstaffed
Greeters:	E: Brian and Heidi Sayler/family C: Eric Schiphoff W: Hugh Schiphoff	E: Ellen Schram C: Lynn Schram W: Ted and Eileen Schutte
C&W Leader	Deb Kosters	Deb Kosters
Library:	Jamie Hulstein	Jan Juffer
Coffee:	Ron and Nancy Dykstra	Gene and Renae Groen

# church staff

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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