

CHOICES



OCTOBER 24, 2021

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

Glorify God With Worship!

**10:00 am Sunday Morning
Praise & Worship Service**

Prelude: Ger Van Diepen & Mim Ernst

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN: "CHRIST FOR THE WORLD WE SING" #545

HYMN: "MORE ABOUT JESUS" #182

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP ARE DISMISSED

PRAISE SONG: "SHOW US CHRIST" SOVEREIGN GRACE

SCRIPTURE: JEREMIAH 38:14-23

MESSAGE: CHOICES

PRAISE SONG: "HE IS OUR GOD" SOVEREIGN GRACE

BENEDICTION

CLOSING: "BEHOLD WHAT MANNER OF LOVE" #120



Happening This Week

Sunday, October 24:

- 9:00 am Sunday School for ages 4-Adult.
- 9:00 am Coffee Fellowship Time
- 10:00 am Praise and Worship Service Today we welcome Dennis Schrick from the Gideons to lead us in worship with the topic *Choices* based off of the scripture Jeremiah 38:14-23.

Tuesday, October 26:

- 8:30 am Quilting Chicks will meet

Wednesday, October 27:

- Bible Classes and Remnant Youth Groups will meet
 - 6:30 pm: Bible Classes for 1st-5th Grades
 - 6:30 pm: Middle School Remnant meets in the youth room
 - 7:30 pm: High School Remnant meets in the youth room

Friday, October 29:

- 4-5pm: Trunk or Treat Please see announcement inside this bulletin.

Sunday, October 31:

- 9:00 am Sunday School for ages 4-Adult.
- 9:00 am Coffee Fellowship Time
- 10:00 am Praise and Worship Service Today we welcome our RCA Missionary to Kenya, Rowland Van Es, to lead us in worship with the topic *Be Holy in All You Do*, based off of the scripture 1 Peter 1:13-22.



Bless a child with Hope by packing a shoebox! On the table in the Fellowship Hall there are a couple example boxes to inspire you as you pack your own shoeboxes. FREE boxes and other informational materials are also available for your packing needs. This is a great project to do with your children or grandchildren. You can follow your box by going to <https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/label-options> to make your \$9 shipping donation and print off a label with tracking information.

Deadline to return filled shoeboxes in Monday November 15.



FRC will once again be participating in a Trunk or Treat event in the Klaassen Realty Parking lot on **Friday, October 29 from 4-5pm**. So get your thinking caps on and let's create some really fun stops for Sibley's kiddos. Not sure what to do? There are a ton of decorating ideas online. The more cars we have the more fun we can share! Don't want to decorate a Trunk but still want to help out? We are also accepting donations of candy for the trunk or treat event. Candy can be dropped off at the church office (M,Th) or in the church kitchen at any time.

Candy Dash

The Sibley Community Candy Dash will take place on Thursday, October 28 at 6pm for ages 3-10. FRC is looking for a few more hands to help hand out candy and goodies at this event. If you are interested in joining the fun, please contact Joel and Kathy Verdoorn for more information.

***Those nominated to the office of Elder are as follows:** Jerrad Brouwer, Ron Dykstra, John Juffer, Dennis Jurgens, Kevin Klaassen and Randy Van De Berg.
***Those nominated to the office of Deacon are as follows:** Troy Block, Levi Christensen, Cory Dykstra, Mark Hulstein, Cory Maxwell, and Roger Verdoorn.
***Our Annual Congregational Meeting will be held on November 10th at 7:00pm.** This meeting will be preceded by a Spaghetti Supper Fundraiser for the Remnant Youth from 6-6:45.

Mark Your Calendars

November 9: 6:00 pm Elders and Deacons will meet
 7:00 pm Full Consistory will meet
 November 10: 6-6:45pm Spaghetti Supper Youth Fundraiser
 7:00pm Annual Congregational Meeting
 (No Wednesday Night Activities)
 November 15: 9:30 am Faith Bible Study will meet
 3:00 pm Patience Bible Study will meet
 November 17: Remnant Food Find
 November 24: 6:30pm Thanksgiving Eve Service

News you Need to Know

The Sibley Christian Reformed Church invites you to a concert of Poured Out, a gospel trio from Sioux Falls, on **Sunday, October 24, 2021 at 3:00 p.m.**

The Christian Reformed Church in Sibley invites you to attend their Election Day Soup Supper on **Tuesday, November 2 from 5-7 pm** in their church fellowship hall at 115 Maple Drive. 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 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.

TEAM TRINITY Baked Potato Meal will be served after worship on **Sunday, November 7, from 11am-12:30pm**. The meal includes a baked potato with several toppings, beverage and dessert. Proceeds given to the American Cancer Society. Carry-outs available.

A Pulled Pork Dinner and Silent Auction fundraiser for Brenna Schultz, daughter of Justin and Kelsey Schultz and granddaughter of Gene and Brenda Hoyer, will be held Sunday, **November 14th at the Ashton Legion Center from 11:00am-2:00pm**. Brenna has Aplastic Anemia which means her bone marrow isn't making the blood cells it should. Brenna has received numerous platelets and red cell transfusions but ultimately her bone marrow is failing and as a result she will need to undergo chemotherapy and have a bone marrow transplant, which will result in roughly a 100 day stay at Mayo Clinic in Rochester this fall. All money raised will go to help offset the medical costs the family is experiencing. Silent Auction Donations are also being accepted. For more information please contact Karen Trei (461-1609) or Sandi Cox (712-330-3398). All money donated is tax deductible.

Sermon Notes:

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MESSAGE: CHOICES

In Our Prayers...



If you have a pastoral need, please contact Harold Ernst (461-1361) 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:** Richard Kruger, Larry and Alfreda Verdoorn, Ethel Jurgens and Geneva Wissink
- **Our nursing home residents:** Donna Sterler, Margaret Calsbeek, Marlys Brink, and Harold Schram.
- **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

Pray For:

- **All those** who have had recent illnesses and/or surgeries.
- **Our Pastoral Search Team** as they continue the search process.
- **Marcus DeBoer** as they continue with therapy.
- Keith Van Drunen as he was admitted this past week to Sanford Sheldon for congestive heart failure. Please pray for healing for him.
- **Danette Block, Brent Wassman's sister and Troy Block's mom**, as she was airlifted last Sunday to Sioux Falls with some health issues. Pray for healing for her.
- **Clarence Hellinga, Laurel Klaassen's father**, as he is in the hospital fighting an infection. Pray for healing and strength for him.
- **Tami Tracy** as she recovers from surgery on her ACL.

With Sympathy:

- **Our deepest sympathy goes out to Harvey and Marcia Van Ruler** on the passing of Marcia's sister, Delores Groenewold, on October 16, 2021. Services for Delores were held this past Thursday at the American Reformed Church in Worthington. May God comfort all those who mourn.

Thank You:

We thank the Lord for all our Church Family who remembered us in our celebration of 60 years of marriage. Thank you for all the cares, calls, and encouragement that we received.

~~Jerry and Sylvia Bosma

Thank you for your great gift of \$2290 to Talking Bibles! It's being used to bring audio Bibles to those who can't read. Some day in heaven we will discover what your generosity accomplished.

~~Julie Schuur and Mark Klaassen

Faith In Action for October: Center of Hope

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 Oct. 17: General-\$6674; Benevolent-\$325; Building-\$65; Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes-\$220;

Special Offering for October is Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

Attendance Last Sunday: 197

There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

	This Week: October 24	Next Week: October 31
Nursery:	Open but unstaffed	Open but unstaffed
Greeters:	E: Jon and Amy Elser/Family C: Dave and Donna Kleinwolterink W: Mark and Melissa Langstraat/family	E: Brad and Sarah Loerts/family C: Cory and Anne Maxwell/family W: John and Kim McDougall/family
Library:	Gert Gaalswyk	Jan Henrichs
Coffee:	Dwayne and Janice Heikes	Burt and Jan Henrichs



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Hours: Mon & Thurs. 8am -2 pm
Office is closed on Tues, Wed & Fri

***Announcements are due by Wed. noon.

***Bulletins are available by the sanctuary doors and on the Information Center no earlier than Thursday at 2:00pm