

a **TABLE** in the **WILDERNESS:**

DAVID



MARCH 26, 2023

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

VBS UPDATE: MAUREN HEILMAN AND CHELSEY ALEXANDER

CALL TO WORSHIP: JOYFUL VOICES CHOIR

SONG: "YOUR LOVE OH LORD" THIRD DAY

SONG: "ONLY TRUST HIM" #361

PRAYER OF CONFESSION / WORDS OF ASSURANCE

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP DISMISSED

SCRIPTURE: 1 SAMUEL 25

MESSAGE: *TABLE IN THE WILDERNESS: DAVID*

PRAYER CONCERNS

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER -- JOSH LUCAS

SONG: "TRUSTING JESUS" #498

BENEDICTION

CLOSING: "IT IS WELL WITH MY SOUL" #453 vs 1



Happening This Week

Sunday, March 26:

- **9:00 am: Praise and Worship Service.** This morning Pastor Troy will share his message, "A Table in the Wilderness: David" based on 1 Samuel 25. Today we also welcome Nick and Maria Mans into the membership of FRC via transfer. We are also privileged to be able to celebrate the sacrament of Infant Baptism for Nolan Nicholas Mans, son of Nick and Maria.
- **10:10 am: Coffee Fellowship**
- **10:10 am: Join Pastor Troy in the Fellowship Hall** as he continues our discernment discussions on the topic of the Nicene Creed.
- **10:10 am: Sunday School**
- **6:30pm: Fellowship Bible Studies**

Tuesday, March 28:

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

Wednesday, March 29:

- **6:30 am Men's Lenten Breakfast** at the United Methodist Church, Sibley.
- **Bible Classes and Youth Groups**
6:30 pm: Bible Classes for 1st-5th Grades
6:30 pm: Middle School Remnant will meet in the Youth Room
7:30 pm: High School Remnant will meet in the Youth Room
7:30 pm: Joyful Voices Choir will meet

Friday, March 31:

- **2:15 pm: FRC is in charge of BINGO** at Country View Manor. Sign up on the Information Center to help out.

Sunday, April 2:

- **9:00 am: Praise and Worship Service.** This morning Pastor Troy will share his message, "A Table in the Wilderness: The Crows" based on Matthew 14. We also thank the children for waiving palms at the beginning of the service.
- **10:10 am: Coffee Fellowship**
- **10:10 am: Sunday School**
- **6:30pm: Fellowship Bible Studies**

Mark Your Calendars

- April 5: 2:00pm FRC is in charge of Nursing Home Services**
- April 6: 6:30pm Maundy Thursday service with communion**
- April 9: 7:00 am Sunrise Service**
8-8:45 am Resurrection Brunch sponsored by our Remnant youth
9:00 am Easter Celebration Service
No Sunday School/No Children and Worship



Donations needed. The Outreach Team is requesting donations of 30 dozen, individually wrapped bars for their Appreciation giveaway. **Please have all donations in the church kitchen TODAY.**



Everyone is invited to our Easter Celebration Breakfast, April 9 at 7:45am (following our Sunrise Service). To help cover the cost of the breakfast we are asking for donations of some items. We are in need of: 5 dz. eggs, 3 gallons Whole Milk, 5 gallons Orange Juice, 5lbs. Stick Butter and 4 - 8oz bags Shredded Cheddar Cheese. **If you are willing to donate any of the above items, please see the Information Center by April 2nd to get signed up.** All items need to be to church no later than April 6. Thanks!

Sibley FRC
Vacation Bible School
2023
 Sunday, June 4: 4pm-8pm &
 Mon. June 5 – Wed. June 7:
 5:30pm-8:30pm
Sign Up Today!!

Student Registration Form
 Volunteer Registration Form

Registration will remain open through May 21

If you have questions or would like to register by phone, please contact Chelsey Alexander (712-461-0536) or Maureen Heilman (712-330-2451)

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Student Link:

<https://sibleyfrc.myanswers.com/keepers-of-the-kingdom/register/>

Volunteer Link:

<https://sibleyfrc.myanswers.com/keepers-of-the-kingdom/volunteer/>

OCMA Presents:
FREE Movie Night
At the Max Theaters
March 31st @ 7pm

Take this opportunity to connect and minister to those in our community who do not yet have a relationship with Jesus or have a home church by inviting them to this free movie.

Movie ticket flyers are available on the Information Center to share with your unchurched friends and neighbors.

News you Need to Know



FRC is in charge of Meals on Wheels for the **weeks of April 10 and April 17**. If you are interested in helping out, please sign up on the Information Center. Thanks!



Nice weather is on its way!! If you need gutters cleaned, sticks picked up or any other spring cleaning done, let the office, Mark Hulstein or any member of the Congregational Care Team know.



Heartwood Heights Morning Coffee, Thursday, March 30 from 9:30-10:30am. You are invited to join your church family for coffee and fellowship at the Heartwood Heights Community room. Contact Deb Kusters with any questions.

Sermon Notes:

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All men are invited to the
OCMA's Men's Lenten Breakfast
March 29 @ 6:30 am
Sibley United Methodist Church



Book of the Week:

**Hidden Among
the Stars**
by
Melanie Dobson

37th GOOD FRIDAY PASSION PLAY

Friday, April 7, 2023

We are one week closer to Easter and the 37th year of the OCMA Good Friday Passion Play!

Have you reserved your tickets or decided to help with the 2023 production? If not, there is still time! We need YOU to help bring the blessings of this production to all the people who will be attending.

Attending this special program will heighten your appreciation of what our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, experienced on that Good Friday and will help prepare you for the glory of Easter morning.

TICKETS are available and may be reserved by calling (712)754-2945 or by emailing ocmapassionplay@gmail.com

Passion Play 2023 Schedule:

- **Saturday, April 1 @ 8:00 AM**
Setup at S-O School
(Meet at the Sibley CRC church at 8:00 to load sets)
- **Sun, April 2 from 2:00-4:00 PM**
Rehearsal (including children)
costume pick up at 1:30pm
- **Mon, April 3 from 7:00-9:00 PM** Rehearsal (no children)
- **Tues, April 4 from 7:00-9:00 PM** Rehearsal (no children)
- **Wed, April 5 from 7:00-10:00 PM** Full dress rehearsal with children;
Children will be dismissed at 8pm
- **Fri, April 7 from 3:00 PM**
Make-up for the entire cast
- **Sat, April 8 @ 8:00 AM**
Take down the sets

If you would like to participate, please call Peg or Curt Van Kley @ 754-2945, Keith Zylstra @ 712-261-2378 or Becky Krogman @ 754-2967 so that your name can be included in the program.

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:** Trudy Dykstra, Larry and Alfreda Verdoorn, Ethel Jurgens, Margaret Calsbeek, and Geneva Wissink
- **Our nursing home residents:** 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
- **All those** who have lost loved ones.
- **Our Church as we** seek God's will with our future decisions
- **Our Country and its Leaders.**

Pray For:

- **Luella Eggink** will be undergoing hip replacement surgery on March 30th. Please pray for quick healing for her.
- **All those who have had** illnesses and surgeries and/or deal with health issues.

Card Shower

A card shower has been requested in honor of Dave Calsbeek's 75th birthday on March 28th. Cards and birthday greetings can be sent to: Dave Calsbeek, 722 10th Street, Sibley, IA 51249.

Faith In Action for March Nursing Home Items



This month, we are encouraging everyone to bring at least one item for the residents of our two local nursing homes. Sibley Rehab needs items for bingo prizes: Little Debbie or other individually wrapped snacks and candy bars. Country View needs items for their general store: jewelry, small knick-knacks, shaving cream, shampoo, lotion, toothpaste & brushes, hard candies, etc.



Stewardship & Giving

Offerings taken on March 19: General-\$7780.13; Benevolent-\$15; Building-\$0; Bible League:\$249; Village Northwest:\$100.

Special Offering for March is Bible League

Attendance Last Sunday: 169

There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

	This Week: March 26	Next Week: April 2
Greeters:	E: Burt and Jan Henrichs C: Derek and Ashley Heronimus W: Ken and Sandy Heronimus	E: Melissa Hisek/family C: Cole and Kayla Hoekstra/family W: Loren and Deb Hulstein
Nursery:	Sarah and Brynna Loerts	Abby De Zeeuw and Chelsey Alexander
C&W Leader	Leader: Deb Kusters	Leader: Deb Kusters
Library:	Pauline Van Engen	Leanne Van Kley
Coffee:	Glenn and Paul Doorenbos	Ron & Nancy Dykstra

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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