

Welcome to Worship!

MARCH 28, 2021

We are delighted that you are here to worship with us today. Our services are also broadcast live on our YouTube Channel (Sibley First Reformed Church) for those who choose to worship from home.

Glorify! God With Worship

9:00 am Cornerstone Service

Prelude: GER VAN DIEPEN

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

HYMN: "HOSANNA, LOUD HOSANNA" #233

HYMN: "ALL GLORY, LAUD AND HONOR" #234

COMMUNION PREPARATORY

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE: MATTHEW 14:22-27

MESSAGE: "WALK ON WATER"

HYMN: "REJOICE, THE LORD IS KING" #282 (vs. 1-3)

BENEDICTION

CLOSING HYMN:

"REJOICE, THE LORD IS KING" #282 (vs. 4)

11:00 am Open Door Service

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SONG: "GOD SO LOVED"

SONG: "THE LORD IS MY SALVATION"

SONG: "PRAISE THE KING"

COMMUNION PREPARATORY

SCRIPTURE: MATTHEW 14:22-27

MESSAGE: "WALK ON WATER"

SONG: "GRACE"

BENEDICTION

**WALK
ON
WATER**
MATTHEW 14:22-27

Happening This Week

Sunday, March 28:

- **9:00 am & 11:00 am** Hosanna! Hosanna! Blessed Is He Who Comes in the Name of the Lord!! This morning we welcome Josh Lucas to the pulpit as he leads us in worship with the topic, "Walk on Water." Today we will have communion preparatory to help prepare our hearts and minds to partake in the sacrament of the Lord's Supper on the evening of Maundy Thursday.
- **9:00 am & 11:00 am Children and Worship** during the services
- **10:10 am Sunday School**
 - * **4yr old-High School** will meet in their classrooms
 - * **Adult Sunday School Guide Class** will meet in the Library
 - * **The Case for Easter Bible Study Group** will meet in the classroom on the west end of the Fellowship Hall.
- **10:10 am Fellowship Hour**
- **6:00 pm Worship Ministry Team** will meet in the Fireside Room (note time change) If you would like to attend via Zoom, let Greg Kusters or Gretchen Bartelson know.

Monday, March 29:

- **Jamie will be out of the office today. The Secretary's office will instead be open on Tuesday, March 30th.**

Wednesday, March 31:

- **Bible Classes and Remnant Youth Groups** will meet
 - * **6:30 pm: Bible Classes for 1st-5th Grades**
 - * **6:30 pm: MS Remnant** will meet in the Youth Room
 - * **7:30 pm: HS Remnant** will meet in the Youth Room

Thursday, April 1:

- **7:00pm: Maundy Thursday Service** with communion. Greeters for the evening are: E: Burt and Jan Henrichs; C: Gretchen Bartelson; W: Clayton and Jodi Wage-naar. Offering this evening has been designated for the Benevolent Fund.

Sunday, April 4:

- **He Is Risen!! He is Risen Indeed!!!**
- **7:30 am Sunrise Service** lead by our Remnant Youth
- **No Unity Brunch** this year
- **9:00 am Combined Easter Worship** Today we welcome Harold Willemstyn as he leads us in worship with the topic "When He Rolls the Stone Away." "Harold and his wife Judi, of nearly 39 years, come to us from Sheldon, where they now live after having served as a pastor and family among churches in New Mexico, Michigan, South Dakota, Illinois, New York and Florida. Moving to Iowa, they hoped the services offered at the Village in Sheldon would nicely match their family of 10 children as many of their children face disabilities like down syndrome and other types of conditions. Their hopes are being met and most often exceeded. Praise the Lord!"
- **No Children and Worship** during the services today
- **No Sunday School** this morning

News you Need to Know

UPDATE

From the Consistory...

The Fellowship Hall has been opened, however there will be no coffee or goodies during Fellowship Time yet. We ask that you continue to use social distancing while Fellowshiping and practice good hygiene such as washing your hands/using our sanitizer stations. As usual, if you feel more comfortable wearing a mask it is perfectly fine to continue to do so. If you have any questions please contact any member of the Consistory.



If you are interested in becoming a member of FRC Sibley, or are considering making profession of faith, please notify either **Harold Ernst (461-1361)**, **Greg Kusters (754-2697)**, or **Jamie at the Church office**, so we can put together a new members class, if needed.

If you are in need of transportation for Sunday worship services, please contact the church office.

Spring clean up is just around the corner! If you would like help getting your outside spring cleaning done, please contact the office and we will get you on the list.



Last Week for Free Books!

Check one last time, a few new books have been added. Books will be available through Wednesday, March 31!

2021 Annual FRC Fishing Trip

When: July 29, 30, 31 & Aug 1, 2021

(Thursday-Sunday)

Who: All Men and Boys who love to fish

Signup Sheet will be available soon!!

Questions??

Contact Chris Wynia or Dan Heilman

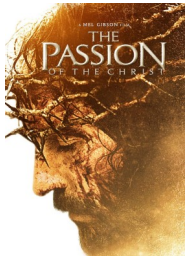


Mark Your Calendars

- April 5: The Secretary's office will be closed today.** It will instead be open on Tuesday, April 6.
- April 7: 9:00 am** Mothers Together will meet
- April 11: 9:00 am** Today we will celebrate the sacrament of Infant Baptism for Brysen Paul Alexander, son of Brian and Chelsey Alexander.
- April 13: 6:00 pm** Elder/Deacon Meetings

Happenings & Events

GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE: The OCMA will be hosting a Good Friday Ecumenical Service on April 2 in the First Presbyterian Church sanctuary from 12 noon to 2:30 p.m. Seven different pastors and lay leaders will speak in 20-minute intervals reflecting on the "*7 Last Words of Christ.*" Hymns of the cross and Passion Play music will be our transitional pieces. Come and go as you please. All donated proceeds will go to help fund the Osceola County Ministerial Association. Donation baskets will be located on the sanctuary back table. All are welcome to attend this special service.



We invite you to join us here at FRC at 6:30pm on Friday, April 2nd to watch the movie "The Passion of the Christ." This two hour movie takes the viewer through the final twelve hours in the life of Jesus of Nazareth, on the day of his crucifixion in Jerusalem. This movie is rated R due only to its very graphic depiction of the torment and pain Christ suffered for us. Due to the graphic nature of this film, parents are strongly encouraged to use discretion when deciding to let your children attend the movie. There will be a child/youth friendly movie option available in the youth room that evening as well as childcare in the nursery.

Help needed: We are looking for a few Adults, Jr High and High School students to help with childcare in the youth room and nursery on Friday, April 2. If you are interested please let the church office know. HS students: this activity would count for community service hours.



Winter won't last forever...Summer is just around the corner!! 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. Questions??? Please contact the office.

Sermon Notes:

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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:** 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:

- **Megan Travaille** who had a kidney stone removed this past week. Megan will also be undergoing an additional procedure this coming Tuesday. Continue to pray for healing for her.
- **Faye Vos** as she continues to recuperate at home. Pray for a speedy recovery for her.
- **Mike Block Sr.** as he continues to recover from foot surgery.

Words of Thanks

We would like to thank our church family for all the expressions of sympathy with cards, calls, goodies, and acts of kindness following the loss of my brother. It is great to be a part of this caring church family.

~~Larry and Rhonda Riebeling



Faith In Action for March: Nursing Home Items



This month, we are encouraging everyone - children through 90 years old - to bring at least one item for the residents of our two local nursing homes. Sibley Specialty Care 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 21, 2021: General Fund-\$7436.95; Benevolent Fund-\$1410; Bible League-\$25; Attendance: 1st-120, 2nd-61.

Special offering for March is for Bible League
Special offering for April will be VBS expenses

There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

	Next Week: March 28	Next Week: April 4
Nursery:	Open but is unstaffed	Open but is unstaffed
Greeters:	E: Ken and Wilma Loerts C: Arnie and Diane Langstraat W: Curt and Peg Van Kley	E: Justin and Angela Van Tilburg/family C: Josh and Hannah Lucas/family W: Larry and Rhonda Riebeling
Library:	Jeannette Juffer	Leona Meendering
Coffee:	No Coffee Fellowship at this time	No Coffee Fellowship at this time



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

All bulletin announcements are due in the church office by Wednesday noon. Bulletins are printed on Thursday morning.