



# Triumphant

*Zechariah 9:9-12*  
*Matthew 21:1-11*



**APRIL 10, 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 also broadcast live on our YouTube Channel (Sibley First Reformed Church).

## *Glorify God With Worship!*

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

**Prelude:** Deb Hulstein

**WELCOME:** DUANE VANDE HOEF

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**LENTEN RESPONSIVE READING & CHOIR-- THE PALMS**

**HYMN:** "HOSANNA LOUD HOSANNA" #233

**PRAISE SONG:** "HOSANNA (PRAISE IS RISING)"

**CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

**CHILDREN & WORSHIP DISMISSED**

**PRAISE SONG:** "ALL GLORY LAUD AND HONOR" #234

**SCRIPTURE:** ZECHARIAH 9:9-12; MATTHEW 21:1-11

**MESSAGE:** *TRIUMPHANT*

**HYMN:** "WHAT A BEAUTIFUL NAME" HILLSONG

**BENEDICTION**

**CLOSING:** "KING OF KINGS" #291

## Happening This Week

### Sunday, April 10:

- **9:00 am Sunday School**
- **9:00 am Coffee Fellowship Time**
- **10:00 am Palm Sunday Praise and Worship Service** This morning we welcome Josh Lucas back to the pulpit as he shares his message "Triumphant" based on Zechariah 9:9-12 and Matthew 21:1-11.
- **Thank you to** Duane Vande Hoef for leading us in the Lenten Reading this morning.
- **Today we will also** prepare our hearts and minds to partake in the Lord's Supper on Maundy Thursday through our Communion Prep.

### Tuesday, April 12:

- **8:30 am** Quilting Chicks in the Fireside Room

### Wednesday, April 13:

- **No Bible Classes or Remnant Youth Groups tonight**

### Thursday, April 14:

- **6:30 pm Maundy Thursday** Service with communion

### Friday, April 15:

- **5 pm, 7 pm & 9 pm** Passion Play at the S-O High School Auditorium please see bulletin announcement for more information.

### Sunday, April 17:

- **8:00 am Easter Sunrise Service**
- **No Sunday School Today**
- **9:00 am Fellowship Breakfast**
- **10:00 am Easter Celebration Service.** This morning we welcome Josh Lucas back to the pulpit as he shares his message "Did He Actually?" based on Luke 24. No Children and Worship today.

## Mark Your Calendars

- April 18:** 9:30 am Faith Bible Study will meet  
3:00 pm Patience Bible Study will meet
- April 20:** 2:00 pm FRC is in charge of the Nursing Home/Heartwood Heights Services
- April 24:** 9:00 am Last Sunday School session for the 21-22 school year
- April 27:** 6:30 pm Last Wednesday Night Bible Class for the 21-22 school year.



**A Card Shower has been requested** in honor of Margaret Calsbeek's 98th Birthday on April 17!! Cards and Birthday Wishes can be sent to: Margaret Calsbeek, Country View Manor, 100 Cedar Lane, Sibley, IA 51249. Let's help Margaret mark this amazing milestone with a multitude of birthday greetings.



**A New Members Class will begin Sunday, May 1, at 9:00 am in the Fireside Room and continue for 4 weeks** (May 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, and 22<sup>nd</sup>). All those planning to become members by profession of faith, transfer, or any newer members who are interested or curious are invited and encouraged to join with us.



**Holy week devotionals:** A new link has been added to our website (under Media: Holy Week Video Devotions) that will provide a devotional from Sermon.net for each day of Holy Week. **Begin TODAY by watching lesson one: Palm Sunday- The Need.** We pray these videos will help you focus your attention to the importance of this week in our Christian Faith and your walk with Christ.



**A New Bible Study Opportunity will be starting here at FRC on Sunday, April 24 at 6:30pm.** We will use Right Now Media or other materials to cover various topics with each topic running approximately 4-8 weeks. We have a team established to lead discussion and prayer times. It is our goal to encourage spiritual growth and build relationships with our fellow church attendees. All ages, singles and couples are encouraged to attend. Child care can be arranged if needed. Come, lets GROW together!



**Annual Men and Boys Fishing Trip,** will be held **July 7<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>** at the beautiful Hidden Hill Lodge in NE South Dakota. Invite your grandkids, friends or any want-to-be fisherman for this fun filled weekend of fishing and discovering God's Creation. Questions?? Contact Dan Heilman or Chris Wynia.



**VBS at FRC is going to be MONUMENTAL!!!**  
**Mark your calendars!! VBS will take place from 5:30pm-8:30pm, Sunday, June 5 - Thursday, June 9**

**VBS Registration is Open!!!** Please go to the following link to register your student and to volunteer to help.

<https://vbspro.events/p/events/56b7a0> . The link can also be accessed by scanning this QR code. If you have any questions, please contact Sarah Loerts.





## News you Need to Know

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for the 2022 Passion Play!!** If you want to work backstage, please contact Peg and Curt Van Kley 712.754.2945) If you want to be onstage, please contact Keith Zylstra (712.261.2378)

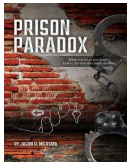
**The S-O Choir Boosters invite you to the Dad's Belgian Waffle Brunch, TODAY, from 10:30am-12:30pm at the Sibley Senior Center.** Tickets are \$10 for Adults and \$5 for Children 5 and under and are available at the door.

**Free Food Available:** The Food Bank of Iowa mobile pantry will be distributing food on **Tuesday, April 12 from 4 - 6 p.m.** at the Sibley CRC. **Food will be distributed inside.** Please bring your own boxes or bags as food will not be pre-boxed. If you are picking up food for another household, please bring a signed note including name, address, and # of people in the household.

**The Osceola Regional Health Center** is sponsoring a \$5 Masquerade Jewelry & Accessories Fundraising Sale on **April 13 from noon to 5pm** in the multi-purpose room by the Wellness Center. Please use the south door.

**The OCMA Good Friday Passion Play** will be held on **Friday, April 15, 2022 at 5, 7 and 9 pm** in the S-O HS Auditorium. FREE Tickets are available by calling (712)754-2945 or by emailing [ocmapassionplay@gmail.com](mailto:ocmapassionplay@gmail.com).

**SAVE the DATE:** Plan to attend the Spring Salad Luncheon of NW IA Bible League at the Sanborn CRC on **May 2 at 12 noon**. Pastor Phil Westra will be sharing about bees, gardening and how we can use our everyday work to spread the Gospel.



**From The FRC Library: The book of the week is PRISON PARADOX by Jason H. Wiersma.** (You will recall that Pastor Wiersma led our services February 27. He left a copy of his book for our library.)

"Join Pastor Jason Wiersma as he reflects on some of the people he's met (including himself) that felt trapped by life situations. After experiencing and witnessing the power of Jesus to provide an escape for those incarcerated by life, this book was written to help other find a way out, Jason's unique frame of reference is heavily influenced by years of working with inmates both as a corrections officer and as a pastor. "

## Sermon Notes:

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**Camp Time! Early Bird Discount before April 15. Camps are filling quickly!!** Go to [www.inspirationhills.org](http://www.inspirationhills.org) to register TODAY! Remember FRC will pay half of your camp costs. (Canteen Cards are not included in the 1/2 payment).

## In Our Prayers...



If you have a pastoral need, please contact Ken Loerts (712-720-0754) 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 TenClay, Rowland and Jane Van Es

### Pray For:

- **All those** who have had recent illnesses and/or surgeries.
- **All those** who have lost loved ones.
- **Our Pastoral Search Team** as they continue the search process.
- **Our Country and its Leaders.**

## Words of Thanks

Thanks to everyone for your prayers, cards, food and caring thoughts during my recent foot surgery. A special thank you to elder Ken Loerts for his thoughtful prayer. May God bless each one of you.

~~Kathy Verdoorn

Thank you so much to the group of people who cleared out the gutters on my house. It is appreciated more than you know. It is so wonderful to belong to an amazing church family like ours. You have all been a blessing to me!

~~Jodene Kruse

## Faith In Action for April FRC Kitchen

We will be collecting items that will be put to use in our church kitchen. Items needed are: Pledge, Lemon Scented Pine-sol cleaner, scouring pads, rubber scrapers, smaller knives for cutting pies, gallon Ziplock bags, etc. Maybe you have worked in the kitchen and know of something that would be useful that you would like to bring.

All items are appreciated!



## Stewardship & Giving

**Offerings taken on April 3:** General-\$10,727; Benevolent-\$165; Building-\$80; Bible League-\$250; VBS expenses-\$580.

**Special Offering for March was Bible League**

**Special Offering for April is for VBS expenses**

**Attendance Last Sunday: 182**

## There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

	<b>This Week: April 10</b>	<b>Next Week: April 17</b>
<b>Nursery:</b>	Open but unstaffed	Open but unstaffed
<b>Greeters:</b>	E: Brian and Heidi Sayler/family C: Verlyn and Donna Smidt W: Greg and Tami Tracy/family	E: John and Lois Van Diepen C: Chad and Megan Travaille/family W: Ger and Barb Van Diepen
<b>C&amp;W Leader</b>	Deb Kusters	Deb Kusters
<b>Library:</b>	Jen Schram	Pauline Van Engen
<b>Coffee:</b>	Ron and Nancy Dykstra	Gene and Renae Groen



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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