



## Welcome to Worship!

## MAY 23, 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: "COME THOU FOUNT OF EVERY BLESSING" #82

**HYMN:** "How Firm a Foundation" #179

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER **SCRIPTURE:** HABAKKUK 3

Message: " Rejoice and Take Joy in the Lord"

**HYMN:** "PENTECOSTAL POWER" #158

**BENEDICTION** 

**CLOSING HYMN: "SPIRT OF THE LIVING GOD" #150** 

## 11:00 am Open Door Service

WELCOME ANNOUNCEMENTS

**SONG:** "O PRAISE THE NAME"

**SONG:** "FOREVER JESUS"

**SONG:** "THE LORD IS MY SALVATION"

**SCRIPTURE:** HABAKKUK 3

MESSAGE: "REJOICE AND TAKE JOY IN THE LORD"

**SONG:** "YOU ARE MY KING"

BENEDICTION

## Happening This Week

#### Sunday, May 23:

- 9:00 am & 11:00 am This morning we welcome Josh Lucas to the pulpit as he leads us in worship with the topic "Rejoice and Take Joy in the Lord".
   10:10 Adult Sunday School Guide Class will meet in the Library
- 10:10 am Fellowship Hour
- 4:00 pm Worship Team Meeting
- 7:00 pm Pastoral Search Team will meet

#### Tuesday, May 25:

8:30am The Quilting Chicks will meet in the Fireside room. If you have a
desire to help make quilts for the homeless, please join us for fun and fellowship as we help those in need.

#### Sunday, May 30:

- 9:00 am & 11:00 am This morning we welcome Dr. Greg Kosters to the pulpit as he leads us in worship. Today we also will have Communion Prep to help prepare our hearts and minds to, Lord willing, partake in the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper next Sunday.
- 10:10 Adult Sunday School Guide Class will meet in the Library
- 10:10 am Fellowship Hour

## Mark Your Calendars

June 2: 6:30pm Parent Meeting for the MS Remnant Kentucky Ark Encounter Trip

June 5-12: HS Mission Trip

June 6: 9:15 am Coffee Fellowship Time begins 10:00 am Summer Worship Schedule begins

June 6-10: VBS!!

June 12: Preston Marco and Brita Harberts Wedding

• Sibley's Good Old Summertime Festivities

June 15: 6:00 pm Elders/Deacon Meetings (Please Note Date Change)
7:00 pm Full Consistory will meet

June 25-27: MS Remnant Ark Encounter/Creation Museum Kentucky Retreat



## Sunday, June 6-Thursday, June 10 5:30pm-8:30pm

**Registration Link:** 

https://vbspro.events/p/2d5e04

## **VBS Needs Your Help!!**

- PLEASE REGISTER YOUR STUDENTS FOR VBS! Today is the last day to get registered!
- WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!! As you all know VBS doesn't just happen, it takes a small army to pull this awesome week off. We are in need of help in the following areas: Kindergarten helper, 1st grade helper, 4th grade helper, 5th grade helper, 1 Kitchen crew member, 1 Music leader, and 1 Ceramics helper.
- PLEASE SCAN THIS QR CODE TO REGISTER!!
   Or visit https://vbspro.events/p/events/2d5e04

#### • A NOTE FROM OUR KITCHEN CREW:

ALL meals will be prepared in the Church Kitchen this year. We are asking for monetary donations to help offset the costs of the meals. Please use the VBS envelope that has been placed in your mailbox to make your contributions or mark on the memo line of your check "VBS Kitchen".

Please use the google docs link
 https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1P2MOebMvXWUf-3ltO-RQygrd32vJgL3EJKiUxCUbhLY/edit?usp=sharing to sign up to bring various meal related items. This link can be found on our website or you can also scan this QR Code to access the document.

Meals for Our Members: SIGN-UP GENIUS is the online program we use to recruit congregation members to help with meals for other members in need. All we need is your email address. You will receive emails when we need members to help. If it works in your schedule you sign-up. We need more volunteers!! Please call or text LaDonn Hartzell to have your name & email added to this program. 605.759.8379

## News you Need to Know

The survey results are in!! The Survey Says: FRC will be going to one service at 10:00am beginning on June 6, 2021.

Coffeetime is also back! Beginning at 9:15am on June 6th, coffee, juice and goodies will be served up until service time.

Thank you for your patience this past year. As we move forward with these changes, we ask that you please continue commonsense socializing by using the hand sanitizing station, which is located by the coffee line for your convenience.



ATTENTION READERS: Recently the library was the recipient of donated books about the Amish. One set is "The Prayer Jars" trilogy by Wanda Brunstetter. If they interest you, you will find some of the same characters in Wanda's "Amish Greenhouse Mystery" trilogy. There are also two other Amish books containing shorter stories by various authors. Visit the library soon!!

REGISTER FOR A HIGH SCHOOL EXPERIENCE OF A LIFE TIME! Tri-State Teens Encounter Christ (TEC) is accepting applications for the upcoming weekend at the First Reformed Church in Rock Rapids, Iowa. TEC is an interdenominational three day Christian retreat designed to help high schoolers learn more about their faith and their community. The next TEC is June 25-27, 2021. If you would like to learn more about TEC or register, please visit <a href="www.TriStateTEC.com">www.TriStateTEC.com</a> or email <a href="mailto:Tri-StateTEC@gmail.com">Tri-StateTEC@gmail.com</a>. The cost for the weekend \$50 and includes a t-shirt & other special gifts. Scholarships are available upon request.

SUMMER MEALS PROGRAM AT SIBLEY-OCHEYEDAN. Once again the Sibley Ocheyedan schools are offering a Summer Meal Program. If you would like to help prepare and/or hand out the meals, please visit the following link, https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1KwPuOxv541tc93CFlpLdCy0j6 iMttKAM9GZVB7TdtE/edit#gid=0

Or by scanning this QR Code



## Sermon Notes:

**SCRIPTURE:** HABAKKUK 3

MESSAGE: "REJOICE AND TAKE JOY IN THE LORD"

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If you have questions please contact the office.

## 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:**

- All those who have had recent illnesses and/or surgeries.
- Our Pastoral Search Team as they continue the search process.

## Words of Thanks

**It Was Awesome!** Thank you for all of the beautiful cards and words of congratulations on our 50th Wedding Anniversary. It meant so much and made our day special. It is wonderful to belong to a caring church family.

~~Keith and Janelle Van Drunen

# Faith In Action for May Vacation Bible School



Sign up to be a leader, storyteller, craft leader/helper, music leader/helper, nursery helper...etc!! It takes many people to help make

VBS a success!!

## Stewardship & Giving

Offerings taken on May 16, 2021: General Fund-\$5260; Benevolent Fund-\$115; Building Fund-\$50; VBS Kitchen Fund-\$820.

Special offering for May is Northwestern College

Attendance last week: 1st-148; 2nd-86.

## There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

	This Week: May 23	Next Week: May 30
Nursery:	Open but unstaffed	Open but unstaffed
Greeters:	E: Dr. Greg and Deb Kosters C: Ron and Nancy Dykstra W: Clint and Jamie Klaassen	E: Lawrence and Ruth Ann Wiersma C: Dave and Lesa Stofferan W: Jim and Pauline Van Engen
Library:	Phyllis Vander Linden	Alfreda Verdoorn
Coffee:	Coffeetime starts June 6	Coffeetime starts June 6



Josh Lucas, Director of Youth Ministries joshlfrc@gmail.com M-F 9:30-2

Brenda Kuhl, Worship Coordinator pptfrc@gmail.com

#### Jamie Hulstein, Communications Director sibleyfrcoffice@gmail.com 712-754-2783

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.\*\*\*