

ROES & BLES

A Mixed
series of
Heroes of
Faith
&
Parables
of Jesus
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Lydia



**Welcome to Church!**

**JUNE 28, 2020**

***Glorify! God With Worship***

**9:00am Traditional Service**

**11:00 am Open Door Service**

Welcome back to those that are worshipping with us!

We will also be offering each service via Facebook live and later on our church website: [sibleyfrc.org](http://sibleyfrc.org)

If you have any prayer requests please submit them into our office via email to [sibleyfrcoffice@gmail.com](mailto:sibleyfrcoffice@gmail.com) or via phone 754-2783.

***Grow! In His Word***

**MESSAGE: "HEROES OF FAITH & PARABLES OF JESUS...**

**LYDIA--THE PURPLE LADY"**

**SCRIPTURE: ACTS 16:11-15 PG: 1721**

## ***Stewardship & Giving***

**Offerings for June 21, 2020:** General Fund-\$5129; Benevolent Fund-\$110; Building Fund-\$50; The Banquet: \$550; Video System Fund-\$775. Attendance: 1st-84 2nd-48.

**Special Offering for June is The Banquet.**

**Special Offering for July is OCMA Backpacks.**

## ***Happening This Week***

- Small groups of 10 or less are permitted to meet in the Fireside Room. Please contact the office PRIOR to meeting to check availability.
- Church hours are 7am-2pm Monday-Thursday.
- Secretary's Office is only open on Mondays
- Bulletins, newsletters and other items have been placed on a table by the office door. Please visit our website for the weekly bulletin and monthly newsletter or stop M-Th 7-2 for a copy.
- Offering donations can be simply slid under the office door or mailed to church (1010 6th Street, Sibley, IA 51249) for your convenience. Thank you for your donations...they are greatly appreciated and needed.

## Opportunities and Events

**Sunday, June 28:** Today we continue our series “Heroes of Faith and Parables of Jesus...Lydia--The Purple Lady.”

**Return to Church Plan:** Our Administrative Team met once again and decided that we will continue in **Phase 1A** which means keeping things like they are when it comes to worship. Bulletins/Newsletters will not be available on Sundays. Offerings will need to be mailed in, dropped off (M-Th) or placed in the plate in the back of the Sanctuary (Sunday). The South Doors will be open, however the east parking lot door will remain locked on Sundays.

We however are going to move to **Phase 2B** for other church activities. This means, beginning Sunday, June 28th, we will allow small groups (10 people or less) to meet in the church. We ask that groups who meet in church abide by the social distancing guidelines of a 6-foot distance. If you would like to meet in the church you need to contact Jamie in the office so we are aware when you are here. That will allow us to make sure we disinfect and clean the area you use after you are done.

We are asking all meetings to be held in the Fireside Room only. You can arrange the room according to your needs. Again, please inform Jamie if you will be needing the use of that room. The youth group will also be able to begin meeting. Josh will inform all students and parents of the guidelines he will have as they meet together.

When a church activity or meeting is not in the church, groups of more than 10 can meet if they are outdoors and again are social distancing. Our community has done a great job of keeping COVID numbers down. As we began to meet face to face with more people we want to continue to keep those numbers low.

**Faith in Action for June is Nursing Homes and Assisted Living Residents.** Take time this month to do something special for someone in a Nursing Home or Assisted Living Facility. Send a card, draw a picture, give them a call...the options are many.

**VBS signups are open for students as well as volunteers through July 5.** Please go to the following link to register: <https://vbspro.events/p/events/2d5e04>

**All are invited to enjoy a GRAB-n-GO meal on Sunday, June 28,** sponsored by ATLAS of Osceola County, Just drive by the ATLAS office at 955 2nd Avenue, Sibley, **between 11:00 AM and 1:00 PM** to grab a delicious sack lunch of a grilled hamburger or hot dog, chips, a cookie and small drink. Your freewill donation will help support the mission of ATLAS. Please enter from the west end of 10th Street to pick up your meal. Together touching lives for Christ.

## In Our Prayers



If you have a pastoral need, please call Pastor Luke Schouten, 920-889-3911, any consistory elder or the church office (754-2783). 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:** Gaylord Kruger, Ethel Jurgens and Geneva Wissink
- **Pray for our nursing home residents:** Margaret Calsbeek, Dutch Kruger, and Harold Schram.
- **Pray for 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.

### In Our Prayers

**Continue to lift up** Ray Schram and Rhonda Henrichs as they deal with cancer. Pray for strength and healing for them and comfort for their families.

### With Sympathy

**Our deepest sympathies** are extended to the Arnie and Diane Langstraat family, Bill and LaDonn Hartzell family, and the Le Roy and Glenda De Boer family on the passing of Gerrit De Jong, father to Diane, LaDonn and Glenda. Services for Gerrit were held Tuesday, June 23rd at the Christian Reformed Church in Sibley. Please keep these families as well as their mom, Erma, in your prayers as they mourn their loss.

**Please also remember Brad and Sarah Loerts** and family. Sarah's mom, Holly Montgomery, was tragically killed in a motorcycle accident on June 20th. Services will be held on Tuesday, June 30 in Wyoming. Please keep Sarah's family, her brother Daniel and her dad Mike in your prayers. May God comfort those who mourn.

### Words of Thanks

**Harold Eggink has now returned home** from the Sibley Specialty Care to continue to recover from his hip surgery. Thank you to everyone who sent wishes and prayers. It meant a lot to both of us.

~~Harold and Luella Eggink



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Hours: Mon, Thurs., Fri. 8am –1 pm  
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\*\*\*All bulletin announcements are due in the church office by Wednesday noon.

Bulletins are printed on Thursday morning.\*\*\*