

All the Earth Worships God

Psalm 66



AUGUST 27, 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

CALL TO WORSHIP

SONG: "SHOUT TO THE LORD"

SONG: "HOW GREAT IS OUR GOD"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION / WORDS OF ASSURANCE

****CHILDREN AND WORSHIP IS ON SUMMER BREAK****

SCRIPTURE: PSALM 66

MESSAGE: ALL THE EARTH WORSHIPS GOD

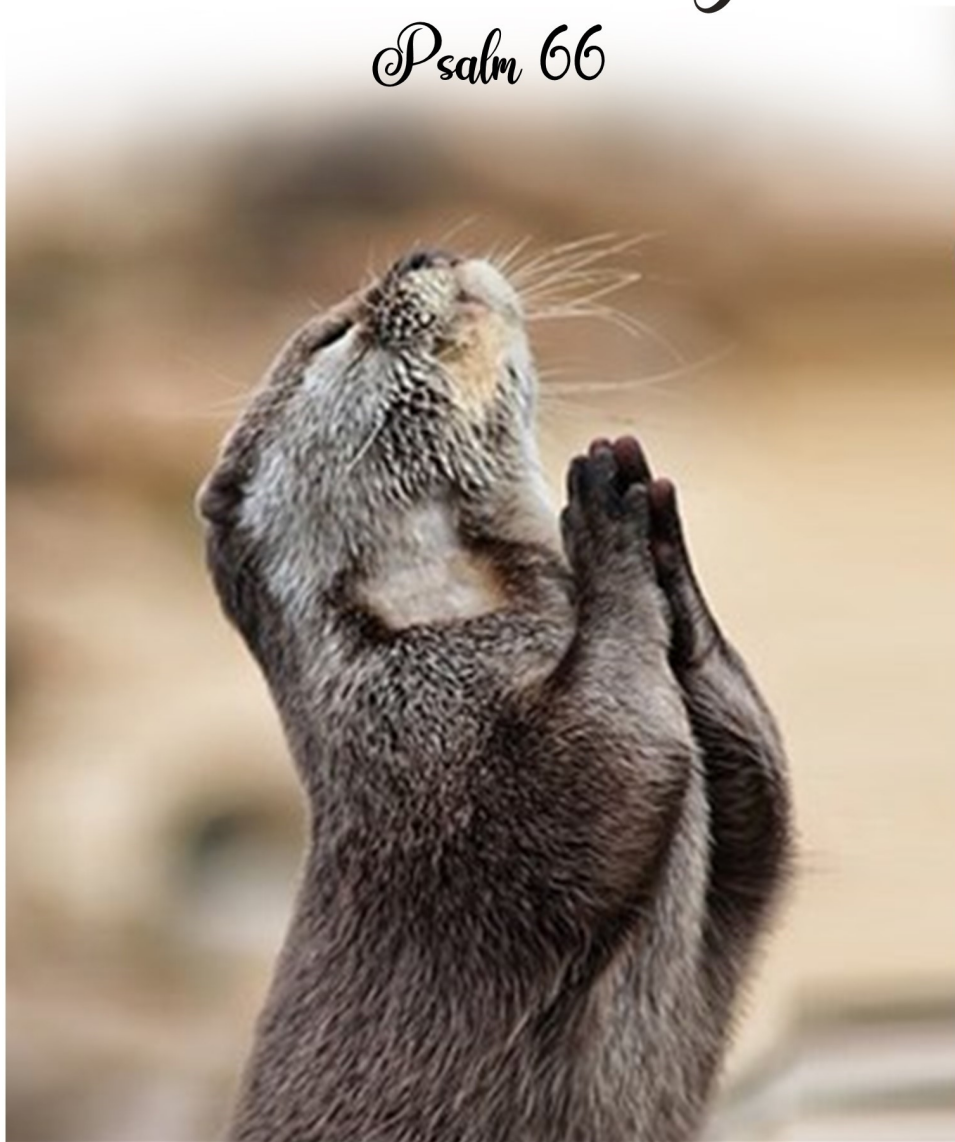
PRAYER CONCERNS

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

SONG: "THIS IS MY FATHER'S WORLD" #40

BENEDICTION

CLOSING: "THE WONDER OF IT ALL" #320



Happening This Week

Sunday, August 27:

- **9:00 am: Praise and Worship Service** This morning, Josh will share his message, "All the Earth Worships God" based on Psalm 66.
- **10:10 am: Coffee Fellowship**

Monday, August 28:

- **7:00 pm: Special Consistory Meeting**

Tuesday, August 29:

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

Wednesday, August 30:

- **6-8:30pm Community Youth Group Kickoff** for students in grades 7th-12th. We will meet at Central Park for food and games then make our way to the Sibley-Ocheyedan High School auditorium to hear Noah from Fellowship of Christian Athletes and some special announcements. Please contact Josh for further details.

Sunday, September 3:

- **9:00 am: Praise and Worship Service** This morning, Pastor Troy will share his message, "Sweet is the Sleep" based on Ecclesiastes 5:10-17.
- **10:10 am: Coffee Fellowship**

Mark Your Calendars

- Sept 10:** 9:00am Education Sunday. 1st and 6th-9th grade students will receive Bibles
10:10am Sunday School begins
- Sept 13:** 6:30pm Wednesday Night Bible Class and
6:30 pm Middle School Remnant begins
7:30 pm High School Remnant begins
- Sept 24:** Outreach team will be serving at Freedoms Gate in Sioux Falls



Our Church Nursery is currently available for use but is unstaffed. If you see a need to have the nursery staffed during Sunday services or Sunday School, please contact anyone on the Worship Committee and we will set up a staffing schedule.



Mark your calendars!! "FRC Fundraiser for Missions" Soup and Pie Supper, September 20 from 5pm-7pm. Please take a moment to check out the sign up sheets on the Information Center to sign up to donate food and/or your time. Groups 3 and 4 are in charge of this fall's soup and pie supper. Please check your mailbox for an important note!! Thanks!



SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED!! We are still in need of a Kindergarten-1st grade teacher. We are also looking for 4 co-teachers that would be able to assist in the classrooms this year. If you are interested in helping in any of these areas, please contact Josh Lucas or Deb Kusters for more information. Thanks!!



On Sept. 24 a group of FRC Volunteers will be traveling to Freedom's Gate church in Sioux Falls, SD to serve the meal following the service. A signup sheet is on the Information Center for those who may be interested in volunteering. We will leave around 2:30 and return around 10. Volunteers must be 18 years of age.



Also needed for the meal are 100 WRAPPED bars. Please use the sign up sheet to let us know how many you are making. We only need 100 bars, so if the sign up is full please do not bring extras. Please have wrapped bars to church no later than Friday, September 22. Thanks!



Twelve freshman students will be off to college in August and September. As we have done in past years, we are looking for volunteers from our congregation to adopt a student to let them know that we at FRC are supporting them as they are away from home, many for the first time. Each volunteer can choose how to keep in contact throughout the school year -- possibly by praying, sending notes or cards, texts, sharing goodies, and welcoming them in person when you see them

in church on Sunday. Please sign up at the Information Center if you'd like to support one of our freshman college students. You can request a certain student or we will pair you up.

News you Need to Know

The Sibley Christian Reformed Church invites you to the Heaven Bound Gospel Band concert on **Sunday, August 27 at 3:00 pm**. Heaven Bound programs include well-known hymns, southern Gospel, country Gospel songs and bluegrass favorites.

The annual ATLAS of Osceola County Fall Celebration Banquet will be held on **Wednesday, August 30, 2023** at the Ashton Legion Building. Doors open at 6:00 PM to view Silent Auction items. A meal will be served at 6:30, followed by a short program. FREE Tickets are available from any ATLAS Board member or by stopping at the ATLAS office in Sibley. Thank you for your support of this local ministry!

Bible League International invites all men and women to Bethel CRC in Sioux Center on **Tuesday, September 12 at 9:00 am** for the Growing Inward-Reaching Outward conference. Best-selling author, Carol Kent's life turned upside down when their only child was sentenced for murder. Carol shares from God's Word and her family's life experience in growing an enduring faith and impacting the world for Christ. Registration and more information can be found at Bibleleague.org/tickets

Books of the Month

More details can be found in the September newsletter.



Trinity Lutheran church invites you to a community women's event, food provided by The Lantern

Coffeehouse, on **Thursday, October 12 from 5:30-8pm**. This event features author/speaker Jennifer Dukes Lee as she presents "Season of Life", a program directed at women 20-100 years of age! Tickets are available at Trinity's church office (754-3645) and at The Lantern for \$10 each.



BibleLeague
INTERNATIONAL

Bible League is looking for someone willing to become a contact person/Field Rep for First Reformed Sibley. Duties would include communicating announcements to the office as well as delivering handouts/flyers to the church office as well. If you feel God leading you to volunteer in this way, please contact Dorothy Vander Wildt at 712-230-1237.

Sermon Notes:

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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:** Anita Ernst, 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

Pray For:

- **All those** who have lost loved ones.
- **Our Church as we** seek God's will with our future decisions
- **Our Country and its Leaders.**
- **All those who have had** illnesses and surgeries and/or deal with health issues.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Kyle and Maggie Brown on the birth of twins, Jack David and Jenna Elaine, on August 10. Kyle and Maggie also have a son, Beau, to help welcome home the new arrivals. Congratulations also go out to Grandparents, Scott and Marlys Dykstra and Great Grandmother, Trudy Dykstra! May God continue to watch over and bless this family.



Please remember the Handicap Parking Spots on the west side of the church are reserved for those who need them. Please refrain from parking there unless you have a permit to do so. Thank you.

Faith In Action for August Upper Des Moines Food Pantry

Let's help fill up
the pantry!
Any nonperishable
food is welcome.
Thank you for sharing!



Stewardship & Giving

Offerings taken on August 20: General-\$7107.05; Benevolent-\$465; Building-\$280; Bountiful Blessings Table-\$60; Village NW-\$550.

Special Offering for August is for the Village Northwest
Attendance Last Sunday: 158

There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

	This Week: August 27	Next Week: September 3
Greeters:	E: Brian and Heidi Sayler/family C: Roger Verdoorn W: Clayton and Jodi Wagenaar	E: AJ and Jenny Weg/family C: Lawrence and Ruth Wiersma W: Ryan Wiersma
Nursery:	Nursery is open but unstaffed	Nursery is open but unstaffed
C&W Leader	On Summer Break	On Summer Break see you next week
Library:	Jan Henrichs	Jamie Hulstein
Coffee:	Merlin and Karen Doorenbos	Ed and Jan Harskamp



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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