

IN THIS FAMILY:

JESUS IS OUR EXAMPLE

WE BELIEVE *everyone* MATTERS

We strive for excellence

WE LOVE OUR COMMUNITY

WE CORRECT WITH GENTLENESS AND RESPECT

WE FORGIVE EACH OTHER

WE LAUGH TOGETHER AND WE CRY TOGETHER

WE LOOK OUT FOR EACH OTHER

WE *read, study* AND *obey* THE WORD OF GOD

WE ALL SERVE WE ARE GIVERS

WE ARE ALL DISCIPLE MAKERS

We are not ashamed of the Gospel

WE BELIEVE *prayer is powerful*

WE DON'T LIMIT GOD

FAMILY VALUES...

Showing Visible Love



Welcome to Church!

SEPTEMBER 29, 2019

We are delighted that you are worshipping with us today. We strive to be a warm, welcoming place for you to glorify God. We encourage you to please fill out a visitor card found by the hymnals in the pew and place it in the offering plate as it is being passed. To find out more about First Reformed Church, stop at the Information Center in the Narthex, or visit our website: www.sibleyfrc.org.

Glorify! God With Worship

9 am - Cornerstone Service

- Children and Worship --(3yrs. - Kindergarten)

10:10-10:50 am

Coffee Fellowship & Prayer Time

- Sunday School for ages Pre-K- Adult
- Sunday School Guide Study will meet in the Library
 - Men's Bible Study: "*Be A Godly Man*" meets on the south-west end of the Fellowship Hall
- Women's Bible Study meets on the north-west end of the Fellowship Hall
 - Coffee Fellowship in the Fellowship Hall
 - Prayer Time with the Elders in Pastor's Office

11 am - Open Door Service

Join us for a time of praise and worship by use of contemporary music, prayer, scripture and a Bible Talk.

- Children and Worship --(3yrs. - Kindergarten)

Grow! In His Word

MESSAGE:

"SHOWING VISIBLE LOVE"

SCRIPTURE:

JOHN 13:34-35 PG:1675

Stewardship & Giving

Offerings for September 22, 2019: General Fund -\$4012; Benevolent Fund-\$215; Building Fund-\$310; Talking Bibles-\$1030.

Special offering for September is Talking Bibles

Special offering for October is Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

Happening This Week

Sunday, September 29:

- This morning Pastor Luke will conclude his Family Values series with the topic of “Showing Visible Love.” This week we also have Communion Preparatory to help prepare our hearts and minds to partake in the Lord’s Supper on World Wide Communion Sunday, October 6.
- 8:20 am Joyful Voices Choir will meet in the Fireside Room to practice
- 10:10am Sunday School

Monday, September 30:

- 7:00 pm Monday Night Ladies Bible Study
- 7:00 pm Women’s Lantern Bible Study
- 7:30 pm Administrative Team will meet

Tuesday, October 1:

- 8:30 am: Chickadee Quilters
- 9:00 am: Coffee with the Pastor (Note Date Change for this month)

Wednesday, October 2:

- 9:00 am Mothers Together will meet. Join us as we enjoy a Mom’s Morning out at the Lantern. Come for friendship and fellowship! Free and excellent Childcare is offered at the church as usual!
- Bible Classes & Youth Groups will meet
 - 6:30-7:30 pm: Bible Class for 1st—5th Grade
 - 6:30-7:30 pm: MS Remnant meets in the Youth Room
 - 7:30-8:30 pm: HS Remnant meets in the Youth Room
 - 6:30-7:30 pm: Discovery Class for High School - Adults. If you have ever had any questions about church or the desire to become a member of FRC this class is for you.

Sunday, October 6:

- Today Pastor Luke will begin his new sermon series “Wisdom in a World of Chaos--Your Community/Your Character”. Today we also have the privilege of celebrating the sacrament of Infant Baptism for Colt Travis Klaassen son of Clint and Jamie Klaassen at the 9:00 service and Brooks David Heronimus son of Derek and Ashley Heronimus at the 11:00 service. Today we will also partake in the sacrament of the Lord’s Supper in honor of World Wide Communion Sunday. During this mornings offering, we will also be nominating people for the position of Elder. Please place your ballot in the second plate as it is passed by you. We thank the Joyful Voices Choir for sharing their special music with us this morning.
- 8:20 am Joyful Voices Choir will meet in the Fireside Room to practice
- 10:10am Sunday School

Go! And Serve Him

Opportunities and Events

The Bountiful Blessings Table is back for the season. Remember all monetary donations will be given to Upper Des Moines at the end of the season.


In Your Bulletin This Morning: You will find a sample ballot along with a list of eligible names for the nomination of Elder. We will be nominating names next Sunday, October 6 for this office. Please take time to pray for the Holy Spirit’s leading as we choose names for nomination.



the power of
a simple gift

Pack a Shoebox!!
Collection Day is
November 17!!

**Faith In Action
for
September:**



ATLAS
Everyday people ready to help
when you don't know
where else to turn.

**Here is what is on their
list:**
Card Stock Paper—white
Hershey’s Kisses
Cans of Coffee
24 lb. Printer paper
Wet Swiffer Refills

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Opportunities and Events

The Sibley Christian Reformed Church invites you to the concert of the New Shoes Quartet from Council Bluffs, IA and Fulton, MO on Sunday, September 29, at 3:00 p.m. Their services include a mixture of testimony, Southern Gospel music and hymns of the faith. Invite your friends to join you and come to hear the message they will be giving.

The Sibley Christian Reformed Church invites you to the concert of Josiah Mullins on **Sunday, October 6, 2019 at 3:00 p.m.** Josiah lives in Le Mars, IA and has been performing and traveling with the Brown family. Invite your friends to join you and come to hear the message he will be giving.

Trinity Lutheran Church invites you to attend their Harvest Festival meal on Sunday, October 13 from 11am-12:30pm. The menu will include roast pork, mashed potatoes, gravy, corn, squash, apple sauce, and desserts. Free will donation. Come and bring your family and friends.

Please join Inspiration Hills at their Annual Fall Auction on Friday, **October 25th** with doors opening at **6pm** for a first look at items. Soup, Sandwich & Dessert will be available for a free-will offering. Live Auction begins at 7pm with Mark Zomer! This was a enjoyable event last year; please join us!

Museum FUNDRAISER for the FARM SHED: Amazing Race, **Sunday, October 27th @ 2:00pm.** Meet at the BIG slide in the Central Park. You will need your own transportation. Pre-race registration/payment REQUIRED. Limit 4 on a team. \$40 per team until October 23rd. Contact Jodene Kruse 712.330.8254 to register.

Sermon Notes:

Grow! In His Word

MESSAGE:

“SHOWING VISIBLE LOVE”

SCRIPTURE:

JOHN 13:34-35 PG:1675

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:** 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 TenCley, Rowland and Jane Van Es.

Prayer Requests

Please continue to lift **Dave Kleinwolterink, Cavell Van Westen, Kelli Van De Berg, Merlin Doorenbos and Mike Kraayenbrink** up in your prayers as they continue to deal with health issues. Pray for strength and healing for them as well as a sense of God's presence in their lives.

Please remember Josh Lucas's niece Kierra in your prayers. Kierra is 10 years old and has been diagnosed with Type 2 Diabetes. Her diabetes has affected her eyesight and surgery will be happening in the near future. Please pray for Kierra and her family as they go through these difficulties.

Words of Thanks!!

Dear Friends at Frist Reformed Church,

Thank-you seems very, very inadequate for the amazingly generous gift from this mission-minded congregation. As the ATLAS staff walks alongside others, we need others to walk alongside us as well. FRC continues to do just that. Your tireless financial partnership provides both affirmation and encouragement for the staff—and helps keep the “Open” sign on our office door. We are humbled by your benevolence and praising God for this clear answer to prayer. So on behalf of the board, staff and the many we serve. . . thank-you for remembering those struggling on our local mission-field and thank-you for remembering ATLAS of Osceola County.

~~Clark Haken

There is JOY in Serving Jesus!

	This Week: September 29	Next Week: October 6
Cornerstone Greeters:	W: Mark & Tanya Dykstra M: Dwayne & Janice Heikes E: Scott & Marlys Dykstra	W: Trudy Dykstra & Anita Ernst M: Harold & Luella Eggink E: Harold & Mim Ernst
After Church Greeters:	SE: Lawrence Wiersma C: Harvey Van Ruler SW: Marcus De Boer BE: Pastor Luke BW: Josh Lucas	SE: Josh Lucas C: Ron Dykstra SW: Henry Fisher BE: Lennis Harberts BW: Pastor Luke
Prayer with the Elders:	Cornerstone: Dick Oldenkamp Open Door: Bill Hartzell	Cornerstone: Harold Ernst Open Door: Dr. Greg Kusters
Children and Worship:	Children and Worship 9am Leader: Deb Kusters 9am Helper: 11am Leader: Deb Kusters 11 am Helper:	Children and Worship 9am Leader: Deb Kusters 9am Helper: 11am Leader: Deb Kusters 11 am Helper:
Nursery:	9:00 am: Lesa Stofferan & Jodene Kruse Sunday School: Tami Tracy 11:00 am: Chrissy Ackerman & Heather Tangeman	9:00 am: Kathy Verdoorn & Marcia Van Ruler Sunday School: Pam Vande Hoef 11:00 am: Melissa and Kendra De Boer
Library:	Mary Hustoft	Jan Juffer
Coffee:	Charlie & Brenda Kuhl	Ken & Wilma Loerts



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Bulletins are printed on Thursday morning.***