



# SULLY CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

**Cultivating space for people to experience the transforming love of Christ.**

## **Prayers, Praise, and Plans**

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**A WEEKLY PUBLICATION OF CHURCH FAMILY CONCERNS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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### **PRAYER PARTNERSHIP**

*Worship Today, April 9, 2023*

Today we celebrate the Resurrection of our Savior.

At 6:30 we hold a Sunrise Service with Mr. Nate Van Wyk leading us. This will be held in the church parking lot, or in the event of unfavorable weather it will be in the church. The service will be followed by a time of fellowship with rolls, coffee and orange juice.

At 9:30 Pastor Will Verhoef will lead our Easter worship.

There will be no Sunday School or Evening worship.

### ***Church Family Prayers***

➤ Out of a desire to care for all our members, each week we will be placing names of shut-ins for you to remember in prayer. This week we want to specifically remember Nelson Geels, Marcus Goodyk, and Clara Hogeveen.

### **Next Week Sunday, April 16**

Sunday Morning Pastor Justin Van Zee will lead our worship.

Sunday evening Pastor Jon Spronk of First Oskaloosa will lead us in our Annual Prayer Day service.

Offering: Sully Christian School with SCS Envelope Offering

Greeters: (N) Alex and Jentri Van Wyngarden

(S) Dennis and Staci Schut

Nursery Assignment: Michelle Van Kooten, Bailey Vos, and Renae Van Wyk

Coffee Servers: Brent and Brenda Rolffs

Roger and Carolyn Zylstra

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

(Bulletin Deadline Thursday Noon.)

### **Budget Giving**

Total Congregational Giving since June 1: \$333,451.20

Budgeted goal by April 30, 2023: \$383,752.82

Budget Giving Goal by May 31, 2023: \$418,639.44

**The Shepherding Elders** plan to meet on Monday evening April 17, anyone wishing to meet with them should contact Steve Van Sant (641-629-6004) for a time.

**Ruth Circle Charity Offering** will go for Cary Christian Center to help the people they serve in Rolling Fork. If anyone would like to donate to this cause, you may put your offering in Charlene Van Maanen's mailbox by April 12.

**Spring Luncheon** - The annual luncheon that the Couple for Christ Bible Study hosts each year has decided to also invite all singles (19 and older) along with the Widow & Widower's this year. It is set for April 16 at noon in the church basement. Hoping you can join us for some good food and fellowship. All you have to do is bring yourself! If you have any questions, please contact Mike or Marlene Van Soelen @ 641-594-4404.

**High School/College Graduates:** I would like to feature our graduates in the May Fellowship Findings. Please submit a picture and information regarding your schooling and future plans to the office. You may submit by email to [sullycrc@netins.net](mailto:sullycrc@netins.net).

**New Life Prison Church** invites you to our **Resurrection Worship Service** to be held Sunday, April 16 at 4 PM at the Calvary Youth House, Pella, IA. Following the worship will be a potluck meal. This is a great opportunity to learn more about what is happening in the prison and to show support for this ministry!

**SCS Grandparents' Day** - SCS will be hosting Grandparents' Day on Thursday, April 13. The day will begin at 9:30 in the gym for a short program. At 10:00 there will be refreshments before grandparents head to classrooms beginning at 10:15. Lunch will start at 11:30. All SCS grandparents are invited to attend. Please join us for this special day.

**First Church of Pella** will host a concert by the **Northwestern College A cappella Choir** on Friday, April 14, at 7 p.m. The choir's repertoire will feature familiar hymns, folk-song arrangements, music in several languages and adventurous vocal soundscapes. The concert is free and open to the public.

**A Grand Day at Pella Christian High School:** Grandparents and special friends, please join us for 'A Grand Day' at Pella Christian High School on Thursday, April 20. The morning will include chapel, classroom visits, student performances and lunch. Please arrive between 8:40 and 8:50am and spend the morning discovering how God's story is unfolding through the students at PCHS. No need to RSVP.

Join us on April 27 for our **Help Us Soar - PC Giving Day 2023!** We want PCGS and PCHS to continue to educate and nurture for a life of service in God's Kingdom and to do so, we need your help! **Please consider giving to Pella Christian Schools to help us meet the goal of \$150,000 for general costs and our one-time costs of PCHS improvements during our Help Us Soar campaign.** Show your support by donating online at [www.pceagles.org/helpussoar/](http://www.pceagles.org/helpussoar/) or

by mailing your gift by April 27, 2023 to 300 Eagle Lane, Pella IA 50219. Donations can be designated for Pella Christian High School, Pella Christian Grade School or simply Pella Christian Schools and will be divided between both campuses.

## COUNCIL FUNCTION/DISTRICT

### ELDERS

Steve Van Sant (23) ..... Team 2  
 Verlan Van Wyk (23) ..... Chairman  
 Loren Fopma (23) ..... Team 3  
 Lawrence Van Zee (24) ..... Team 1  
 Mike Arkema (24) ..... Team 4  
 Rick Vos (24) ..... Vicar  
 Roger Zylstra (25) ..... Team 6  
 Gary Christensen (25) ..... Team 5  
 Landon Van Zante (25) ..... Clerk

### DEACONS

Kevin Laverman (23) ..... Building and Grounds  
 Dan Dunsbergen(23) ..... Chairman  
 Jamie Van Kooten (23) ..... Benevolence  
 Rick Jansen (24) ..... Collection Fund  
 John De Berg (24) ..... General Fund  
 Kyle Van Kooten (24) ..... Team 2  
 Mike Vander Molen (25) ..... Team 3  
 Trevor Nikkel (25) ..... Secretary

## CHURCH PROGRAM

### Sunday

Men's Bible Study ..... 8:00 AM  
 Prayer Meeting ..... 8:45 AM  
 Church School ..... 10:45 AM  
 \*Couples for Christ ..... 7:00 PM  
 \*Truth Seekers ..... 7:00 PM

### Tuesday

\*Coffee Break Ministry ..... 9:30 AM

### Wednesday

\*Ruth Circle ..... 1:00 PM  
 \*Share Your Faith ..... 6:45 PM  
 \*GEMS ..... 6:45 PM  
 \*Cadets ..... 6:45 PM  
 \*412 High School Youth Group ..... 7:00 PM  
 \* These groups meet September through March.  
 Prayer Meeting ..... 7:00 PM (year round)

## INFORMATION

Pastor ..... Joel De Boer – (641) 251-1713; email: pstrjdb@live.com  
 Secretary ..... Glenda Vander Leest—Office 594-3491 (cell-641-780-6166), bulletin deadline Thursday, 12:00am  
 ..... Office Hours – Monday-Friday - 8:00 a.m. – 12:00, email sullycrc@netins.net  
 Worship Coordinator ..... Jodi De Berg – 319-243-8754  
 Cancellations ..... KCWN (99.9 FM), WHO (TV 13), and KCCI (TV 8)  
 Church Use ..... Church Office – 594-3491  
 Communion ..... Good Friday, third Sunday of February, June, September and the last Sunday of December.  
 Custodian ..... Randy and Karen Altena – 641-840-1235  
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