## June 11, 2023

#### Today's Events

- \* 8:00 AM Men's Bible Study
- \* 8:45 AM Prayer Group (Room 6 upstairs)
- \* 9:30 AM Morning Worship
- \* 10:45 AM Coffee Time
- \* 5:00 PM Imani Melele Children's Choir

# Today's Assignments

-Sound System: Kevin Laverman
-Projection: Marlene Van Soelen
-Greeters: (N) Kevin and Melanie Van Maanen

(S) Clarence and Judy Van Zee
-Nursery: Sheila Pleima, Allison Pleima, Erika Van Maanen
-Coffee Servers: John and Jacie Kramer
 Craig and Linda Zylstra

#### **Schedule of Week's Events**

Wednesday, June 14 7:00 PM Prayer Meeting

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# SULLY CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

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

II Corinthians 3:1-18 **"Do You Resemble Jesus?"** Pastor Bill Vis

## Morning Worship

<u>9:30 AM</u>

## **Gathering With Joy**

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

- \* God's Greeting
- \* Opening Song ......"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty" RH 8

# **Opening Ourselves to God**

God's Will for our Lives of	Gratitude Ephesians 4-5
Song	"I Love You, Lord" RH 80
Congregational Prayer	
Offering	World Renew

## **Examining Our Consciences**

*	Song	"The Love of God" RH 67
	Scripture	. II Corinthians 3:1-18 (p.1796)
	Sermon	"Do You Resemble Jesus?"

# **Responding in Faith**

Prayer of Response

\* Song of Response ...... "Oh to Be Like Thee!" RH 387 Preparatory Form for The Lord's Supper

# **Departing for Service**

- \* Benediction
- \* Doxology ...... "Glorify Thy Name" RH 29
- \* A Moment of Meditation
- \* Postlude (\*) Denotes - Please stand, if able. CCLI #750610

Worship Leader: Pastor Bill Vis Accompanist: Mary Fopma AM NOTES

Text: II Corinthians 3:1-18 Title: *"Do You Resemble Jesus?"*  God's will for our Lives of Gratitude - from Ephesians 4 & 5.

Leader - As a prisoner for the Lord, then, I urge you to live a life worthy of the calling you have received. Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace.

Congregation - There is one body and one Spirit — just as you were called to one hope when you were called — one Lord, one faith, one baptism; one God and Father of all, who is over all and through all and in all.

#### L - But to each one of us grace has been given as Christ apportioned it. It was he who gave some to be apostles, some to be prophets, some to be evangelists, and some to be pastors and teachers, to prepare God's people for works of service.

C - So that the body of Christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ.

#### L - You were taught, with regard to your former way of life, to put off your old self, which is being corrupted by its deceitful desires; to be made new in the attitude of your minds; and to put on the new self, created to be like God in true righteousness and holiness.

C - Therefore each of you must put off falsehood and speak truthfully to his neighbor, for we are all members of one body. "In your anger do not sin": Do not let the sun go down while you are still angry, and do not give the devil a foothold.

#### L - He who has been stealing must steal no longer, but must work, doing something useful with his own hands, that he may have something to share with those in need.

C - Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen.

L - And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with whom you were sealed for the day of redemption.

C - Get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice. Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.

L- Be imitators of God as dearly loved children and live a life of love, just as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us as a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God.

C - Among you there must not be even a hint of sexual immorality, or of any kind of impurity, or of greed, because these are improper for God's holy people. Nor should there be obscenity, foolish talk or coarse joking, which are out of place, but rather thanksgiving.

L - For of this you can be sure: No immoral, impure or greedy person — such a man is an idolater — has any inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and of God. Let no one deceive you with empty words, for because of such things God's wrath comes on those who are disobedient.

C - Have nothing to do with the fruitless deeds of darkness, but rather expose them. For it is shameful even to mention what the disobedient do in secret. Be very careful, then, how you live — not as unwise but as wise, making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil.

# L - Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will is. Speak to one another with psalms, hymns and spiritual songs.

C - Sing and make music in your heart to the Lord, always giving thanks to God the Father for everything, in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.