



# 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, August 6, 2023*

Pastor Bill will lead us in both worship services today.

The young people who went on SERVE will give a recap of their week in Muskegon.

Rick Fopma will give us an update on the Search Committee.

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

- This will be the final week for baskets for Clay Huisman and Marthon Van Zante.
- 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 Marcille Jansen, Melvin and Marilyn Jansen, and Neva Lanser.

### **Next Week Sunday, August 13**

Pastor Bill will lead us in worship.

Sunday evening will be "*Bring Your Favorite Ride to Church,*" followed by a meal and a time of fellowship.

Offering: Lake View Camp

Greeters: (N) Daryl and Linda Menninga

(S) Brennan and Shelby Veenstra

Nursery Assignment: Michelle Van Kooten, Abbie De Berg, Trevor De Berg

Coffee Servers: Jaron and Tasha Vos

Scott and Vicki Nikkel

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

(Bulletin Deadline Thursday Noon.)

### **Budget Giving**

Total Congregational Giving since June 1, 2023: \$64,945.00

Budgeted goal by July 31, 2023: \$71,144.70

Budget Giving Goal by May 31, 2024: \$426,868.22

**Church League Slow Pitch: Tuesday, August 8** Sully CRC will play Peoria CRC at 7:00 pm on the East Field.

**Family Visiting** is scheduled for August 8, 10, and 15; please see the attached schedule and make note of your assigned time. If you have a conflict, please contact your elder or deacon to make other arrangements.

**Drive Your Favorite Ride to Church!!** Sunday evening, August 13, you are invited to take your favorite ride to church. Polish up that vintage car, truck, or tractor; get out your sporty convertible, motorcycle, or even your bicycle. Whatever is your favorite thing to drive, we want you to drive it to church Sunday evening, August 13. There will be a time of fellowship as we gather for a meal following the worship service.

**Coffee Break** will start Tuesday, September 12 and is in need of someone to lead the Bible study. This is a one-hour commitment each week from September through April. Please pray that God is putting this calling on your heart and join us in September. Please contact the church office if you are willing to consider leading (594-3491).

**Parents, Alumni, Friends, and Supporters**, Sully Christian School is turning 110 this year, and we want to celebrate God's faithfulness to this school! **Please mark your calendars for Saturday, August 26th at 6 PM and plan to join us for this wonderful celebration with a feast, a time of sharing memories, and a time of worship to our great God!**

To RSVP, check in with an SCS family or go to our webpage, [www.sullychristian.org](http://www.sullychristian.org) and click on **events**, scroll down, and RSVP. We do not want anyone to be missed; as one generation calls to the next, we want to share that Christ-loving legacy from all generations who have walked the halls of SCS and gathered as a community of believers to celebrate Christian Education in Sully, Iowa.

**Advance Notice: The Annual Rededication Service**, hosted by Sully First Reformed Church and Sully Christian Reformed Church, will be held Sunday, September 10 at 9:30 AM at the First Reformed Church. Joel Vander Molen will be the speaker. Joel has been a quadriplegic since an accident when he was three years old. He is now a web developer, disability awareness speaker, substitute minister and more. We look forward to gathering as a community to hear the message Joel will bring.

**World Renew** now provides Disaster Response and Community Development in 1,330 different communities. These communities are in 30 countries in Central America, Southeast Asia, Africa, the Middle East, and Europe.

## 2023 Family Visiting Schedule

	Time	August 8, 2023	August 10, 2023	August 15, 2023
Room 5-Up	7:00	Harris Vos	Jason Lowry	Kevin Plowman
Lawrence Van Zee	7:45	Marv Slings	Bob Van Soelen	Joel Vos
Zach Dunsbergen	8:30	Rick Fopma	Bryce Arkema	Brent Rolffs
Library	7:00	Neva Lanser	Doug Van Zee	Curt Vos
Tim Vander Schel	7:45	Melvin Lanser	Duane Arkema	Jeff Pastoor
Kyle Van Kooten	8:30	Alvin Fopma	Murray Pothoven	
Room 3-Up	7:00	Wes Zylstra	Scott Roose	Norm Nikkel
Nolan Vos	7:45	Brennan Veenstra	Alenna Jansen	Melvin Jansen
Mike Vander Molen	8:30	Jared Laverman	Monte Goodyk	
Council Room	7:00	Kevin Veenstra	Ron De Nooy	Wayne Ritter
Mike Arkema	7:45	Marv Goodyk	Loren Vander Wilt	Brent Vander Molen
John Kramer	8:30	Val Nikkel	Lauren Van Wyk	Duke Zylstra
Room 2-Down	7:00	Larry Van Wyk	Berdena Vos	Doug Vos
Gary Christensen	7:45	Roger Bruxvoort	Arlyn Van Zante	Carolyn Vande Voort
Rick Jansen	8:30	Gary Fynaardt	Dwight Vander Leest	
Room 1-Up	7:00	Kelsie Van Haaften	Ron Swank	Miranda Nikkel
Roger Zylstra	7:45	Clarence Van Zee	Judson Vos	Wes Laverman
Trevor Nikkel	8:30	Ed Dieleman		

If you have a conflict with the time you are scheduled, please call your elder or deacon to make other arrangements.

### Colossians 3:1-17

Question # 1 - How is Sully CRC equipping and pushing you to grow in your relationship with Jesus?

Question # 2 - How is Sully CRC equipping you to walk alongside others in their faith journey?

Question # 3 - What can Sully CRC do to better equip you to strengthen your personal relationship with Jesus?

Question # 4 - What can Sully CRC do to better equip you to walk alongside others?

## COUNCIL FUNCTION/DISTRICT

### ELDERS

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  
Dale Van Wyk (26)..... Chairman  
Tim Vander Schel (26)..... Team 2  
Nolan Vos (26)..... Team 3

### DEACONS

Rick Jansen (24) ..... Collection Fund, Team 5  
John De Berg (24)..... General Fund  
Kyle Van Kooten (24)..... B & G, Team 2  
Mike Vander Molen (25) ..... Benevolence, Team 3  
Trevor Nikkel (25)..... Secretary, Team 6  
Dennis Schut (26) ..... Chairman  
John Kramer (26)..... Vicar/Auditor, Team 4  
Zach Dunsbergen (26) ..... Team 1

## 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  
\* Indicates these groups meet September through March.  
Prayer Meeting ..... 7:00 PM (year-round)

## INFORMATION

Pastor ..... Interim Pastor Bill Vis -Phone – (605) 941-1862, email: bbvis@hotmail.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 email: worshipsullycrc@netins.net  
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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