



SULLY CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

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

Prayers, Praise, and Plans

A WEEKLY PUBLICATION OF CHURCH FAMILY CONCERNS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER PARTNERSHIP

Worship Today, September 17, 2023

Pastor Bill will lead us in both worship services today.

Sunday School begins today, September 17. See the attached sheet for where your child must go and who their teacher is.

Church Family Prayers

- JoAnn Fynaardt had successful heart surgery on Monday. We pray that recovery continues to go well and she may soon return home.
- 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 Glenna Budding, Zelda Engbers, and Theda Fopma.

Next Week Sunday, September 24

Sunday morning Pastor Bill will lead us in worship as we celebrate the Lord's Supper.

Sunday evening will be Pastor Bill's last service with us. Following the service there will be a time of food and fellowship as we thank Pastor Bill and Betty for the time they served here in Sully.

Offering: Benevolent Fund

Greeters: (N) Gary and Lynnette Christensen
(S) Roger and Carolyn Zylstra

Nursery Assignment: Megan, Joel, and Owen Vos

Coffee Servers: Jud and Pam Vos

Clint Vos and Arlyn Van Zante

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Bulletin Deadline Thursday Noon.)

Budget Giving

Total Congregational Giving since June 1, 2023: \$109,095.00

Budgeted goal by September 30, 2023: \$142,289.40

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

From the pastor search team - The pastor search team prayerfully asks Sully CRC members to contact Pastor John with words of encouragement through text messages and/or email. Pastor John, and his wife, Kim, have been given a deadline of Sept 30 to discern the call to Sully CRC. He has allowed us to provide you with the following contact information.

Cell number: 269-277-4589

Email: johnrdevries@gmail.com

Please check your mailboxes today for an information packet from the facility team. The team encourages you to talk to them if you have questions or comments on the information presented.

The choir will be singing in the evening service of September 24 as part of the Vis's last service with us. We will practice on September 17 and 24 at 4:00. All ages are welcome! Come join us as we wish Pastor Bill and Betty farewell.

Quilt Day!! We will have our first quilt day on September 21, 2023. If you can tie a knot and enjoy great fellowship, you are qualified. You do not need to know how to sew to help people in need. Bring nothing or bring a scissors and large needle. Along with loads of fun and great fellowship you will get a terrific lunch and coffee time!

All girls in 5th through 8th grade are invited to join our GEMS Girls' Club! GEMS is a club just for girls that focuses on activities that girls love to do! Whether it is singing, crafts, learning new skills, finding out more about God, or interacting with other girls, we do it at GEMS! We would love for you to join our club! Contact Linda @ 641-521-2539 or lmenninga@gmail.com to register and get more details! Our Kick-Off is September 27 and weekly meetings begin October 4, 2023.

GEMS Girls' Club Prayer Partners - Every GEMS girl needs to be known and loved. Every GEMS girl needs a prayer friend! Would you be willing to partner with a GEMS girl, and pray for her and her family during the GEMS Season? Please contact Linda @ 641-521-2539 to be added to our group.

Truth Seekers will be holding their first meeting following evening worship on Sunday evening, October 1. We welcome anyone to join us as we participate in a Bible study and fellowship together.

Share Your Faith Bible study will begin Wednesday, October 4. We are a group of ladies who meet every Wednesday evening to study God's Word. We welcome women of all ages to join us.

PCHS Alumni Night: All Pella Christian alumni are invited to join us Friday, September 22 at the PCHS home football game vs. Eddyville-Blakesburg-Fremont. Enjoy an evening of fellowship and supporting our PC Football teams. The night will be sprinkled with fun events including prizes and free snacks. Stop by the Alumni registration table which will be just south of the Eagle Boosters concessions to join in the fun.

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Pella Christian Football Breakfast: Saturday, September 23 serving 7:30-10:00am. Join us for pancakes, sausage, cinnamon rolls, and beverages. Free will donations for the Eagles Football team are welcome.

We are cleaning out the archives! PCHS has VHS recordings (<https://tinyurl.com/yrnh99wp>) and yearbooks (<https://tinyurl.com/mvtfdpa4>) that are no longer needed. We would like to pass these along to those that may find them useful or entertaining! Stop in the office if you would like one for your personal collection.

Lake View Camp invites everyone on Saturday, October 7th for a Fall Camp Fun Day! This camp fundraiser will start off with a 5K Trail Run/Walk (\$25 pre-registration / \$35 on race day) at 9:00am followed by fall fun activities from 10:00am until 4:00pm (\$5/person). Activities include canoeing, fishing, mini obstacle course, hay bales, crafts, mini golf, and more! Fun for the whole family! More details at lakeviewconference.com/blazingthetrails. (Pre-registration is encouraged for the 5K Trail Run but not required. No pre-registration for the Fall Camp Fun Day.)

Empty Cradle invites you to *A Walk to Remember*, Sunday, October 15 at 3 pm, Scholte Church in Pella Historical Village (enter at corner of Franklin St and East 2nd St.) The event will begin with a service at the Scholte Church, continue with a remembrance stroll through the Pella Historical Village, and end with a balloon release. For more information, and to get a memorial sign made for your baby/babies to be displayed during the stroll, call Hospice of Pella at 641-620-5050.

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
*Growing in Grace..... 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
Fellowship Findings Glenda Vander Leest, sullycrc@netins.net, 594-3491
Sunday School Superintendent.....Rick Vos
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