



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, March 31, 2024

Resurrection Sunday Sunrise Service at 7:00 AM in church fellowship hall with a continental breakfast following at 7:40.

Our traditional **Easter Service** will be at 9:30 AM.

There will be no evening service.

Church Family Prayers

- The council approved a request from Jason and Kallie Van Zee to transfer their membership to Third Church in Pella, IA. We pray God will continue to bless Jason, Kallie, and their family in their new church home.
- We, as a congregation, extend our heartfelt sympathy to Dwight and Glenda Vander Leest in the passing of Dwight's brother, Norman Vander Leest. The celebration of life service was held this past week. May the healing gifts of our risen Savior comfort the family and friends of Norman through the loss they are feeling right now.
- 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 Norm and Betty Schuring, Don and Deloris Van Rees, and Mildred Van Soelen.

Next Week Sunday, April 7

Next week Sunday will be Cadet Sunday and the Cadets will take part in our morning worship.

Offering: Cadets

Greeters: Cadets

Nursery Assignment: Jana Van Zante, Alexa Van Zante, Averie Plowman

Coffee Servers: Cadets

April 14: The Council would like you to know that April 14, Pastor Darren Kornelis will preach for us with an 11:30 Potluck followed by a question-and-answer time.

There will be no coffee time or Sunday School that morning and there will be no evening worship.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Bulletin Deadline Thursday Noon.)

Budget Giving

Total Congregational Giving since June 1, 2023: \$337,205.39

Budgeted goal by March 31, 2024: \$355,723.50

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

Congregational Meeting Results: Council would like to thank the congregation for their faithful participation in our recent congregational meeting. The following individuals were elected to serve on council:

- Administrative Elder - Jeff Pastoor
- Administrative Deacon - Nathan Nikkel
- Shepherding Elders: Mike Van Soelen and Joel Vos
- Shepherding Deacon: Lauren Van Wyk and Clint Vos

Advance Notice: Upcoming Hospitality Events:

- **April 14:** Full church potluck at Sully Christian School, serving by Care Group 5, beginning at 11:30. This event will be hosted by the Search Team.
- **April 21:** Farewell for the Vanden Heuvels in the social hall served by Care Group 3.

Cadet-O-Rama: Treat your family to a great morning and support the Hawkeye Council Cadets by attending the annual Cadet-O-Rama on **Saturday, April 6** from 8:00-1:00 at the Vermeer Global Pavilion in Pella. View the badge work and projects of the individual Cadets and their clubs, enjoy great food all day long (free-will donation), enter into a Bags Tournament, see awards and trophies presented, and test your skills on a miniature golf course.

Bible League Spring Luncheon: All are invited to the Spring Salad Luncheon sponsored by the area Bible League International Ambassadors to be held on **Monday, April 8**, at 12:00 noon at the Cornerstone Church fellowship hall at 1020 East Oskaloosa Street, Pella, IA. Afternoon events will include hearing our key-note speaker, Deanna Van Swol, Director of U.S. Ministry Support, report on her recent trip to the Philippines. A freewill offering will be taken for this important work of the Bible League and the afternoon will finish with a short time of praise and worship. Plan to attend.

A Grand Day: Grandparents and special friends, join us for 'A Grand Day' at Pella Christian High School on Thursday, April 18. 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 Pella Christian High School.

The Rehoboth Christian High School Band is excited to be touring through the Midwest in early April. We will be coming through Central Iowa after a day of culture and fun on Thursday, April 11. We are looking for host families in the Pella and Sully communities to help with lodging for the 60 students and 12 chaperones. If you are able to host for the night of April 11, please

reach out to Candice Vos (Sully) at clvos6@icloud.com or Cindy Ippel (Pella) at cippel@rcsnm.org. Please let them know where you are from, how many you can host, and include your phone number and also if you have any pets. Pickup will be at 7pm at Calvary CRC in Pella or 7:30pm at Sully CRC. Students will need to be dropped off on Friday morning at 7:45am at Sully CRC or 8:15am at Calvary CRC. If you have any other questions, please contact Ken Zylstra at (505) 488-3900 cell.

Please join us for the **Eighth Annual Heartland Hymn Sing** on Sunday April 21, 2024, at 6:00 PM at Calvary Church at 408 Maple Street in Pella. This is an awesome, non-denominational evening of singing the heartwarming hymns of the faith. All ages are encouraged to attend as we worship together in song. If you would like to sing in the Heartland Hymn Sing Choir, please come to choir practice at 5:15 PM that evening.

If you cannot attend in person, please watch the live broadcast at calvarypella.org. For more information contact Christy Van Zee, 641-628-1068.

Joshua Christian Academy, 2024 Annual Banquet Celebration - Friday, May 3, 2024, 5:30-8:00 p.m. Doors open at 5:00 pm, at the Elwell Family Food Center, Iowa State Fairgrounds, 3000 e Grand Ave, Des Moines, IA 50317. Limited seating is available, please RSVP by April 22. See the bulletin downstairs for more information on registering. Questions? Contact Tina Rains 515-265-0603.

Please join us for a Women's Brunch, Saturday, May 18 from 10:00am-12:00pm, First Reformed Church of Sully. Inviting women of all ages to join us for a morning of fellowship and food with guest speaker Tracy Berta. The cost is \$10.00 per person. RSVP to rbarr3766@iowatelecom.net by May 13.

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
*GEMS6:45 PM
*Cadets6:45 PM
*412 High School Youth Group..... 7:00 PM
* Indicates these groups meet September through March.
Prayer Meeting 7:00 PM (year-round)

INFORMATION

Interim Pastor Pastor Jack Vanden Heuvel, 641-512-5366, jackvh@outlook.com
Secretary Glenda Vander Leest—Office 594-3491 (cell-641-780-6166), bulletin deadline Thursday, 12:00am
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Cancellations KCWN (99.9 FM), WHO (TV 13), and KCCI (TV 8)
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Communion Good Friday, third Sunday of June, September, and the last Sunday of December.
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