



# 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, March 15, 2026*

Pastor Darren will lead our morning service today and our evening worship will be led by the Gospel Singers.

Note that our evening service will begin at **6:00 PM**.

The adult Heidelberg Catechism class will **not** be meeting today.

### ***Church Family***

- Pastor Darren and his family will be gone to Michigan this week, March 16-21, for his annual study week.
- 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 Melissa Laverman, Marcia Nikkel, and Dan Pastoor.

### **Next Week Sunday, March 22**

Offering: Christian Education Encouragement Fund (CEEF)

Greeters: (N) Trevor and Jerri Nikkel

(S) Gabe and Izzy Hoksbergen

Nursery Assignment: Angela Veenstra and Alicia Fynaardt

Coffee Servers: Gary and JoAnn Fynaardt

Ed and Joyce Dieleman

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

(Bulletin Deadline Thursday Noon.)

### **Budget Giving**

Total Congregational Giving since June 1, 2025: \$325,765.26

Budgeted goal by March 31, 2026: \$374,688.30

Budget Giving Goal by May 31, 2026: \$449,626.00

**Choir** will be practicing at 5:00 this afternoon in the room next to the library. More members would be greatly appreciated to perform this beautiful anthem, "It is Finished", during our Good Friday service. Please consider joining us!

**Single's Luncheon:** Growing in Grace Bible Study would like to invite all singles to our annual Spring Luncheon on Sunday, March 22, at 12 noon. Please join us for a time of food and fellowship. Transportation to and from the church will be available if needed. If you have questions, you may contact Karen Altena.

**SCS Kindergarten Round Up:** Do you have a child who will be entering kindergarten this fall? Join us for Kindergarten Round Up at Sully Christian School on Tuesday, April 7<sup>th</sup>, from 8:30-11:00 AM! This is a great opportunity for incoming kindergarteners to visit the classroom and experience a morning at Sully Christian School! For more information visit our website and click on the "events" tab.

**The Gospel Singers** male chorus will present a program in our church this evening. The program will begin at 6:00 pm and will take the place of our evening worship. The Truth Seekers will provide a light lunch for the Gospel Singers and their wives following the service.

**GEMS Soup for Sale:** Let us take some meal prep off your hands! There are still some chili and broccoli cheese soup by the quart available for purchase as a fundraiser for GEMS. Quarts are \$8 each.

Please contact Brenda Rolffs by phone (641-521-0068) or email ([broloffs@netins.net](mailto:broloffs@netins.net)) to place your order. Thanks for your support!

**Have you been heard?** Our congregation has a once-in-five-year opportunity to participate in the 2026 CRC denominational survey. This survey helps denominational leadership understand the concerns and needs of local congregations like ours. It is crucial that as many people from our congregation participate as possible. Please visit [crcna.org/survey/8184](http://crcna.org/survey/8184) to answer the survey questions by **March 31**.

**Sully Christian School** is seeking a full-time Kindergarten teacher for the upcoming school year. Join our team in providing Christ-centered education while helping our youngest learners grow in not just academic knowledge, but also in the knowledge of Christ! For information, please visit our website and click on the "employment opportunities" tab.

**Urgent Need:** Peoria Christian School is in need of a driver for the bus or the school van starting on Monday, March 23. We are open to mornings only, afternoons only, or certain days of the week that you are available. Please contact Sean Rozenboom at 641-780-2729 if you are interested in helping.

***Middle East Conflict and World Renew:*** *As conflict escalates in the Middle East, multiple people have been killed or injured, and many families are facing urgent need after fleeing from their homes. World Renew is preparing to respond in Lebanon through a trusted Christian partner while we continue to monitor the situation across the region.*

*Join us in praying for lasting peace, and please give to support vulnerable families at [worldrenew.net/middle-east-conflict](http://worldrenew.net/middle-east-conflict), by calling 1-800-552-7972, or by mailing a check made out to World Renew, with "Middle East Conflict 2026" in the memo line, to: World Renew, 8970 Byron Commerce Dr SW, Byron Center, MI, 49315.*

## COUNCIL FUNCTION/DISTRICT

Dale Van Wyk (26) ..... Vicar  
Tim Vander Schel (26) ..... Team 2  
Nolan Vos (26) ..... Team 3  
Mike Van Soelen (27) ..... Team 1  
Jeff Pastoor (27) ..... Chairman  
Joel Vos (27) ..... Team 4  
Scott Roose (28) ..... Clerk  
Brent Rolffs (28) ..... Team 5  
Loren Fopma (28) ..... Team 6  
Darren Kornelis ..... Pastor

## DEACONS

Dennis Schut (26) ..... Chairman  
John Kramer (26) ..... Vicar/Auditor, Team 4  
Zach Dunsbergen (26) ..... Team 1  
Clint Vos (27) ..... Mission Fund /Team 2  
Lauren Van Wyk (27) ..... Benevolence Fund, Team 5  
Nathan Nikkel (27) ..... General Fund Treasurer  
Kevin Van Maanen (28) ..... Team 6  
Jaden Vos (28) ..... Secretary, Team 3

## INFORMATION

Pastor ..... Pastor Darren Kornelis, (cell) 559-909-2939, email: dckornelis@gmail.com  
Secretary ..... Glenda Vander Leest—Office 594-3491 (cell-641-780-6166), bulletin deadline Thursday, 12:00 noon  
..... Office Hours – Monday-Friday - 8:00 a.m. – 12:00, email sullycrc@netins.net  
Worship Coordinator ..... Jodi De Berg – 319-243-8754 email: jodideberg@gmail.com  
Cancellations ..... KCWN (99.9 FM), WHO (TV 13), and KCCI (TV 8)  
Church Use ..... Church Office – 594-3491  
Communion ..... Good Friday, third Sunday of March, June, September, and the last Sunday of December.  
Custodian ..... Randy and Karen Altena – 641-840-1235  
Fellowship Findings ..... Glenda Vander Leest, [sullycrc@netins.net](mailto:sullycrc@netins.net), 594-3491  
Sunday School Superintendent ..... Jana Van Zante/Laura Fynaardt  
Right Now Media Access: **Custom Link:** <https://app.rightnowmedia.org/join/sullychristianreformedchurch>

## Missionaries

### World:

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Live Streaming at Sully Christian Reformed Church Website – [sullycrc.org](http://sullycrc.org)

Church Email.....[sullycrc@netins.net](mailto:sullycrc@netins.net)

WORSHIP SERVICE BY Telephone ..... 888-602-1825

## CHURCH PROGRAM

### Sunday

Men's Bible Study ..... 8:00 AM  
Prayer Meeting ..... 8:45 AM  
Church School ..... 10:45 AM  
\*Truth Seekers ..... 6:15 PM  
..... 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month  
\*Growing in Grace ..... 6:15 PM  
..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month

### Tuesday

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

### Wednesday

\*Ruth Circle ..... 1:00 PM  
..... (Meets the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of the month)  
\*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 weekly September through March.