

First Reformed Church

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Office Hours: Monday-Thursday 8:00 a.m. -4:30 p.m.

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Our Vision:

Here at First Reformed we desire to be a Nurturing Family where we actively reflect Christ's Love and Build Trusting Relationships.

Order of Worship

Sunday, January 7th, 2024 – 10:30 AM Pastor Mike De Jager We welcome you here this Sunday morning!

Welcome	&	Annou	ncements
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Opening Prayer

*Greet One Another

*Praise & Worship

Profession Of Faith

Congregational Prayer

Offering Hymn: "Wonderful Grace of Jesus" (Children (3 years-K) are dismissed for Promise Lambs)

Scripture: Matthew 20:1-16

Message: "Grace-What A Great Gift!"

*Hymn: "Brighten the Corner Where You Are" (Building Fund offering)

*Benediction

*Closing Hymn: (#295) "Revive Us Again" (*Please stand if you are able)

Promise Lambs Lesson: Jesus Heals a Man Who Couldn't See

Teacher: Jamie Feiok

Opportunities for Worship and Service This Week

Sunday, January 7th, 2024

Sunday School: 9:30 am Worship: 10:30 am Fellowship: 11:30 am

Praise Team: Carol Weins Media: Martha Patzlaff Pianist: Gloria VanZee

Greeters: West: Steven & Jenna Bultsma

East: Jared & Heather VanDerWerff **Center**: Mike & Suzanne Schoenrock

Sunday School Nursery: Sam Booth & Melissa Huizenga

Worship Nursery: Brandon & Annie Feddersen Serve Coffee & Cookies: Troy & Regan Holleman

Bake Cookies: Norma VanZee

Promise Lambs Teacher: Jamie Feiok Helpers: Penny & Emily Feiok

Opportunities for Worship and Service Next Week

Sunday, January 14th, 2024

Sunday School: 9:30 am Worship: 10:30 am Fellowship: 11:30 am Praise Team: Youth Praise Team Media: Joni VanZee Pianist: Amanda Groon

Greeters: West: Mahra & Mila Strand

East: Jerad & Megan Hutchens

Center: Noreen Kimball

Sunday School Nursery: Sam Booth & Melissa Huizenga

Worship Nursery: Liz Antonsen & Family

Serve Coffee & Cookies: Heath & Jamie Feiok

Bake Cookies: Linda Samuelson

Promise Lambs Teacher: Melissa Huizenga Helpers: Isabell H., Leah & Hannah

This Week's Events:

Today: Sunday School Resumes

Building Fund offering

Tuesday, January 9th: Consistory Meeting @ 7 pm

Wednesday, January 10th: FRC Baked Potato Supper & Pie Auction 5pm-7pm

Upcoming Events:

Sunday, January 21st: FRC Junior High Youth event (see details on next page)

Praises and Concerns

- > Judy Veurink had wrist surgery this past week. Please pray that her recovery goes well.
- Thank you so much for the Poinsettia, still as beautiful as when Harlan and Bill delivered it. Margaret Ann Ringling
- > Such a thoughtful gift of a poinsettia from our church family. It warms our hearts and we give you our thanks. Len & Carol Weins
- Those dealing with health issues: Sandy Schoenrock, Judy Baas, Heath Feiok, Erica Kuiper, Leah Bultsma, Ryker Reddick, LeRoy Houdeshell, Don Meyerink, Jeanette Johnson, Dorothy Petrik, Suzanne Schoenrock, Addison Walstad, Marsha Keegel, and Tom Tatum

Those who are in Nursing homes, Assisted Living Homes or are homebound:

Jeanive Solheim, Clara Knutson, Maxine Bischke, Larry Jongejeugd, Leanne Bultsma, Delores Anderson, Jim Wesseling, Dora Dykstra, Fran Brummel, Dwight DeJong, Judy Oster, Gert Vanderheiden, and Vonnie Koopal

Please be in prayer for the missions and missionaries we support:
Inspiration Hills retreat and camp in NW Iowa; Junior High Community Youth
Group; KGRD Christian radio out of O'Neill, NE; Living Stone Prison Church and
Dan Ebbens at the Mike Durfee State Prison in Springfield, SD

FRC YOUTH 2ND ANNUAL BAKED POTATO BAR & PIE AUCTION

THIS WEDNESDAY FROM 5-7 PM

This is a fundraiser to help the FRC Youth to go to Power Connection and also with other activities for the Junior High and Senior High to participate in.

Announcements within our Church

- Congratulations to our 10 new youth members who will be making a profession of faith with us this morning: Karly and Kori VanDerWerff, Cadence VanZee, Emerson Ringling, Claire, Norris, and Maverick Maydew, Christopher Baas, Rylee Reddick, and Scarlett Cole. We are thrilled to welcome you as members of our Church family.
- We want to thank everybody for showing us so much kindness and generosity during the Christmas season. We are so grateful for the love offering, the gifts, the goodies, etc. We feel very blessed to be able to serve First Reformed and really appreciate all the ways in which you show love to us. Thanks for giving us a great place to work and a great place to raise our family. Love, The De Jager's
- We have been so amazed and at the generosity of our new Church family. From our first time visiting, to moving here in July, to all the food we continue to receive, and most recently with the love offering. Thank you so much for all the ways you have welcomed and blessed us. Love, The Hanssens
- ➤ We will be taking a Building Fund offering today.
- Adult Sunday School Class: There will be no Sunday School for Jeff & Martha Patzlaff's class on January 14th.
- ➤ COOKBOOKS ARE HERE!!!!! We will have a table set up in the fellowship hall for a couple of weeks if you would like to purchase any cookbooks. You can also stop in the office during the week as well. They are \$20 for each cookbook and just a reminder that money will be going toward the FRC youth!



FRC Junior High Youth:

Sunday, January 21st we will be going to Sioux Falls to Skyzone. We will leave after church at noon. Please RSVP by Sunday, January 14th. We would like a count for vehicles. Parents if you would like to drive, please let Melissa know. Contact Melissa (712-348-6032) if you will be going.

Community Announcements

Spring Cursillo-a weekend retreat in Christian living and a time to be refreshed. It is open to anyone where you are 18 or 85, there is no cost to attend. Men's weekend starts Thursday evening Feb 22nd - to Sunday afternoon the 25th. The women's weekend starts Thursday Feb 29th to March 2nd. Cursillo will take place a Swan Lake Christian Retreat by Viborg, SD. For those working there is a \$25 discount for early registration and payment by January 15th. Any questions, need a registration form or would like more information on the weekend contact Karla Overweg-680-484

Wednesday Activities in the Community:

Awana: Supper from 5:45-6:30 Start Time: 6:30pm-8pm Community Junior High: @ CRC from 6:30-8:15pm Community Senior High: @Trinity from 7:15-9:15pm

The Vine's Bountiful Table: (anyone 50 yrs. or older are welcomed)

Menu: Saturday, January 13th: Egg Bake

January, February, and March meals will be on Saturdays at Noon Signup by January 7th @ CRC or Norma's cell (605-680-1691)