"The Cost of a New You!"

Philippians 3:7-16

Pastor Wayne Sneller 9:30 a.m. January 6, 2019

Observations about making a new you in Christ. 1. Permanent change is and temporary change is If we are going to be the person that we need to be and that God wants us to be we are going to have to understand. Real change that lasts for is an inward change. "For His sake (Christ) I have discarded everything else, counting it all as garbage, so that I could gain Christ." Philippians 3:8b 2. For change to occur in your life there must be three things present. • There must be _____ with the _____. "I once thought these things were valuable but now I consider them worthless because of what Christ has done." Philippians 3:7 Change ______ when we are aware of a _____ condition. "Yes, everything else is worthless when compared with the infinite value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord." Philippians 3:8a The on how to change. "I want to know Christ and experience the mighty power that raised him from the dead." Philippians 3:10a - I begin to understand _____ to make that change in my life step by _____. 3. You must have a time of . • There must be a time when you say "Okay, I am to change." This is Christ likeness in our daily lives! "...pattern your lives after mine." Philippians 3:17 4. There needs to be a continual _____ and ____ from God. The nourishment that we receive from the Word of God, through and with God makes the difference. "Forgetting the past and looking forward to what lies ahead..." Philippians 3:14 What you need this new year is a new you! An inward change where you have Christ in your life to make the !



First Reformed Church Morning Worship * 9:30 a.m. * January 6, 2019 **Pastor Wayne Sneller**

| PRELUDE | "How Great Thou Art" | Praise Team |
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| THE APPROACH TO GOD | | |
| *Call to Worship | | 11/5/2 |
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| | | "Sound of the Saints" |
| *Worship Prayer | | |
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| (3 yr. olds thru 1 st | grade dismissed for Children & W | orship Activities- |
| A | Legacy Addition basement!) | |
| Announcements | | |
| Preparatory Service—see | | |
| Congregational/Offertory | | |
| Offertory | | "It Is Well (Oh My Soul)" |
| THE WORD OF GOD | | |
| Scripture | | Philippians 3:7-16(pg.959) |
| | Cost of a New You!" | |
| THE RESPONSE TO GOD | | , |
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| *Benediction | | , -, |
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| *Indicates standing if able | | *CCLI License # 790003 |
| *There will be a time of coffee | e and fellowship after the service | this morning in the Gather- |
| ing Place fellowship hall. | | |

EVENING WORSHIP SERVICE TONIGHT AT 6:00 pm in the

Gathering Place with Bob Hammann

Scripture: Revelation 17 & 18

Message: "Who Is Mystery Babylon?"

*We Livestream all our services at www.sullyfrc.org to watch online.

PRAYER CORNER

Praise

We extend our congratulations to Garrett & Jade (Van Rees) De Hoedt who were united in marriage on Monday, December 31 here at FRC. We ask for God's richest blessing as they begin their life together.

Church Family

- Marvin Baarda is recovering in the Pella Regional Health Center after a fall. He suffered broken bones in his cheek and a shoulder injury.
- **Shirley Baarda** continues treatment for cancer.
- Jeff Vander Molen underwent a heart angiogram on Thursday, January 3 at Mercy West in Des Moines. No blockages were found and he was able to return home in the afternoon.

Christian Sympathy

We extend our Christian Sympathy to Denamae Maasdam in the death of her brother, Earl Fopma, age 85 who passed away Tuesday, January 1. Funeral services were held on Friday, January 4 at Sully Christian Reformed Church.



BABY BLESSING BASKET: A baby blessing basket is set out in the Gathering Place for our newest little ones, Max Allen, son of Drew & Leah Van Rees and Brody Jeffrey, son of Kenton & Kayla Dunsbergen.

CHURCH TREASURERS: A reminder for all treasurers to turn in your books, and financial reports for 2018, bank statements and cancelled checks to the church office for our annual report and for auditing by TODAY!

CHRISTMAS OFFERING & QUARTERLY BUILDING FUND OFFERING taken this month was Christmas offering \$13,672.35 and the Building Fund was in the amount of \$7251.25. Thank you for your faithful giving! God is good!

REMEMBER TO PICK UP YOUR MAIL IN YOUR CHURCH MAILBOX!!

Work Trip Opportunity: February 9—17, 2019 we will be heading to Eastern Texas (not sure of the specific location yet). There will be a meeting after the worship service on Sunday. January 13 for anyone interested in going. REGISTRATIONS NEED TO BE TURNED IN TODAY AS WELL! If you have any questions, please contact Gary Van Genderen at 594-2967 or gdvangen@netins.net.

Work Trip Opportunity in Marshalltown: The week of February 24 – March 2 has been assigned to our church for Tornado Relief work in Marshalltown. You may participate as few or as many days as you wish during this week, and you can either drive home at the end of the day, or stay overnight in Marshalltown. The rebuilding effort is being coordinated by Habitat for Humanity. Details about the exact days and type of work our group will be doing will be finalized a week or two before our assignment. There will be a meeting after the worship service on Sunday, February 3rd for anyone interested in going. If you have questions before February 3rd, please contact Chuck/Deb Johnson at 594-2702 or csdajo@netins.net.

Family night meal donations: hotdogs, macaroni, velveeta, gift cards to Fareway/Walmart

MORNING SCHEDULES 2019

| DATE | SIDE AISLE | CENTER AISLE | WING |
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| January 6 | Jason Van Zante | Joel Van Wyk | Scott Rolffs |
| | Coltin Collins | Cody Kesling | Doug Maasdam |
| January 13 | Bob Scandridge | Shawn Huyser | Kyle Van Rees |
| | Corey Kramer | Cooper Scandridge | Dwayne Maasdam |

| January 6 | | January 13 |
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| Monica Nikkel Trisha Vander Molen Cheyanne Collins Luke Kramer | INFANT & TODDLER NURSERY | Dorothy Van Genderen Jennifer Kramer Alyssa Bassett Tatum Huyser |
| Parents: None Storyteller: None Leader: Faye B & Shelby S | CHILDREN IN WORSHIP | Parents: None Storyteller: None Leader: Barb M & Steph Y |
| Cheyanne Collins | LIVE STREAM | Josh Rozendaal |
| Shawn Huyser | PROJECTION | Gale Horman |
| Nick & Hannah De Penning | WELCOME CENTER | Nick & Hannah De Penning |
| Verlan Brand Gerry Van Dyke | VALET PARKERS | Scott Van Kooten |

NOVEMBER 25- MARCH 2019 - NO GREETERS

Due to the fact that the "flu bug" is making its way around. We will discontinue hand shaking for now. Please greet your neighbor with a friendly smile and hellol

NURSERY INFORMATION:

Please contact Hollie Nunnikhoven at sullyfrcnursery@gmail.com if you would be willing to help out with this ministry! Nursery alert pagers are available in the nursery at check-in!

A nursery is provided from birth to age 3. Our nurseries are located right next to the Welcome Center located on the south east corner of the new addition.

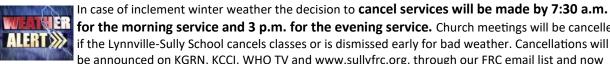
Children in Worship Activities—3 year old—1st grade are dismissed during the service and meets downstairs (stairway in the Gathering Place by the elevator)

Weekly Calendar at Sully 1st Reformed for the week of January 6—13, 2019

| Sunday January 6 | 9:30 am Morning Worship - Pastor Wayne Sneller– Preparation Service for Communion 10:45 am Sunday School for ALL ages! 12:00 pm Reunion in the Gathering Place 12:00 pm Reunion in the Well 4:00 pm IMPACT & Faithwalker Youth Groups (6th—12th grade) Meet to go to Skyzone 6:00 pm Evening Worship—Bob Hammann | |
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| Monday January 7 | 6:00 pm Building Committee meeting with the Architects | |
| Tuesday January 8 | 9:00 am Sewing Days 6:30 pm T.E.C. meeting in the Well | |
| Wednesday January 9 | 5:45 am Promise Keepers Bible Study 3:30 pm STARS After school program begins! 5:30 pm Family night meal (hot dog/chili dog, mac-n-cheese, applesauce & peanut butter cookie) 6:15 pm 6th—8th small group 6:45 pm 9th—12th small group | |
| Thursday January 10 | | |
| Friday January 11 | No Prayer Breakfast | |
| Saturday January 12 | | |
| Sunday January 13 | 9:30 am 10:45 am 4:59 pm 6:00 pm 6:27 pm Morning Worship - Pastor Wayne Sneller– Communion Sunday School for ALL ages! IMPACT Youth Group (6th—8th grade) in the Well Fvening Worship—Pastor Tom VandeBerg Faithwalkers Youth Group (9th –12th grade) in the Well | |

Wednesday, January 16, Elders meeting, 6:30 pm; Deacons Meeting—6:45 pm; Consistory meeting-7:30 pm.

Saturday, January 26, 8—1 pm—Consistory Retreat in the Gathering Place



for the morning service and 3 p.m. for the evening service. Church meetings will be cancelled if the Lynnville-Sully School cancels classes or is dismissed early for bad weather. Cancellations will be announced on KGRN, KCCI, WHO TV and www.sullyfrc.org, through our FRC email list and now **TEXT ALERTS!**



SIGN UP for TEXT ALERTS on our website at sullyfrc.org on the home page under the service times (join FRC Text)! You will then be notified by a text when services are cancelled! You can also sign up for volunteer opportunities as well!

^{*}Guests please stop by the Welcome table to find out more about First Reformed Church!
*The AED Defibrillator is located in the church office on the 2nd shelf on east wall

CONSISTORY— 2019

Rev. Wayne Sneller, President—wsneller@netins.net

| ELDERS | DEACONS |
|------------------------|------------------------|
| Kurt Harthoorn (19) | Dan Dykema (19) |
| Chuck Johnson (19) | Kendall Jansen (19) |
| Jeff Van Wyk (19) | Rod Rozendaal (19) |
| Gerald Droppert (20) | Andy Dunsbergen (20) |
| Dennis Dunsbergen (20) | Duane Van Rees (20) |
| Mark Scholten (20) | Cole Vos (20) |
| Bryan De Jong (21) | Gale Horman (21) |
| Beryl Dunsbergen (21) | Matt Schechinger (21) |
| Doug Huyser (21) | Jeff Vander Molen (21) |

OFFICERS OF CONSISTORY

Vice President - Dennis Dunsbergen (20)

Clerk – Kurt Harthoorn (19)

Deacon Chairman – Duane Van Rees (20)

Deacon Secretary - Cole Vos (20)

General/Maintenance Fund Treasurer – Kendall Jansen (19)

Ass't General Fund Treasurer - Matt Schechinger (21)

Mission Fund Treasurer - Dan Dykema (19)

Ass't Mission Fund Treasurer – Gale Horman (21)

Youth & Education Director

Jeff Knouse—jkfrcsully@gmail.com

Children's Ministry Director

Julie Van Manen—julievmfrcsully@gmail.com

COMMITTEE CHAIR PERSONS AND CONTACT PERSONS

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Custodian – Rod Zuidema **STARS Coordinator** – Julie Van Manen

Newsletter Editor - church office frcsully@netins.net

Christian Education – Gerald Droppert Buildings & Grounds - Rod Rozendaal Calendar Activities - Church office Website Updates – Church office Worship Committee - Pastor Wayne Sneller Welcome Committee – Chuck Johnson **Secretary/Custodial** – Dennis Dunsbergen Request Shut-in Communion -**Greeters/Ushers** – Mark Scholten Music Committee – Bryan De Jong Pulpit Supply – Dennis Dunsbergen Service Committee – Velda Dunsbergen Sound System - Donavon De Penning Legacy Kitchen - Shirley Dunsbergen Van Committee - Kendall Jansen "The Well" Kitchen - Barb Jansen Women with Purpose – Joni Collins The Well Kitchen Rental Chairman – Lynn Dunsbergen Church Nursery - Hollie Nunnikhoven Fellowship – Kurt Harthoorn Food Committee - Bruce & Lynn Dunsbergen

1st & 3rd Sunday Custodian – Donavon De Penning

Kidz Movie Nite -Lynn Dunsbergen

Coffee Time Committee- Beryl & Velda Dunsbergen

Power Point Projection – Teryl Ver Ploeg

Audio/Visual – Josh Rozendaal

Hospital Equipment-Jeff Vander Molen

PREPARATION FOR COMMUNION

MINISTER: People of God, next Sunday we will be celebrating together, with the gracious help of God, the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

CONGREGATION: In order that we may celebrate the Lord's Supper and its significance in our lives, it is necessary that we examine our motives and attitudes as we come to this Supper.

MINISTER: First, let everyone consider their sins, asking yourself if you believe God's promise that all your sins are forgiven and that Christ's death and resurrection have enabled us to receive his grace. We are reminded that this gift has enabled us to demonstrate thankfulness to God and to live for him as we live in love and peace with our neighbor.

CONGREGATION: If we are of this attitude, God will welcome us in love and consider us worthy participants at the Table of our Lord Jesus Christ.

MINISTER: We also are reminded that the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ instruct those who are continuing in unrepented sin to keep themselves from the Lord's Table. This is not intended to distress those who have asked for forgiveness of their sins, but to remind the unrepentant of the nature of their sin and to direct them to forgiveness by our Savior Jesus Christ.

ALL: Let us celebrate God's loving kindness and anticipate joining together in one body under the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.



- ⇒ Your children can be picked up at 11:30 a.m. each Sunday.
- ⇒ An offering will be collected each Sunday. This is a great way to teach kids how to tithe.
- ⇒ All kids in Children in Worship downstairs will be led to opening exercises.

Beginner Department - 3 year old—Kindergarten

Lynn Dunsbergen & Cayla Wichhart Opening exercises east side of basement room #8 & 9

3 year olds – Room #9 (Little Lambs) - Hands on Bible—Teach as Jesus Taught

Teachers: Amy Harthoorn & Suzanne Rozendaal Marlene Rozendaal & Lisa Dunsbergen

4 year olds - Room #7 (Zacchaeus' Treehouse) Hands on Bible—Teach as Jesus Taught

Teachers: Annette Zimmerman & Kara Warrick, Monica Nikkel & Elaine Droppert

Pre – Kindergarten – Children in worship area – Room #10 (Builders) Scripture Press: We See God's Care; We Can Care for Others; We Can Show Thanks

Teachers: Cayla Wichhart, Steph Young, Ryanne Jansen & Cathryn Dunsbergen

Primary Department—1st—4th Grade

<u>Primary Department</u> – Dawn Schechinger & Monica Nikkel - Opening Exercises Rm. #6- West side-<u>Kid Connection:</u> Hands & Feet for Creation; Boredom; Is Your Camel Clean

1st Grade – Room # 4 (Lion's Den) Teachers: Carrie Mortvedt & Dawn Schechinger

2nd Grade – Room #3 (Commandment Center) Teachers: Joni Collins & Julie Van Wyk

3rd & 4th Grade- Room #1 (Creation Station) Teachers: Verlan Brand & Julie Van Manen

Middle School—5th—8th grade

ChyAnne & Dylann Huyser (The Lighthouse -opening exercises upstairs above wing)

5th & 6th Grade – The Lighthouse—Scripture Press: God Makes a World; Sin Enters the World; The Flood

& Tower Teachers: Nick De Penning, Mel Vos & Tim Vanden Hoek

7th & 8th Grade – The Lighthouse—Dive: What is Being a Christian All About; What's with All the Rules **Teachers:** Bob Scandridge

High School—9th—12th grade

9th & 10th Grade – The Well (west side of basement) Teacher: Kurt Harthoorn—Heidelberg Catechism 11th & 12th Grade – The Well (east side of basement) Teachers: Ryan Mortvedt - Bible In Life

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL OPPORTUNITIES

Adult Sunday school –meet in the Legacy Center "Daniel: Spiritual Living in a Secular World" Gary Van Genderen, Ervin Arkema, Jennifer Kramer & Chad Fikse

Sunday Evening Youth Groups

IMPACT Youth (6th—8th grade) - meet at 4:59 pm—Jeff Knouse, Denny & Donna Liekweg, Caden Dunsbergen & Hailey Scandridge

Faithwalkers—(9th-12th grade) - meet at 6:27 pm—Jeff & Alison Knouse, Brent & Sandy De Jong & Cale & Kendra Van Wyk

Wednesday Night Small Groups

6th—8th Grade—6:15 pm in the Well—Nick De Penning 9th – 12th Grade—6:45 pm in the Lighthouse—Gerald Droppert