

CONNECTION CARD

Today's date: _____
 Name _____
 Name/grade/age of children

 Address _____

 City _____
 State _____
 Zip _____
 Home phone _____
 Cell/work phone _____
 Email _____

Please check one: (optional)

Visitor _____
 Guest _____
 Member _____ (update information)
 College student _____

I would like to request:

_____ A welcome call or visit
 _____ An Elder call or visit
 _____ To contact the Pastor
 _____ Other
 _____ To be put on the church email list for prayer & announcements or text alerts
 _____ I desire to learn more about Jesus as my Lord & Savior.
 _____ I desire to be baptized or make Profession of Faith
 _____ Would like to know more about joining Sully 1st Reformed Church

MORNING SCHEDULES—September 22—29, 2019

September 22, 2019		September 29, 2019
Jessica W & Kaila H Ellie D & Brittney H	Nursery	Annette Z & Stephanie R Tatum H & Jager H
Parents: Don & Hollie Nunnikhoven Storyteller: Gerald Drop-pert Leader: Faye Brand	Children in Worship—west side of basement	Parents: David & Monica Nikkel Storyteller: Jeff Knouse Leader: Shelby Shinkle
Ross Van Wyk Teryl Ver Ploeg	Livestream Projection	Bryce Doane Teryl Ver Ploeg
Legacy N: Kurt & Arloa Harthoorn Legacy S: Nick & Amy Harthoorn	Greeters	Legacy N: Cole & Kayla Henkle Legacy S: Denise Horman
Dwayne Maasdam Jason Van Zante Coltin Collins	Ushers	Joel Van Wyk Doug Maasdam Cody Kesling

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MORNING WORSHIP

September 22, 2019 at 9:30 a.m.
 Jeff Knouse

Prelude..... *"Be Unto Your Name"* Praise Team
 Welcome
THE APPROACH TO GOD
 *Call to Worship
 *Hymns of Praise *"My Savior's Love"*
 *"The Name of the Lord/Blessed Be Your Name"*
 *Worship Prayer
 Children's Message Faye Brand
3 yr. olds thru 1st grade dismissed for Children & Worship Activities- on the east side of the basement (The Well)—pick up will be in the original Children in Worship area by the elevator
 Announcements/Congregational/Offertory Prayer
 Offertory *"Lord, I Need You"*
THE WORD OF GOD
 Scripture 1 Thessalonians 5:1-23(pg.966)
 Message **"The Kingdom of God: Now and Not Yet" Part 1**
 Jeff Knouse

THE RESPONSE TO GOD
 Closing Hymn *"Blessed Assurance"*
 *Benediction
 *Response *"Jesus Draw Me Close"*
POSTLUDE Praise Team
 *Indicates standing if able * CCLI License # 790003

There will be a time of **coffee and fellowship after the service this morning** in the Gathering Place fellowship hall. Sunday School for all ages!

EVENING WORSHIP at 6:00 pm in the Gathering Place—Pastor Tom VandeBerg

Scripture: Acts 24

Message: Acts: Paul the Witness

THIS WEEK AT FRC

Sunday September 22	9:30 am Morning Worship —Jeff Knouse 6:00 pm Evening Worship — Pastor Tom VandeBerg 5:00 pm IMPACT Youth group —6th—8th grade 6:30 pm Faithwalker Youth group —9th—12th
Monday September 23	
Tuesday September 24	
Wednesday September 25	5:45 am Promise Keepers 3:30 pm STARS Afterschool Program 5:30 pm Wednesday Night Meal (6th—12th grade)— Sloppy joes, baked beans, chips & scotcheroo. 6:15 pm Junior High Small Group (6th—8th grade) meet in the Well (basement) Nick De Penning—"Action Bible" 6:45 pm High School Small Group (9th—12th grade) meet in the Lighthouse. Gerald Droppert—"Say What?"
Thursday September 26	5:00 pm Central Iowa Classis Meeting at Central College, Pella, IA. Chuck Johnson, Teryl Ver Ploeg & Pastor Wayne will be attending.
Friday September 27	7:30 am Prayer Breakfast —all 9th—12th grade are invited for donuts and devotions before school!
Saturday September 28	
Sunday September 29	9:30 am Morning Worship —Pastor Wayne Sneller 2nd plate Quarterly Building Fund Offering. 5:00 pm HUNGER Walk 2019 5:00 pm IMPACT Youth group —6th—8th grade 6:30 pm Faithwalker Youth group —9th—12th

INFORMATION

- ◆ **Children's activity bags** are available in the Gathering Place
- ◆ The **AED Defibrillator** is located in the church office on the 2nd shelf on east wall
- ◆ 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. Please **contact Trisha Vander Molen and Kaila Harsseelaar at sulyfrcnursery@gmail.com** if you would be willing to help out with this ministry! Nursery alert pagers are available in the nursery at check-in!
- ◆ **Children in Worship Activities—3 year old—1st grade** are dismissed during the service and meets downstairs on east side of the old basement (The Well). **Pick up children after worship in the original Children in Worship area by the elevator.**

PRAYER REQUESTS

Pastor Wayne and Tammy will be on vacation September 16—23. If a need arises, please contact the church office or Dennis Dunsbergen.

Praise Reports & Thank You's Church Family

- **Conrad Van Maaren** remains in a skilled care facility at the VA Hospital in Des Moines due to an infection that he is receiving antibiotics for. He anticipates being home by Thursday!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WORLD WIDE COMMUNION OFFERING – This year the offering for World Wide Communion will be split three ways - 1/3 Talking Bibles, 1/3 STARS program and 1/3 Lynnville Sully School Lunch Program. The envelope for your offering is in your mailbox!

QUARTERLY BUILDING FUND OFFERING—We will take our Quarterly Building Fund Offering as a second plate offering next week Sunday, September 29 during the morning service.

Women's Fall Bible Study— "Unstuffed" by Ruth Soukup, led by Diana Scandridge—4 session Bible study based off of her book, "Unstuffed." We will also have 3 bonus sessions on practical decluttering and organizing that will focus on the home areas such as the kitchen, living spaces and closets and bedrooms. Watch trailer: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1bf93US-78s> **Watch for date start—sign up online or the church office if interested! We are looking at four Thursday evenings at 6:30 pm and 3 extra sessions on Saturday mornings.**

Upcoming events:

Sunday, October 6, 9:30 am—World Wide Communion

Sunday, October 13, 9:30 am—Rededication Service at LS High school with Pastor Bryan Van Soelen.

Sunday, October 20, 12:00 pm—Pastor Appreciation Luncheon—Pastor Wayne and Tammy have been here 10 years! We will be celebrating God's goodness with a meal of smoked pork sandwich, cheesy potatoes, green beans, salad and dessert. Bring the family! Everything is provided!

FAMILY NIGHT IS IN NEED OF HELP

Donations needed: Please drop off in the Legacy Kitchen

Hamburger	Boxes of Corn Flakes	Peanut butter
#10(large) cans of green beans		#10(large) cans of peaches
Large cans of Bush's Baked Beans		Butter
Mini Marshmallows		White corn syrup
Cream of chicken soup (lg. can)		Walmart or Fareway gift cards

Request:

_____ Request prayer for

(Please mark if you would like prayer on FRC email prayer chain/bulletin _____ or confidential _____)

_____ Information about the Youth programs

_____ 3 yr. - Kindergarten
_____ 1st – 4th grade
_____ 5th – 8th grade
_____ 9th – 12th grade
_____ Post High

_____ Information about Ministry opportunities at Sully 1st Reformed Church and where I might serve

_____ Children's Ministry
_____ Youth Ministries
_____ Musical/Vocalist
_____ Audio/Visual
_____ Projection/Livestream
_____ Usher or Greeter
_____ Care Team Ministry
_____ Other

Ask the Pastor - questions of Biblical, spiritual, doctrinal or church practice

Place in the offering plate or leave in basket at the Welcome Center



Way of Life in the Now

- Show care and appreciation for those who minister to you. vs. 12-13
- Warn those who have become lazy (fallen asleep). vs. 14
- Encourage the faint of heart. vs. 14
- Help and care for the weak and poor. vs. 14
- Pursue patience. vs. 14
- Fight against injustice. vs. 15
- Do good (to those in the church and outside the church.) vs. 15
- Choose joy. vs. 16
- Live in constant fellowship with God. vs. 17
- Be overly thankful. vs. 18
- Let the Holy Spirit be the Holy Spirit. vs 19
- Listen for a Word from the Lord. vs. 20
- Be wise and discerning. vs. 21
- Live with integrity. vs. 22

I commit to _____, this week, by God's grace and power.

(your signature)

(other signature)

WORSHIP IN THE GATHERING PLACE

*Use the **North and South doors** of the Gathering Place for worship.

***Progress continues** to be made in the sanctuary! Painting is complete! It's starting to look a lot different! So far everything is on schedule! The hearing loop is scheduled to be laid on Monday, September 29 and then carpet the following week!

*The **Church Library** has been relocated to the Welcome Center—located by the church nurseries.

***Coffee time** will be served out of the kitchen—as usual.

*The service is Live Streamed in the Legacy Center for anyone who would like to watch it in there.

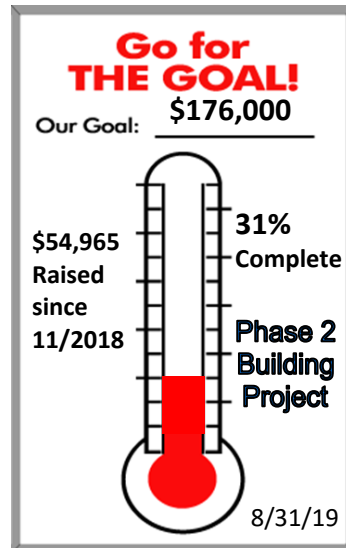
*Please keep kids away from the stage area and all the AV equipment in the back.

*Please contact church office for scheduling practice, etc for the Gathering Place.

*You can follow progress on our church Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/FirstReformedChurchSully/> or our church website at www.sullyfrc.org.

Prayer for Phase 2 Project:

Pray that we might be found joyful in this milestone and pass this to the next generation of FRC to be faithful to Christ.



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SUNDAY NIGHTS AT FRC

SEPTEMBER DATES

Faithwalkers 9th – 12th grade,
6:30 pm:
September 22 & 29—Community Series

IMPACT—6th—8th grade—5 pm in the Well
September 22 & 29



HUNGER Walk 2019:

Communities Reaching Out to People in Need!

DATE: Sunday, September 29 at 5:00 pm - In case of inclement weather this will be cancelled!

We will begin outside **under the carport (south side of church)**. Pastor Wayne will open with prayer and off you go. We will then meet in the Gathering Place for coffee time!

- **EVERYONE** is invited to join our **team of walkers! Or ride your bike and push your stroller!** We will walk/bike a mile within Sully and learn more about the impacts of hunger in our world today. A van will also be available for those who wish to ride instead of walk.
- **You can donate non-perishable food items** for the Jasper County Food Pantry – East Jasper Christian Food Pantry located in the Kellogg United Methodist Parsonage, Kellogg, IA. They are running low on most items!
- **Freewill offering** donated to CROP. 30% is going to the Kellogg Food Pantry and 70% will go to CROP!
- **A light coffee time** will be held in the Gathering Place after the walk. Join us for fellowship afterwards!

PURPOSE: to join the walk in the need to feed a hungry world in the witness of Jesus Christ!!



Sunday School Begins Today at 10:45 a.m.

*All those 3 years old—Kindergarten please go to room # 8 & 9 located on the southeast side of the basement.

*All those in 1st—4th grade go to room #6 on the southwest side of the basement.



Julie Van Manen,
Children's Ministry Director

Beginner Department - 3 year old—Kindergarten **Kara Warrick & Rebecca Rozendaal** *Opening exercises*

east side of basement room #8 & 9

We will begin here with singing and then walk with their teachers to their rooms. All classrooms are marked with the teachers name and names of students on the outside of each door.

3 year olds – Room #9 (Little Lambs) - Hands on Bible: Creation; Noah; Abraham & Sarah. Teachers: Amy Harthoorn & Suzanne Rozendaal Marlene Rozendaal & Lisa Dunsbergen

4 year olds – Room #7 (Zacchaeus' Treehouse) - Hands on Bible: Creation; Noah, Abraham & Sarah. Teachers: Annette Zimmerman & Shaleah Van Wyk, Monica Nikkel & Elaine Dropert

Primary Department—1st—4th Grade

Primary Department –Dawn Schechinger—Opening Exercises Rm. #6- West side—*We will begin singing here and then go to their individual classrooms.*

1st—4th: Kid Connection: Breaking News; Jesus Calling; Awesome Power

1st & 2nd Grade – Room # 4 (Lion's Den)

Teachers: Carrie Mortvedt & Dawn Schechinger

3rd Grade – Room #3 (Commandment Center)

Teachers: Joni Collins & Desiree Hardeman

4th Grade- Room #1 (Creation Station)

Teachers: Verlan Brand & Julie Van Manen

***All 5th—8th grade classes are held upstairs in the Lighthouse (area above the wing)**



Jeff Knouse,
Youth & Education Director

*All 9th—12th grade classes are held in The Well (northwest side of the basement)

Middle School—5th—8th grade
Nick De Penning—Superintendent
(The Lighthouse -opening exercises upstairs above wing)

5th & 6th Grade – The Lighthouse— Scripture Press: The United Kingdom; The Divided Kingdom

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

7th & 8th Grade – The Lighthouse— Dive: Who's Number 1?"
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 - Right Now Media

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL OPPORTUNITIES

Adult Sunday school –meet in the Legacy Center—All adults are invited to join!

New Testament Characters

INSTRUCTIONS

- ⇒ If you haven't attended a Sunday school class or you are new to FRC this year, you are invited to join a class!
 - ⇒ 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**