

First Reformed Church
July 20, 2025
9:30 AM

Prelude
Welcome
Announcements
Call to Worship
***Greetings**

***Song** PB #2 “This is the Day” 2x’s
***Song** “I Have the Joy in My Heart”

Congregational Prayer

Scripture: Philippians 2:1-2
Christ's Example of Humility

2 So if there is any encouragement in Christ, any comfort from love, any participation in the Spirit, any affection and sympathy, ² complete my joy by being of the same mind, having the same love, being in full accord and of one mind.

Message: “Dangerous Joy”

Prayer

***Song** #483 “There Is Joy in Serving Jesus” vs. 1,2,4

***Benediction**

***Postlude**



Welcome to the First Reformed Church, we are glad to have you worshipping with us. Please join us for coffee, cookies & juice in the Fellowship Hall following worship.

Calendar of the Day:

9:30 AM Pastor Cliff will lead us in worship.

Serving Today:

Pianist: Freida Vander Sluis

Sound: Bouwman family

Nursery: Brian & Kayla Van’t Hul

Coffee Servers: Gary & Donna Miller

Offering: Church Ministry Fund

Birthdays & Anniversaries:

July 21: Clara Bannick
Nikki Kelderman
Norm & Deb Kempema (47)

July 23: Marissa Van Kekerix

July 24: Eden De Jager

July 26: Ty Koldenhoven
Larry & Marcia Landegent (51)

July 27: Keith & Heather De Groot

Sunday, July 27:

Pastor Cliff will lead us in worship.

Pianist: Madelyn Vander Heul

Sound: Jerry K. & Kevin B.

Nursery: Seth & Julie Vande Kamp

Coffee: Laurie Baatz & Bud Vogelzang

Offering: Church Ministry Fund
Building Fund

NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENTS:

Whispering Heights: *Marilyn Van Holland, Clara Bannick, Joyce Van Berkum, Viola Van Driel, Bill Bouwman*. Pleasant Acres, Hull: *Ann Jansen, Duane Ver Mulm, Milt Swier*. Fellowship Village, Inwood: *Jeanette Van Beek*; RiverView Ridge: *Lucy Ymker, Judi Dorhout, Marv & Ella Hoogendoorn, Wayne & Judy Groeneweg, Wilma Schneider*.

CHURCH SUPPORTED MISSIONARIES:

Brian and Elizabeth Bruxvoort in AK; *Amy and Seung Kim* in Bangladesh; *Brian and Donna Renes* in Sioux Center; *Dr. Yohannes Bekele* in Ethiopia; *Josh & Alison Perkins* in United Arab Emirates.

Prayer & Praises:

Please pray for Shirleen Post. She has been dealing with diverticulitis over the past few months and underwent successful surgery yesterday to remove the affected area.

We ask for continued prayers for:

- Patience as she heals
- Pain management and comfort
- A smooth and restful recovery

Thank you for surrounding her with your love and prayers during this time.

Education Needs:

- 1 Preschool Teacher
- 2 TK/Kindergarten Teachers

Meals on Wheels July 28 – August 1st! Please take time to sign up today!

Reminder to get you **Heart & Sole donations** returned to the church by August 3. 3.

Please email or drop off **updated family photos!**

Sheri will be out of the office this week; Melinda Bouwman will be filling in. You can reach her at 470-0833.

Plan now to attend Bible League's "**Christmas in July**" at Sibley First Reformed Church on Monday, July 28 starting at 1:30 PM. Enjoy a silent auction, Bible League updates, and lots of fun/food/fellowship. You won't want to miss it! Consider donating an item for the silent auction to support the growing need for Bibles throughout the world.

Guiding Star Siouxland in partnership with Ver Hoef Automotive is hosting a FREE Family Fun Night 5-7 p.m. Monday, July 28, at Veterans Park Shelter House in Orange City. The whole family may enjoy a supper meal with us from Woudstra's Meat Market food truck, try out an inflatable obstacle course and do a craft.

Love INC Sioux County is seeking a part-time Church Ambassador.

Qualifications:

- A personal relationship with Jesus Christ and a heart for Christian service
- Strong interpersonal, communication and computer skills
- A motivated, self-starter that works independently and collaboratively within a team setting
- Comfortable giving presentations and praying in groups
- Willingness to work with various Christian church denominations

Please send your resume to: Love INC Sioux County, PO Box 85, Rock Valley, IA 51247. For more information, please contact Debbie at 476-5990.

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Morning Services are broadcast live.

<http://www.rvfrc.org/live-streaming/>

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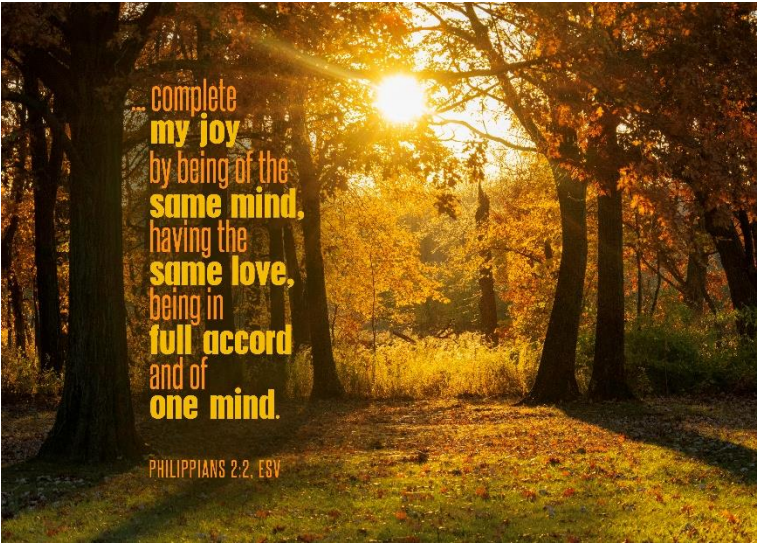
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Online offering: <https://www.rvfrc.org/give/>

Our **mission** is accepting God's love, growing in the Word and Spirit, serving others.

Accepting...Growing...Serving

Our **vision** is to follow Jesus daily as we love and serve all people.



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