

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

**Children In Worship Activities**—3 year old—Kindergarten are dismissed during the service and meets downstairs (stairs the Gathering Place by the elevator)

\*Cookies will be served in Children in Worship for 3 yrs.—Kindergarten

## SUNDAY SCHOOL MINISTRY

**God's Little Wonders** – 3 yr. – Kindergarten – east side of basement

**Faithseekers** – 1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade- west side of basement

**Youth With Heart** – 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade – upstairs - Lighthouse

**Souls United** – 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade – NE side of basement

**Adult Sunday School** – meets in the Legacy Center

\*All classes begin after the morning worship at 10:45 a.m.

## NURSERY INFORMATION

Please contact **Trisha Vander Molen or Kaila Harsseelaar** at **trishavk@hotmail.com or kswank15@outlook.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 west corner of the sanctuary.

## WAYS TO GIVE

**Offering Boxes** are at each of the door entrances

**Securely Give Online** at **www.sullyfrc.org**.

**ACH Contributions** – ACH Contributions are a convenient way to give directly from your checking account. Contributions are taken out the 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month. Stop into the church office to pick up a form.

By **mail**

**Sunday, April 24, 2022**  
**Morning Worship—9:30 a.m.**  
**Jeff Knouse**

Opening Song..... *"Shout to the North"* ..... Praise Team

Welcome

\*Call to Worship

### THE APPROACH TO GOD

\*Hymns of Praise ..... *"My Savior, My God"*  
..... *"I Will Call Upon the Lord"*

\*Worship Prayer

Children's Message ..... Julie Van Manen

**3 yr. olds thru Kindergarten dismissed for Children & Worship Activities- Legacy Addition basement!**

Announcements/Congregational Prayer

### THE WORD OF GOD

Scripture ..... Luke 24:13-33(pg.858)

Message..... *"A New Story: The Road to Emmaus"*  
Jeff Knouse

### THE RESPONSE TO GOD

\*Closing Hymn ..... *"Who You Say I Am"*

\*Benediction

\*Response ..... *"You Are My All In All"*

**POSTLUDE** ..... Praise Team

\***Children's activity bags** are available in the south coat rooms & wing.

\***Coffee time** will be served in the Gathering Place this morning!

\*The **AED Defibrillator** is located in the church office on the 2<sup>nd</sup> shelf on east wall

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*"A New Story:  
The Road to Emmaus"*

**"Wasn't it clearly predicted that the  
Messiah would have to suffer all these  
things before entering his glory?"**

**Luke 24:26**

**April 24, 2022**

WEEKLY SCHEDULES

**Sunday, April 24**  
9:30 am **Morning Worship**– Jeff Knouse  
10:45 am **Sunday School for ALL ages**  
6:00 pm **Impact & Faithwalkers Youth Group**—6th—12th grade—  
This is our LAST youth group of the year! Crud Wars on the Sully City Square!  
**Wednesday, April 27**  
5—7 pm **Rental** in the Gathering Place  
**Friday, April 29**  
7:30 am **Prayer Breakfast**—6th—12th grade  
**Saturday, April 30**  
12:00 pm **Ladies Spring Retreat** at Sully Community Church with speaker Lynne Hoeksema. **Contact Pam Van Dyke at 641-594-2740 to RSVP.**  
**Sunday, May 1**  
9:30 am **Morning Worship**– Prayer for Crops & Industry—Pastor Tom VandeBerg  
**Men’s Chorus** will be singing during the morning worship  
10:45 am **Sunday School for ALL ages**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**  
**Sunday, May 15, 9:30 am** Graduation Sunday—we will be honoring our senior graduates.  
**Sunday, May 15, 10:45 am**—Congregational Meeting to approve amended Articles of Incorporation and other business  
**Monday, May 16, 6:00 pm**—Lynnville Sully Baccalaureate with Pastor Jerry Morningstar speaking.  
**Wednesday, May 18, 6:00 pm**—Inspirations Preschool Graduation  
**Saturday, May 21, 7:00 pm**—Lynnville Sully High School Graduation  
**Sunday, May 22, 9:30 am**—Recognition of our teachers/volunteers during the morning worship. Last day of Sunday school!

Our **Lead Pastor and Children’s Director** employment opportunities are listed on our website and you may know just the person who needs to hear about this opportunity! More details, job description, and application process here: <http://sullyfrc.org/resources/employment-opportunities/>

PRAYER REQUESTS

**PRAISE**  
• We want to congratulate **Drew & Shelby Shinkle** in the birth of a healthy son, **Henry Lee**, born Monday, April 18. Everyone is doing great!  
**CHURCH FAMILY**  
• **Dennis Renaud** had his PRRT treatment last week at Mayo Clinic in Rochester, MN. We are thankful he was able to have it done despite still being very weak and fatigued. He has been doing decent since he had the treatment-Praise the Lord! Please continue to pray for healing and increased strength and energy.  
• **Ron McKeag** had an angiogram Monday, April 18 and had a stint put in. Everything went very well. He was able to return home Tuesday, April 19. Continued prayers as he recovers!  
**CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY**  
• We extend our Christian sympathy to the family of **Edith Van Wyk**, age 95 who passed away Monday, April 18. A graveside service was held Thursday, April 21 at the Sully Cemetery.



**BABY BLESSING BASKET:** There are two baby blessing baskets set out in the Gathering Place for our newest little ones: **Blake Gene Beyer**, son of **Nick & Kate Beyer**, born Saturday, April 2, 2022 and **Henry Lee Shinkle**, son of **Drew & Shelby Shinkle** born Monday, April 18, 2022.



Thank you for all of the cards, prayers & expressions of sympathy in the passing of our mother & grandmother **Nellie Van Wyk**. A special thank you to Pastor Tom for his comforting words at the service. It was all appreciated so much!

**The family of Nellie Van Wyk**

**Thank you** to everyone who helped out on Easter morning! What a beautiful sunrise service, a scrumptious breakfast was served followed by a great Easter worship service and coffee time! He is Alive!



**Mark your calendar for July 11—14!** Registration has begun for Monumental Vacation Bible School! Register online at: <http://sullyfrc.org/resources/monumental-vbs-volunteer-sign-up-2022/>

OFFERING

**Offering for April 17**.....\$5,907.00  
**Easter Offering** .....\$17,560.00

INFORMATION

You're invited to volunteer with Lake View Camp at Tulip Time! You get the opportunity to help raise money for camp scholarships through serving our guests at our food stand. Your options include: stand prep, food prep, taking orders at the window, handing out drinks, and/or making poertjes. If interested, visit [www.lakeviewconference.com](http://www.lakeviewconference.com) and click on the Tulip Time picture or email us to sign up.

**Lake View Camp registration** forms will be handed out in the Sunday school classes or can be picked up in the church office. Early bird registration due by **May 1**. Our church will pay ½ the registration cost of one event for all those who attend FRC regularly.  
**INSTRUCTIONS if you register online:** Since our church pays 1/2 of the registration fee, no payment is required at registration. When registering online you will enter: Paid By: Mail-in Check; Check#: TBD; Name on Check: Sully First Reformed Church After you register, print off your confirmation and give to the church office. At that time you will then pay half the cost to FRC, who will then send in the full payment. Registration forms are also located by the church office.

MORNING SCHEDULE

April 24	MORNING SCHEDULE	May 1
Ryanne J, Joni C Bristol H	<b>NURSERY</b>	Kayla D, Dawn S Corrina R
<b>Parents:</b> Nick & Amy H <b>Storyteller:</b> Gerald D <b>Leader:</b> Barb M	<b>CHILDREN IN WORSHIP</b>	<b>Parents:</b> Bryce & Katelyn D <b>Storyteller:</b> Gerald D <b>Leader:</b> Stephanie D
Shawn H Chad & Evan F	<b>PROJECTION LIVESTREAM</b>	Teryl VP Don & Hollie N
<b>Side:</b> Caden D Don N <b>Center:</b> Dan D <b>Wing:</b> Bruce D	<b>USHERS</b>	<b>Side:</b> Matt S Jeff VW <b>Center:</b> Gale H <b>Wing:</b> Cody K



**“A NEW STORY- The Road to Emmaus”**  
Luke 24:13-33

Jeff Knouse                                      9:30 a.m.                                      April 24, 2022

**THE STORY WE TELL OURSELVES- “But we had hoped...”**  
1) All of us have our own idea of \_\_\_\_\_ and how\_\_\_\_\_.  
    a) *“a prophet mighty in deed and word...”*  
2) We can gauge our faith by looking at where we turn to when our \_\_\_\_\_.  
    a) *“But we had hoped that he was the one to redeem Israel.”*

**THE STORY GOD TELLS- “Was it not necessary...”**  
1) Our story is part of a much \_\_\_\_\_.  
    a) *“O foolish ones, and slow of heart to believe all that the prophets have spoken.”*  
2) All of \_\_\_\_\_ points to \_\_\_\_\_.  
    a) *“he interpreted to them in all the Scriptures the things concerning himself.”*  
3) Our \_\_\_\_\_ is not in vain.  
    a) *“Was it not necessary that the Christ should suffer these things and enter into his glory.”*

**A NEW STORY- “And their eyes were opened...”**  
1) Through the death and resurrection of Jesus, God is \_\_\_\_\_.  
    a) *“and that repentance for the forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations.” Luke 24:47*  
2) If the resurrection is real, then the story of Jesus is \_\_\_\_\_. Which means all of us need to walk with Jesus on our own Road to Emmaus, letting \_\_\_\_\_ mold us rather than our own.  
    a) *“And their eyes were opened... Did not our hearts burn within us?”*

**What story will \_\_\_\_\_?**

**Consistory Notes**  
**April 20, 2022**

The consistory meeting opened with prayer and devotions. The **elders shared** the following:

- Dylan & Jodie Roozeboom’s profession of faith in Jesus Christ was made. They will be publically be received as members at the May 8 worship service.
- Dylan & Jodie Roozeboom requested baptism for their daughter, Reagan Beth Roozeboom. Baptism will be May 8, 2022.
- The elders reviewed the congregational needs and church family prayer needs. Our shut-ins and nursing home residents were also lifted up in prayer.
- Prayer for Crops and Industry will be during the morning worship service on May 1, 2022.
- Graduation Sunday with the Rock Ceremony will be held during the morning worship service on May 15, 2022.

**The deacons reported:**

- **March giving:** General: \$35,326.07; Mission: \$2,113.88; Sunday School: \$4.00; Building: \$4,111.74; Kaldenberg interest: \$94.65
- Deacons did not meet in regular session as they had met on April 9 to have a work day.

**Reports from committees:**

- Carl Boersma, Classis Leader and Steve Landhuis, Classis representative were in attendance to ask the consistory one of three questions about our church. Each consistory member gave an answer. After discussion, Carl closed with prayer.
- Pastor Tom gave an update on the Children’s Ministry Director position.
- Jerry Vander Beek gave an update on the Pastoral Search Committee.
- The consistory approved the new By-Laws of the First Reformed Church of Sully and discussion was held on the new Articles of Incorporation.
- An update was given from the Next Step Transition Team on the blue survey sheets filled out by the congregation.

- After discussion, it was moved and supported First Reformed Church of Sully to join the Alliance Of Reformed Churches (ARC) upon leaving the RCA. This was a unanimous decision by the consistory.
- The congregation will vote on leaving the RCA and a second vote on joining the Alliance of Reformed Churches will be held on May 15, 2022 at the congregational meeting after the morning worship service.

God is good!

For the consistory,

Pastor Tom

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## CONSISTORY

Interim Pastor, Pastor Tom VandeBerg

### ELDERS

Craig Maasdam (22)

Scott Van Kooten (22)

Kevin Van Manen (22)

Gary Van Genderen (23)

Jerry Vander Beek (23)

Loren Vos (23)

Ervin Arkema (24)

Brent De Jong (24)

Joel Jansen (24)

### DEACONS

Blake Dunsbergen (22)

Brad Rozendaal (22)

Logan Vos (22)

Coltin Collins (23)

Nick De Penning (23)

Tim Dunsbergen (23)

Tyler Harsseelaar (24)

Nick Harthoorn (24)

Josh Rozendaal (24)

## OFFICERS OF CONSISTORY

**Vice President – Gary Van Genderen (23)**

**Clerk – Scott Van Kooten (22)**

**Deacon Chairman – Tim Dunsbergen (23)**

**Deacon Secretary – Nick De Penning (23)**

**General Fund Treasurer – Blake Dunsbergen (22)**

**Ass't General Fund Treasurer – Nick Harthoorn (24)**

**Mission Fund Treasurer – Brad Rozendaal (22)**

**Ass't Mission Fund Treasurer– Coltin Collins (23)**

## Committee Contacts

**Buildings & Grounds** – Logan Vos

**Calendar Activities** – church office

**Music Committee** – Jerry Vander Beek

**Hospital Equipment**–Ron Dunsbergen, Darrel Jansen &  
Ron McKeag

**Pulpit Supply** – Gary Van Genderen

**Women with Purpose** – Desiree Hardeman

**Service Committee** – Velma Rozendaal

**Legacy Kitchen** – Shirley Dunsbergen

**The Well Kitchen** – Barb Jansen

**The Well Kitchen Rental** – Lynn Dunsbergen

**Power Point Projection** – Teryl Ver Ploeg

**Audio/Visual** – Josh Rozendaal

**Sound System** – Blake Dunsbergen

**Coffee Time Committee**– Kevin & Julie Van Wyk

**Van Committee** – Craig Maasdam



## Sunday School — 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—5th grade go to room

#6 on the southwest side of the basement.

### God's Little Wonders - 3 year old—Kindergarten

Rebecca Rozendaal & Cathryn Dunsbergen Opening exercises east side of basement rooms #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:**

**Teachers:** Amy Harthoorn & Hollie Nunnikhoven, Skyler Young & Lisa Dunsbergen

**4 year olds – Room #7 (Zacchaeus' Treehouse) - Hands on Bible**

**Teachers:** Liz Harthoorn, Kayla Henkle, Shaleah James & Elaine Droppert

**Kindergarten –Children in worship area – Room #10 (Builders) - Imagine**

**Teachers:** Monica Nikkel & Lysandra Newell

### All kids in Children in Worship downstairs will be led to opening exercises.

\*\*3 yrs.—Kindergarten will have cookies during Children in Worship—1st—5th will be served cookies before opening exercises.

### Faith Seekers—1st—5th Grade (west side of basement)

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

**1st Grade—Room #4—(Lion's Den) - Imagine**

**Teachers:** Emily Larson & Carrie Mortvedt

**2nd & 3rd Grade – Room # 3 (Commandment Center) - Wonder**

**Teachers:** Joni Collins & Hannah De Penning

**4th Grade- Room #1 (Creation Station) - Marvel**

**Teachers:** Katelyn Beyer & Julie Van Manen

**5th Grade—Room # 11 (Trailblazers) Children in worship area—Marvel**

**Teacher:** Eloise Vos



Jeff Knouse,  
Youth & Education Director

## Middle School— Youth With Heart 6th—8th grade

**Nick De Penning—Superintendent**

(The Lighthouse -opening exercises upstairs above wing)

**6th—8th Grade – The Lighthouse— Dive—Year 1**

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

## High School— Souls Ignited 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)**

**Teacher:** Ryan Mortvedt - Right Now Media

\*All 6th—8th grade classes are held upstairs in the Lighthouse (area above the wing)

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

## ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL OPPORTUNITIES

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

Bible Study—Apostle's Creed

## INSTRUCTIONS

- **NOTE: The 5th grade will now be meeting downstairs!**
- 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.

## YOUTH GROUP INFORMATION

5:00 pm **IMPACT Youth Group** meets in the Well (basement) open for all 6th—8th grade!

6:30 pm **Faithwalkers Youth Group** meets in the Well (basement) open for all 9th—12th grade

**EVERY Friday morning at 7:30 am for 6th—12th grade—Prayer Breakfast—**  
Donuts and milk before school—meet in the Gathering Place

