

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—August 25—September 1, 2019

August 25, 2019		September 1, 2019
Monica N & Trisha VM Elana N & Corrina R	Nursery	Dorothy VG & Jennifer K Krystal VD & Shaleah VW
Parents: Ryan & Carrie Mortvedt Storyteller: Jeff Knouse Leader: Barb Maasdam	Children in Worship—west side of basement	SPECIAL HOLIDAY LESSON
Bryce Doane Justin Deal	Livestream Projection	Chad Fikse Shawn Huyser
Legacy N: Chad & Lynnette Fikse Legacy S: David & Lisa Foster	Greeters	Legacy N: Ken & Verna Hackert Legacy S: Chris & Jodi Hansen
Dwayne Maasdam Jason Van Zante Derrick Zimmerman	Ushers	Joel Van Wyk Doug Maasdam Ethan Wyma

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 Mini Marshmallows White corn syrup
 Cream of chicken soup (lg. can) Walmart or Fareway gift cards

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MORNING WORSHIP

August 25, 2019
 9:30 a.m.
 Pastor Wayne Sneller

Prelude *"Still"* Praise Team
 Welcome
THE APPROACH TO GOD
 *Call to Worship
 *Hymns of Praise *"Step By Step"*
 *"Hear Our Praises"*
 *Worship Prayer
 Children's Message Jeff Knouse
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 *"Mighty To Save"*
THE WORD OF GOD
 Scripture Psalm 23:1(pg.450); Matthew 6:25-34(pg.784)
 Message **"Letting God Meet My Needs"**
 Pastor Wayne Sneller

THE RESPONSE TO GOD
 Closing Hymn *"My Life Is In You Lord"*
 *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.

Evening Worship in the Gathering Place tonight at 6:00 p.m. with Pastor Tom Vande Berg

Scripture: Acts 21

Message: *"Acts: Ready"*

THIS WEEK AT FRC

Sunday August 25	9:30 am Morning Worship —Pastor Wayne Sneller 10:45 am Christian Education Committee Mtg in Legacy Center 6:00 pm Evening Worship — Pastor Tom VandeBerg
Monday August 26	
Tuesday August 27	
Wednesday August 28	5:45 am Promise Keepers
Thursday August 29	7:00 pm Conrad Van Maaren and his sons Paul and Joel would like to share their experience while visiting Vietnam this past year in the Gathering Place. They will present a power point slide show of their travels! All are welcome!
Friday August 30	7:30 am Prayer Breakfast —all 9th—12th grade are invited for donuts and devotions before school!
Saturday August 31	
Sunday September 1	9:30 am Morning Worship —Pastor Wayne Sneller 6:00 pm Evening Worship — Pastor Tom VandeBerg

Putting Down Roots:

Jeff & Alison Knouse have bought a home in Sully. Their new address is 106 9th Ave, PO Box 158, Sully, IA.

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 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!
- ◆ **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

Praise Reports & Thank You’s

- “Thank You” to all who sent lovely, meaningful Birthday Cards, came to visit or did other things to make my Birthday so enjoyable. I praise God for the many blessings He keeps showering on me. God bless you all.

Wilma Rozendaal

Pray for our students, teachers, administration & bus drivers as they all begin another school year!

Extended Church Family

- **Becca Imhoff** (Hollie Nunnikhoven’s sister) will be at Mayo Hospital awaiting a new heart for 2 years on August 30.
- Update on **Gabrial Tanzer** (3 year old grandson of Bill & Norma Rozendaal) is in remission from his leukemia. He will need treatments for the next 3 years.

Christian Sympathy

- We extend our Christian sympathy to the family of **Wilda Nikkel**, age 91 who passed away Wednesday, August 21. Her sisters are **Donna & Duane Brand and Iva & Marvin Baarda**. Visitation will be from 2—4 pm on Sunday, August 25 at Wallace Family Funeral Home, Newton and funeral services will be held at 10:30 am on Monday, August 26 at Wallace Family Funeral Home with Pastor Wayne presiding. Lunch will be held after the burial around noon in the Gathering Place at FRC.



BABY BLESSING BASKET: Two baby blessing baskets are set out in the Gathering Place for our newest little ones, **Mae Cora**, daughter of **Dan & Morgan (De Jong) Jameson** and **Brooks McClain**, son of **Cole & Kayla Henkle**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LABOR DAY OFFERING: This offering envelope is in your church mailbox. This will be taken on **Sunday, September 1** during the morning worship. Our offering will be given 1/2 Mission Fund, 1/4 Words of Hope and 1/4 Gideons International.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

The **STARS After school program** would not be possible without the time and talents of many dedicated volunteers. Thank you to all who have served and continue to serve in this ministry. **Please prayerfully consider serving in one of the following positions for the coming year:**

Crew Leaders - Greet, sit, and eat an after school snack at a table with a crew (small group of children) and stay with the group the entire time, leading their crew to the different stations and assisting with the activities. No weekly preparation is needed (except for prayer and extra rest!). They will also take responsibility for the discipline of their crews.

Substitutes are needed as well!

Please note you may share either of these positions with someone if you are unable to commit for the entire year! THANKS!!

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

WORSHIP IN THE GATHERING PLACE



***UP FOR BIDS:** We have 12 metal light fixtures from the wing that are up for bids. These will go to the highest bidder. Please contact one of the deacons if interested or if you have any questions!

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

***Progress continues** to be made in the sanctuary! The electrical installation has been gone over the inspector and every-

thing is great! Drywall and sheet rocking will begin now!

*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.

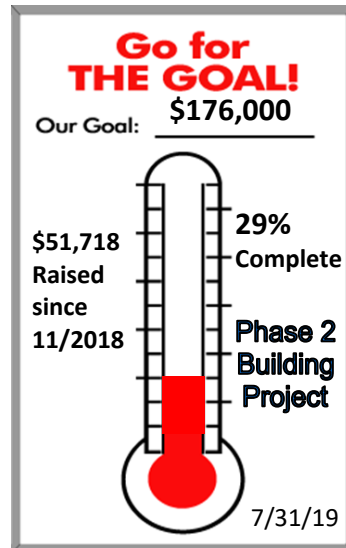
*Please keep kids away from the stage area and all the AV equipment in the back.

*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 for all those that will minister, teach, feed, worship and work in so many capacities in the name of Christ in often displaced settings.



“Letting God Meet My Needs”

Psalm 23:1; Matthew 6:25-34

Pastor Wayne Sneller

9:30 a.m.

August 25, 2019

Three facts about the goodness of God.

1. **God is the _____ of everything I need and need to live.** *“The Lord is my shepherd; I have all that I need.”* Psalm 23:1

- A shepherd _____, _____ and _____ needs.

2. **There is _____ I need that God can’t supply.** *“God will supply all you’ll ever need from his glorious resources in Christ Jesus.”* Philippians 4:19

- God’s goodness is not based on _____ goodness. It’s based on _____ goodness! It has what Jesus did on the cross.

3. **God doesn’t want me to worry about _____.**

- _____ for tomorrow is time well spent; worrying about tomorrow is time _____. *“So don’t worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will bring its own worries.”* Matthew 6:34

Four reasons God says you should never worry about anything: *“I have all that I need!”* Psalm 1:1b

1. **Worry is _____! It doesn’t make _____.**

2. **Worry is _____! God _____ for you as a Father.** *“Look at the birds...”* *“Look at the lilies of the field...”* Matthew 6:26, 34.

3. **Worry is _____.**

- It’s _____ without _____! *“Who of you by worrying can add a single hour to his life?”* Matthew 6:27

4. **Worry is _____.**

- Worry is _____ God. *“These things dominate the thoughts of unbelievers.”* Matthew 6:32

How do I trust Jesus to meet my needs?

1. **Every day, _____ him to be my shepherd.** *“I am the good shepherd, I know my sheep, and they know me....”* John 10:14

2. **_____ Jesus the first place in every area of my life!**

- Anytime we worry it’s a _____ light that that particular area of your life you haven’t given him first place! *“Your heavenly Father already knows what you need...!”* Matthew 6:32-34

3. **_____ and trust Him for one day at a time!**

- When you worry about tomorrow, you will miss all the _____ of today!
- You cannot solve tomorrow’s _____ with today’s _____. *“Let tomorrow have its own worries. Each day has enough trouble of its own.”* Matthew 6:34

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What God gives to me, he wants to give through me! Everything God gives you, he wants you to _____ the power of care with others! The Lord is my shepherd!

Consistory Notes – August 21, 2019

Our meeting opened with prayer and devotions led by Pastor Wayne.

The elders shared the following:

- Shaleah Van Wyk made profession of her faith in Jesus Christ and was received as a communicant member. She will be publically received as a member on September 8.
- Angela Corell made profession of her faith in Jesus Christ and was received as a communicant member.
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- The baptism request for Cale James Harsseelaar, son of Tyler and Kaila Harsseelaar was approved. Baptism is planned for September 15.
- The baptism request for Carter Andrew Shinkle was approved. Carter's parents are Drew & Shelby Shinkle. Baptism is planned for September 15.
- The baptism request for Dorothy Anna Corell, daughter of Mitch and Angela Corell was approved. Baptism is planned for September 29.
- Bryan De Jong was appointed to fill the elder position on the evening pulpit supply committee.
- It was approved going forward to not have the evening service on the first Sunday evening following Thanksgiving due to the difficulty in getting evening ministers and low congregational attendance.
- Elder delegates to fall Classis on September 26 at Central College will be Chuck Johnson and Teryl Ver Ploeg.
- Pastor Bryan Van Soelen will be the Rededication speaker on October 13 with the CRC church. We will be having our evening service together at the CRC church October 13 at 6:00 p.m.
- Nomination ballots for elder and deacon will be placed in the September 1, 8 and 15 church bulletin. The last date they can be returned to the church office is September 15.

The deacons shared:

- General Fund balance - \$48,651.52; Mission - \$20,407.89.
- A roof leak will be fixed on the east wing beginning the week of August 26. Bruce Dunsbergen Builders received the bid at \$12,000. The brick chimney will be removed. Old shingles will be torn off and a new asphalt shingle laid down. This repair was unexpected but needed to be addressed as it affects the new construction in the sanctuary as future water damage would be the result if not addressed.
- It was approved to donate the wing projector and screen from the

church wing to Craig Maasdam.

- It was decided to designate the Worldwide Communion offering (October 6) to 1/3 Talking Bibles, 1/3 STARS Afterschool Program, 1/3 to the LS School Assistance Lunch Program.

Full Consistory:

- Care teams and needs of our congregation were shared and reviewed.
- A blown out culvert at the southeast corner of the church grounds was repaired by the city.
- Teachers and volunteers were approved for the 2019-2020 education year.
- Jeff Knouse shared with the consistory his desire to expand his educational development by enrolling in the commissioned pastor's program. Rev. Carl Boersma, Classis Pastor, will attend our September 11 consistory meeting to explain the program and answer questions. It was shared that Jeff and Alison have purchased a home in Sully. It is directly north of the church.
- It was shared that our church will be hosting Central Iowa Winter Classis meeting in 2020.

Phase 2 Report:

- The framers are nearly done with their work. The electrician needs about another week. They hope to be putting up sheet rock by the end of next week. We paid the general contractor \$127,424.41 today. We sent a \$10,000 deposit last week for the hearing loop. The committee is meeting tonight (Tuesday) to select the chairs. I think we are actually a little ahead of schedule at this time. Seems to be a great group working, no complaints about them.

God is good!

For the consistory,

Pastor Wayne

SULLY FIRST REFORMED CHURCH FALL
Family Night Kickoff!
Wednesday, Sept. 4
GAME TIME 5-7:30 PM **RAIN DATE SEPT. 11**

Join us for **FREE** food and fun to kick off our fall family programs. *Invite your friends and neighbors!*
 The family fun night will include:

- Inflatables
- Barrel Train
- Cake & Cookie
- Football Throw
- Lots of Food
- Walk

FREE! Adults: Enter to win \$50 of grocery money!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for Family Night Kickoff

Help with the following areas:
2 more for 6:15—7:30 pm time slots
 Root beer floats
 Cookie/Cupcake Walk
 Football Throw
 Barrel Train
 Temporary Tattoos

Cupcakes or Cookies
 6 more dozen needed

SIGN UP! **SIGN UP!**

STARS AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM
Kindergarten - 5th grade

SEPTEMBER 4, 2019
FIRST REFORMED CHURCH, SULLY, IA
3:30 - 5:30 PM

You can sign up online at www.sullyfrc.org

NO COST! **NO COST!**

KICK OFF SUNDAY

BEGINNER DEPARTMENT 3 YR - K	Little Lambs Zacchaeus' Treehouse Builders Trailblazers Contact: Julie Van Manen julievfrcsully@gmail.com	HIGH SCHOOL 9TH - 12TH	The Well Contact: Jeff Knouse jkfrcsully@gmail.com
PRIMARY DEPARTMENT 1ST - 4TH	Lion's Den Commandment Center Creation Station Contact: Julie Van Manen julievfrcsully@gmail.com	ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL ALL ADULTS	Legacy Center Contact: Gary Van Genderen gdvangeren@netins.net
MIDDLE SCHOOL 5TH - 8TH	The Lighthouse Contact: Jeff Knouse jkfrcsully@gmail.com	Sunday, September 8 10:45 am	

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STARS After School Program

The children are walked by adult volunteers from Lynnville-Sully Schools to the church. And those attending Sully Christian will be bussed over. **Four Family Meals** where children share what they have learned: October 9, November 20, February 5, and March 11.

Register online at www.sullyfrc.org or contact Julie Van Manen at 641-594-2935 ext. #5 or julievfrcsully@gmail.com to register your child(ren) for the upcoming year.

PLEASE NOTE: All those who have PREVIOUSLY attended, a new registration form is required. Please register by Wednesday, August 28 (although late registrations will be accepted)

BEGINS FRIDAY, AUGUST 30

PRAYER BREAKFAST

9TH -12TH GRADE
EVERY FRIDAY MORNING AT 7:30 AM

MEET IN THE GATHERING PLACE AT FIRST REFORMED CHURCH WITH JEFF KNOUSE