

NURSERY INFORMATION

Please contact Trisha Vander Molen or Kaila Harssalaar 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!**

- ⇒ **Children's activity bags** are available in the back coat rooms and in the wing.
- ⇒ 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.
- ⇒ **Children in Worship Activities—3 year old—Kindergarten** are dismissed during the service and meets downstairs (stairway in the Gathering Place by the elevator)



- ⇒ The **AED Defibrillator** is located in the church office on the **2nd** shelf on east wall

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Sunday, February 28, 2021

2nd Sunday of Lent

Morning Worship—9:30 a.m.

Pastor Wayne Sneller

Prelude..... *"Living Hope"*Praise Team

Welcome

THE APPROACH TO GOD

*Call to Worship

Hymns of Praise"O Praise the Name"*
.....*"How Great Is Our God"*

*Worship Prayer

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

Announcements/Congregational Prayer

THE WORD OF GOD

ScriptureRomans 8:1-2(pg.917)
.....Ephesians 2:12-13(pg.953)

Message..... **"Unshakable Hope: Restoring the Spirit of Hope" -Part 3**Pastor Wayne Sneller

THE RESPONSE TO GOD

Closing Hymn"Be Thou My Vision"*

*Benediction

Response"Doxology"*

POSTLUDEPraise Team

*Indicates standing if able CCLI License # 790003

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

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

*Cookies will be served in Sunday School Opening exercises for 1st—5th grade.

*The back 4 rows of chairs on both sides of the sanctuary will be reserved for parents with young children.

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



"UNSHAKABLE HOPE:

RESTORING THE SPIRIT OF HOPE"

PART 3

"So now there is no condemnation for those who belong to Christ Jesus"

Romans 8:1

WEEKLY SCHEDULES

Sunday, February 28

9:30 am **Morning Worship**—Pastor Wayne Sneller
 10:45 am **Sunday School** for all ages!
 12:30 pm **Shower** in the Gathering Place
 5:00 pm **Impact Youth (6th– 8th)**
 6:30 pm **Faithwalker's (9th –12th)**

Tuesday, March 2

1—4 pm **Sewing Days** in the Gathering Place

Wednesday, March 3

5:30—6:30 pm **To Go Meals** for youth to eat at church and orders to go! **Meal:** spaghetti casserole, strawberry pretzel salad & breadstick
 6:15 pm 6th—8th Bible Study in the Well
 6:45 pm 9th –12th Bible Study in the Lighthouse

Friday, March 5

7:30 am **Prayer Breakfast** in the Gathering Place

Sunday, March 7

9:30 am **Morning Worship**—Jeff Knouse
 10:45 am **Sunday School** for all ages!
 5:00 pm **Impact Youth (6th– 8th)**
 6:30 pm **Faithwalker's (9th –12th)**

PRAYER REQUESTS

CHURCH FAMILY CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY

- We extend our Christian sympathy to the family of **Howard Huyser**, age 90, who passed away Saturday, February 20. Funeral services were held here at FRC on Tuesday, February 23.



Thank you for all the congratulations, food, gifts and prayers for the birth of our son Carson. We are so thankful to have such a supportive church family!

Jeremy & Trisha Vander Molen and family

The Lions Club wishes to say thank you for allowing us to use your facility for a couple months. Using the Well for our club meetings in January and February was very much appreciated. Hopefully we are able to leave it as we found it. Then using the Gathering Place for the Lions sponsored blood drive last Tuesday worked out great. The Life Serve people were pleased with the facility as it allowed them to move in easily and had a lot of space to spread out things for social distancing. A special thank you to Rod Zuidema for his assistance in setting up the room for us. Thank you from all of us for your kind generosity in allowing us to use these two spaces.

Marv Goodyk, Sully Lions President

Thank you so much for the Valentine's box, so many goodies inside :) We are truly blessed!
Makayla Rozendaal and Brevin Hansen

The college gift from the church was so thoughtful! Thank you so much!
Kayla Van Dyke

Thank you so much for the Valentines Box. It was full of great things and I really enjoyed the chocolate bomb during the cold, cold winter days! In times of school, it broke up my day when it arrived and put a smile on my face. Thanks again,
Shaleah Van Wyk

Thank you so much to everyone that blessed us after the birth of Gloria. We appreciate the meals, as it was so nice to not have to cook. We also appreciate everything given to us in the blessing basket! That was so thoughtful of you all and everything will be put to good use! Gloria is so loved and we're glad to be blessed with an awesome church family! Thanks and blessings to you all!

Andy & Jamie Dunsbergen and family

OFFERING

OFFERING for the week of February 21.....\$6,671.75

*You can pick up your 2020 Faith and Finance Report is in your church mailbox!

SUNDAY SCHOOL INFORMATION:



This year, Pathways of Pella is taking part in the **Baby Bottle Fundraiser**. Special baby bottles will be available to take home with you **starting February 21**. You can place change or any type of donation in the bottle and then return the bottle to your Sunday school rooms.. The Campaign will be done March 28th and all bottles should be returned for pick up. If you have any questions at all, please contact Jacie Kramer (641-521-8661 or jaciekramer@yahoo.com).



We are planning a **soup can and cracker collection for East Jasper Christian Food Pantry in Kellogg!** If you have cans of soup and crackers to donate, please **place them in the box in the Gathering Place by TODAY!**

On **Thursday, February 25, 10 elders and deacons met for the Central Iowa Classis Meeting** via zoom in the Legacy Center. Much of the meeting centered around the options of withdrawing from the RCA by petition (which is an action item) or a letter of intent (that signals we are looking into withdrawing). A Town Hall meeting will be held for consistories on March 11 at Otley to further discuss these options and where we exit (Alliance of Reformed Churches). Those attending were Pastor Wayne, Teryl Ver Ploeg, Craig Maasdam as elder delegates. Guests attending were: Bryan De Jong, Jerry Vander Beek, Scott Van Kooten, Gary Van Genderen, Kevin Van Manen, Nick De Penning & Matt Schechinger.



MORNING SCHEDULE

February 28		March 7
Lorie VS, Hollie N Krystal VD Parent: Andy & Jamie D Storyteller: Barb J Leader: Lorna C	NURSERY	Shaleah VW, Kaila H Ellie D Parent: Bryce & Katelyn D Storyteller: Gerald D Leader: Lorna C
Shawn H Nick DP	PROJECTION LIVESTREAM	Teryl VP Josh R
Side: Ken VS Kurt H Center: Cody K Wing: Mitch C	USHERS	Side: Don N Brandon D Center: Ryan M Wing: John K
Corey VDW & Gerry VD	VALET	Brent DJ & Darrel J

“Unshakable Hope: Restoring the Spirit of Hope” Part 3

Romans 8:1-2; Ephesians 2:12-13

Pastor Wayne Sneller

9:30 a.m.

February 28, 2021

“In the past you were without Christ...and you had no part in the promises that God made to his people. You had no hope...but how you are in Christ Jesus.” Ephesians 2:12-13 (NCV)

In Christ – I can always be hopeful. Why?

1. Because his pardon erases my _____.

- Conviction comes from _____ and condemnation from _____!

“There is no condemnation awaiting those who belong to Christ Jesus.” Romans 8:1-2

- The purpose of conviction is to _____ some things that are wrong in your life.
- The purpose of condemnation is to drag you _____ and feel ashamed.

2. Because His power breaks my bad habits and _____ my problems.

- God’s motivation for convicting you is that he _____ you and to help you mature. Satan’s motivation for condemning is that he _____ you and wants to make you _____. *“... (God) I have good plans for you, not plans to hurt you. I will give you hope and a future.”* Jeremiah 29:11 (NCV)

- In Christ I can always be hopeful because:

- His pardon _____ my guilt
- His power _____ my sinful habits
- His purpose _____ my problems

3. When God speaks to you about an area of your life that needs changing, the conviction is very _____.

- When Satan condemns you, he will leave you with a sense of _____. *“And because you belong to him (Jesus Christ) the power of the life giving Spirit has freed you from the power of sin that leads to death.”* Romans 8:2

4. Because His promise _____ (gives us hope) my future.

- *“He is able to keep you from falling away, not _____.”* Jude 24
- *“I have hope when I think of this; the Lord’s love never ends, his mercies never stop.”* Lamentations 3:22

When you’ve got a hope you will want to _____ it. Here is Jesus Christ’s offer. He offers you a life with no condemnation! This is an offer you cannot _____! What have I got to lose? _____! Amen.



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

Jeff Knouse,
Youth & Education Director

*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 9th—12th grade—Prayer

Breakfast—Donuts and milk before school—meet in the Gathering Place



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.



Julie Van Manen,
Children’s Ministry
Director

Teachers: Monica Nikkel & Lysandra Newell

God’s Little Wonders - 3 year old—Kindergarten

Kara Warrick & Rebecca Rozendaal *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, Julie Van Wyk & Lisa Dunsbergen

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

Teachers: Annette Zimmerman, Shaleah Van Wyk & Elaine Droppert

Kindergarten –Children in worship area – Room #10

(Builders) - Imagine

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 & Desiree Hardeman

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

Teachers: Verlan Brand & Julie Van Manen

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

Teacher: Eloise Vos