

## Opportunities to Serve

	Today – January 27	Next Sunday – February 3
<b>Coffee/Juice Servers</b>	Harlan & Maria Muilenburg Steve Mouw Curt & LeeAnn Moerman	Randy & Marsha Meyer Barb Mantel Carl & Ellen Klompian
<b>Greeters</b>	David & Michelle van Beek Ron & Kathy De Groot Joe & Shar Van Schouwen Charles & Marlene Veenstra John & Janna Wesselius	Fernando & Tanya Alvarez Jay & Marlene Broek Sherm & Goldene Wissink Lew & Jean Arkema Alex & Kailee Davelaar
<b>PM</b>		
<b>Upstairs</b>		
<b>Roving Greet</b>	Lynn & Kathy Bleeker	Phil & Liz Van Maanen
<b>Sound</b>	Trent Geleynse	Nick Vander Kooi
<b>Video</b>	Tim Klein	Brian Vander Berg
<b>Power Point</b>	Wayne Klein	Carl Fictorie
<b>Broadcast</b>	Wes Kroeze	Rich Haan
<b>Children &amp; Worship</b>	Teacher: Krista Sikkema Helpers: Sarah T / Steph R	Teacher: Kir Cosgrove Helpers: Sarah T / Steph R
<b>Nursery</b>	A.M.      Infant      P.M. Sheila D   Traci E      Eileen B Karen T   Naomi L      Lorie DS Edwin B                  Adalade O Annabelle K              Christian L	A.M.      Infant      P.M. Cathy F    Megan F    Sheila DS Whitney J   Kathy F    Rikki H Avery F    Kirsten B    Kellan M Parker VR   Morgan F   Rowan H
<b>Bus Driver / Asst</b>	Dean Reichert / Denny De Kruyf	Wes Kroeze / Derick Roos
<b>Valet Parking</b>	Carl Fictorie Ben Fictorie	Jon Buiters Edwin Buiters
<b>Ushers</b>	Nelvin Brons, Brian & Sheila Davelaar, Rich Koele	Allen Hooyer, Cliff Soodsma, Cheney Vander Berg, Garret Visser
<b>Wednesday Night Meals</b>	<b>January 30</b> <i>Serving:</i> Bonnie DS, Amy VB, Liz VM, Kathy F <i>Clean-up:</i> Phil DS, Cornie R, Rich K, Carl F	<b>February 6</b> <i>Serving:</i> Jan B, Cathy F, Sarah Sj, Karen R <i>Clean-up:</i> Phil VM, Joel S, Trent G

### Youth Group

January 30- Connexions  
February 6- Werewolf Game Night  
February 9- Lunch at Pizza Ranch with Kurt Monroe

### ETM - 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> Graders

January 27- Come and join us tonight at 7:30 at our church.

# FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH REFORMED

SEEKING FIRST THE KINGDOM OF GOD



Dr. Jason Lief, Interim Pastor  
Rev. Carl Klompian, Service Pastor

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www.firstcrrc.com | Sunday Worship: 9:30am and 6:00pm

**Welcome** to First Church as we bring worship and praise to our Redeemer God! If you do not have a church home, we invite you to join with us regularly. Please join us for a time of fellowship with coffee and juice in the Fellowship Hall after our morning service.

### Worship Notes – January 27, 2019

Today Dr. Jason Lief will open God's Word for us.

A Children and Worship program is provided for children 3-5 years of age during the morning service. Children of visiting families are welcome! Our helpers will greet the children in the back of the sanctuary and lead them to our worship center. Parents are asked to pick up their children after the service in Room 8 upstairs.



The banners hanging in our church represent the liturgical season of Epiphany, which celebrates the manifestation of Jesus as the Messiah. The color green is used for this time of year and the symbol on the banner represents "Alpha and Omega." Revelation 22:13 "I am the Alpha and the Omega, the First and the Last, the Beginning and the End."

### Announcements

**ADULT EDUCATION** – Everyone is welcome to join in on *Love to Pray* Session 3 in the sanctuary at 10:45 this morning. There will be a handout for taking notes and for in-week reflection. We pray that the journey through this series enriches our prayer life, both individually and as a congregation.

**Don't miss our Wednesday night meal this week! Our menu includes:** Spaghetti pizza, lettuce salad, fruit cup, bread, and cake. Serving is from 5-6:30pm. A suggested donation of \$2/person is appreciated.

**The Deacons gratefully acknowledge the following December receipts:** General Fund: \$45,544; Mission Fund: \$7,301; Building Fund: \$5,119; Mission India: \$393.50; Hope Haven \$640.25; Troy & Faith Bierma: \$2,562; Mississippi Christian Family Services: \$519; Sioux Falls Gospel Mission: \$899.

**From the Elders:** Due to the advancing flu season, greeters and elders will not be shaking hands for the time being. Elders will be available to greet in the Fellowship Hall following our services.

### *Church Family*

Ivan Groothuis spent the week in Sioux Falls receiving training for home dialysis.

We extend our sympathy to the family of Vern Sybesma who passed away on January 20. The memorial service was held on Thursday in our church.

Congratulations to Andrew & Justean Ter Haar on the birth of a new baby girl, Charlotte Jane, on Wednesday, January 16! She joins big brother William at home.

### *Prayer Requests*

The Outreach Committee would like the congregation to pray for Adam & Laura Rodeheaver-Van Gelder.

This week please be in prayer for God's blessings for the First Reformed congregation and the ministry of Pastor Travis Else.

The Prayer Committee encourages everyone to submit prayer requests that can be used either in congregational prayer or in confidential prayer. You are invited to submit your prayer requests by placing them in the Information Center box (forms provided there) or by contacting an elder.

### *Family Visiting Schedule for February 4, 2019*

Elder Jason Koelewyn	6:30pm	Martin Dekkenga
	7:30pm	Randy & Arlis Bubke
	8:30pm	Brian & Sheila Davelaar
Elder Kevin Hulstein	6:30pm	Rich & Linda Haan
	7:30pm	Jan & Joan van Vliet
	8:30pm	Keith & Brittney Kooistra
Elder Denny De Kruyf	6:30pm	Jo Vander Werf
	7:30pm	Clarice Vande Griend
	8:30pm	Gladyce Nyhof

Elder Ted Hengeveld	6:30pm	Brad & Laura De Kruyf
	7:30pm	Scott Visser
	8:30pm	Charles & Marlene Veenstra

### *What's Happening This Week {January 27 – February 3, 2019}*

<b>Today</b>	8:30am	Adult Choir
	9:30am	Morning worship service led by Dr. Jason Lief.
	10:40am	Church Education
	10:45am	Adult Education: <i>Love to Pray</i> Session 3 – Sanctuary
	6:00pm	Evening worship service led by Dr. Jason Lief. An offering will be taken for the Mission and Building Funds.
<b>Monday</b>	7:30pm	ETM – Fireside Room
	12:00pm	Monday Men's Life – Groothuis home
	7:00pm	Care Group Team Meeting
	7:30pm	Council Meeting
<b>Tuesday</b>	7:30pm	Pastoral Assistants Meeting
	6:00am	Tuesday Men's Life – Council Room
	9:00am	SCCS's Moms in Prayer – Council Room
	10:00am	Grandmother's Moms in Prayer – Room 3
	12:00pm	College and Career Moms in Prayer – Room 3
<b>Wednesday</b>	6:00am	Wednesday Men's Life – Council Room
	1:30pm	Rebroadcast of Worship Service on Channel 12
	5:00pm	Wednesday Night Church Meal – Fellowship Hall
	6:30pm	GEMS Counselor Meeting at Bethel CRC
	6:30pm	Women's Bible Conversations – Room 8
<b>Thursday</b>	7:00pm	Youth Group – Connexions – Fireside Room
	7:00pm	Friendship Bible Study – Fellowship Hall
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### *Thank You*

The family of Vernon Sybesma thanks the congregation members for caring for Vernon all his life, and especially during the last few weeks of his life. All of the visits, offers of help, and expressions of sympathy are greatly appreciated. Thank you to Pastor Klompien for his visits and for guiding us through the memorial service. A special thank you to Bonnie De Stigter for pulling together a family meal for us following the visitation. Vern was blessed to be part of this family.