



**FIRST REFORMED CHURCH
901 Pleasant St. Boyden, IA
Reverend David P. Poppen
February 10, 2019**

JESUS SAVES! GROW! GO!

WELCOME! WORSHIP THE LORD!

Prelude **Bonnie Poppen**

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

***Praise Songs: "He Has Made Me Glad"** (screen)

"Your Name" (screen)

"Knowing You" (screen)

*Invocation, the Lord's Prayer, Salutation

Joys and Concerns

Morning Prayers

Children's Sermon

COME! HEAR GOD'S WORD!

Scripture –Matthew 7:12-29 (pg 1506)

Hymn "Ancient Words"

(the general offering will be received)

Prayer of Illumination

Sermon – "I'm Ready for More: More than a Cloak"

Prayer of Blessing

COME! RECEIVE GOD'S GRACE

*Benediction

***Hymn #66 "To God Be the Glory"** chorus

Postlude

(*those who are able please stand)

PRAYER AND PRAISE

Please remember in your prayers our congregational family members who are living with health difficulties. Pray that they feel the strength and healing embrace of our Savior!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you are visiting today, WELCOME! Be our guest! We welcome you to our worship experience. There is coffee available in the room off of the sanctuary and following the service in the fellowship basement.

Today we are beginning a short series of sermons entitled "I'm Ready for More." Today's message is "More than the Cloak." "Do you settle for the cloak of respectable religion? We are called to a growing relationship with Jesus Himself!"

Sunday School classes are available for all ages! Following worship, the children meet in the basement and adults will be meeting in the coffee room off of the sanctuary. The adults are beginning a new study about alleviating hurt in missions. (See page #5 of this bulletin for more info.) You are encouraged to attend to discuss a fuller understanding of mission.

And speaking of missions – there is a mission opportunity with Habitat for Humanity! Workers are needed Friday, Feb 22nd & Saturday, Feb 23rd to help with sheet rock. If anyone is interested, please visit with Marlin Uittenbogaard.

Next week, Pastor Dave will be preaching at Bethel Reformed Church of Little Rock. (For some who knew that Pastor Dave was scheduled to preach at Salem Reformed Church, some rearrangement was made to allow Salem to have a guest speaker.) Please be in prayer for him and join us in welcoming Rev. Dr. John Hartog III to lead our worship next week.

Siouxland Habitat for Humanity invites you to their "Love Your Neighbor" Pancake Supper on Wed, Feb 13, from 5-7pm in the Hull Community Building. Free will donations will be received to help families in need achieve their own home. They are also accepting partner family applications for our homeownership program for a future home in Orange City. Application forms are available at the Orange City City Office, Orange City Library and online at <http://siouxlandhabitat.org/our-programs/home-ownership/>. Completed applications are due by March 4.

There are several new events coming soon!

“Work as Worship” – On Friday, February 22nd, the “Work as Worship” simulcast will be shown here at Boyden FRC. If you haven’t registered yet and would like to attend, please talk with Pastor Dave.

“The Art of Marriage” – There is a team of people from First Reformed Churches of Boyden and Rock Rapids who are preparing for a Friday night and Sunday afternoon event on March 29th and March 31st here at Boyden FRC. On Friday March 29th we will begin at 6:30 pm and go to about 9:15 pm. On Sunday March 31st we will begin at 11:30 am with lunch and finish around 7:30 pm. There will be daycare provided and a lunch on Sunday after church. Please see the enclosed “Save the Date” card and registration form.

“Jews for Jesus” – On Wednesday, April 17th, First Reformed Church will host a Jews for Jesus event in our sanctuary. If you are interested in learning more about the relationship between Passover and the Lord’s Supper, you will want to attend this event!

Easter Goals! The Consistory has set a goal of 219 people in worship on Easter morning, April 21, 2019. We will be serving a light breakfast prior to the Easter service, as well as some special things going on during the service! There is no way that this can happen unless you are willing to invite unchurched, under-churched and even “nones” to come and attend Boyden FRC. PLEASE BEGIN BY PRAYING FOR YOUR NEIGHBOR, FAMILY AND FRIENDS!



RCA General Secretary Eddy Aleman has set a goal of planting 1,000 churches in the next 20 years – a huge vision to double our denomination and reach more and more people with the love of Jesus! It takes a lot of resources to live out dreams that big. If you’d like to invite your church to support church planting, One Sunday is an easy way to do it. Take a special offering to support church planting, investing in new churches.

Adult Sunday School Class "When Helping Hurts"

When Helping Hurts is a paradigm-forming contemporary classic about poverty alleviation and has sold over 225,000 copies. Now there is a stand-alone resource to introduce this paradigm in an accessible way. Rather than simply looking at the economics, it looks at the poverty of relationships between man and God, man and man, man and creation, and man and self. Utilizing free, online video lessons set both in Africa and the United States, the *Small Group Experience* is the ideal resource for small groups, Sunday school classes, parachurch and non-profit ministries, ministry training, and even individuals

In six lessons, the concepts of *When Helping Hurts* are brought to the reader in a format that is perfect for training, discussion, and application. It is an ideal introduction to life-changing and offers the perfect context for engagement. The video provides expert instruction and the *Small Group Experience* provides questions and prompts for conversation, deeper learning, and acting.

We hope you will attend!





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Registration Form

First Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Spouse First Name: _____

Spouse Last Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

Childcare Needed – (Circle One) YES NO

Names and Ages of Child(ren):

(Childcare will be provided for birth-3rd grade.)

*Pre-payment is required for this event with registration. The cost is **\$40 per couple** and includes 2 booklets.

Please complete this registration form and send the completed form to Dave Boender. You can put it in his church mailbox; mail it to 805 Meadow Dr, Boyden, IA 51234; or email it to dvjboender@gmail.com.

TODAY – February 10, 2019

8:40 AM – PRAISE TEAM PRACTICE

9:30 AM – WORSHIP

10:35 AM – FELLOWSHIP

10:45 AM – SUNDAY SCHOOL

3 – 5 PM – RIDDER TEAM MEETING-FELLOWSHIP HALL

THANKS TO THOSE SERVING TODAY

USHERS: Laryl De Wild & Doug Van Roekel

TECHNICIANS: Audio: Kevin Rosenboom

Video: Ben Harms

Powerpoint: Teresa Harms

KITCHEN: Lisa Nelson

COOKIES: Lisa Nelson,

Pat Harms, Lori Darnell

NURSERY: Holly Starckenburg

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

Tue Feb 12 – Lydia Bible Study 9 am

Joan Wiertzema Leader, Teresa Harms Hostess

Meet in church fellowship room

Pastor Dave meeting with Rev. Dan Hagar and

Rev. Steve Den Haan

Wed Feb 13 – Esther Circle 1:30 pm

Max Moret Leader/Hostess

Awana – 6:15/6:30 pm

Youth Group – 6:30 pm

Thu Feb 14 – Happy Valentine's Day!

Pastor Dave is leading the worship service at

Fieldcrest at 10:30 am

NEXT SUNDAY – February 17, 2019

Praise Team practice – 8:40 am

We welcome Rev. Dr. John Hartog III to lead our worship!

Worship – 9:30 am

Building & Repair Offering

Fellowship – 10:35 am

Sunday School – 10:45 am

Kitchen – Wanda Slykhuis

Cookies – Wanda Slykhuis,

Bobby Reuvers, Joan Wiertzema

Nursery – Kayla Rosenboom

The SHARE group for widows and widowers will meet on Thursday, February 21st at noon at Homestead Commons in Hull. Melissa Beyer will cater. You are asked to bring \$10 to help offset the cost of lunch. Following our meal, Carolyn Gould of the Hull Historical Society will update us on the projects and goals of their organization. Please call Deanna Tiedeman (712-439-2229) by February 18th to RSVP. Contact Deanna or Pastor Aaron Deutsch (605-742-4469) with any questions.

Remsen St. Mary's Fish Supper -Come join us at the annual St. Mary's Activity Club Fish Supper on Friday, March 8, at St. Mary's High School Cafeteria in Remsen. The menu includes those wonderful homemade salads and desserts, as well as fried and baked fish, corn, and cheesy potatoes. Serving will be from 4:30 to 6:45 p.m. Carry outs & deliveries are available. This is an all you can eat fish supper.

To begin a prayer chain – You can either call Max Moret at 348-2929 or Teresa Harms/church office at 725-2366.

2019 Consistory Executive Committee

Vice President – Kathy Ver Meer
Clerk – Rod Bolkema
Assistant Clerk – Tom Reuvers
Chair of Deacons – Jamie Koele
Treasurer – Paul Moret
Assistant Treasurer – Brad Van Roekel
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Music & Worship – Kathy Ver Meer
Outreach & Assimilation – Bill Noack
Mission Task Force – Marv Heemsker
Discipleship –

2019 Elders

Rod Bolkema ('21)
Marv Heemsker ('21)
Bill Noack ('20)
Tom Reuvers ('20)
Kathy Ver Meer ('19)

2019 Deacons

Jamie Koele ('19)
Paul Moret ('19)
Roger Nelson ('21)
Brad Van Roekel ('20)
Alan Warntjes ('21)

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