

7th Sunday after Pentecost

8:50 a.m. July 3, 2016

Welcome members, friends and visitors to our service this morning. We would ask you all to complete the friendship pad located in your pew. Thank you for your help. Welcome Packets for our visitors and guests are available at the Visitor Center.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME

PRELUDE Bober
"My County 'Tis of Thee w/America the Beautiful"

CALL TO WORSHIP ~ written by Thom Shuman

Leader: Here, in this place, we discover the great things God has done.

People: In story and song, in silence and sacrament, we are reminded that God's relationship with us lasts forever.

Leader: Here, with these people, we find our true home.

People: where we are welcome, even after being lost for so long.

Leader: Here, during this sacred time, we hear those promises again.

People: Of the One who repairs all our mistakes, and reshapes our brokenness.

* HYMN 561

"My Country, 'Tis of Thee"

* OPENING PRAYER ~written by David Adam

**I weave a silence onto my lips
I allow silence into my mind
I welcome silence within my heart
I close my ears to distractions
I close my eyes to attractions
I close my heart to temptations**

**Calm me, O Lord, as you stilled the storm
Still me, O Lord, keep me from harm
Let all unrest within me cease
Enfold me Lord in your peace. Amen**

* GLORIA PATRI

CHILDREN'S TIME Doug Stueven

HYMN 332 (vs 1-3)
"Live Into Hope"

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 10:1-6
(Page 842 in the Pew Bibles)

SPECIAL MUSIC FPC Men's Quartet
"Let Freedom Ring"

SCRIPTURE READING 2 Corinthians 5:14-20
(Page 937 in the Pew Bibles)

SERMON Clint Loveall
When the Old becomes New

* APOSTLES' CREED

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead and buried;
he descended into hell;
the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven and sitteth on the right
hand of God the Father Almighty;
From thence he shall come to judge
the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic
church; the communion of the saints; the
forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body;
and the life everlasting. Amen.**

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

JOYS AND CONCERNS

GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Leader: The Lord be with you

People: And also with you

Leader: Lift up your hearts

People: We lift them up to the Lord

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

**People: It is right to give God our thanks
and praise...**

SHARING OF THE BREAD AND CUP

THE LORD'S PRAYER

led by Ron Jenkins

OFFERING

Offertory

"Just Over in Gloryland Medley"

* Doxology

* Prayer of Dedication

* HYMN 289

"O God of Every Nation"

* BENEDICTION

"Go Now In Peace"

POSTLUDE

* **Those who are able** are invited to stand.

Nursery Available for Pre-K and under

- **Large print "BULLETINS AND HYMNALS" are available from an Usher-**
- **Busy Bags available in the Narthex**
- **Coffee is served immediately following the Worship Service in Fellowship Hall.**

Participating in this morning's Reformed service are: Clint Loveall & Michael Gewecke, Pastors; Dennis Colton, Liturgist; Arla Stover, Pianist; Ushers are Jay & Karri Anderson, Kyley, Hannah & Cole and John Calsbeek; Greeters are Larry & Sharee DenHerder; Jackie Jenkins, Mike Reekers, Pat Butler & Roger Rieck, Sound; Keith Brockmeyer, Video; are in charge of the Nursery; Jim & Mary Quitno prepared our coffee.



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Best Wishes on Your Move Bart

We would like to take this opportunity to thank Bart Duncan for all he has done for the church and wish him the best as he is moving to Flagstaff, AZ. If you have a card or gift that you would like to give Bart and don't catch him before he leaves, check with us or drop it off at the church and we will make sure to pass it on to him. We will miss you Bart!

Women's Bible Study

The Women's Bible Study held on Wednesday evenings at 6pm will continue through the summer. They will be studying 1 & 2 Peter, and will continue to be led by Rachelle Gewecke. **Women's Bible study will NOT meet July 6th.**

Mission Trip Parent/Student Meeting

All parents and those participating in the Triennium mission trip are asked to join Pastor Michael on July 10th at 7pm in the Fellowship Hall for a short informational meeting. We will discuss the trip's itinerary, service projects, packing list, expectations and more. Please make sure to add the short informational meeting to your calendars and we look forward to seeing you there!

July 14th - High School DQ & Movie Night at the Geweckes' (8-11pm)

We will meet at the DQ at 8pm, get ice cream, return to the Geweckes' and watch a movie. Registration is not required and there is no cost, so just stop on by, we look forward to seeing you then!

July POET Outing

The next POET outing will take place at Okoboji View on Sunday, July 10th with golf and dinner or either one. Golf begins at 3:30pm and will be 2 person best shot 9 holes at \$20/person plus tax. Dinner to follow at 6pm with a choice of steak or chicken breast, salad bar, baked potato and dinner roll for \$19, which includes tax and tip. You may go to our website at www.fpcspiritlake.org or call the office at 336-1649 to sign up.

July 16th-23rd- High School Youth Triennium Trip

July 28th - High School Video Game Night at the Geweckes' (8-11pm)

We will be playing group party console games. You probably haven't heard of them yet but you won't be able to put them down at the end of the night, I promise. Once again, we will have a night full of snacks, fellowship, and party game fun! Boys and girls are invited so don't miss out!

VBS Pre-Registration is available!

This year's VBS will be held from Monday through Thursday on August 8th-11th from 1:00pm-5:00pm each day. Pre-register by July 10th and you will save \$2 per student who attends! This year, for your convenience, you can also choose to pay for your registration online. [Pre-register today!](#)

Action Group for Communications and Marketing

We need to enhance our marketing and communications with our members, visitors, and the general public. We will work with the staff on the web site and other internet possibilities, coordinate bulletin covers with a sermon series, and make greater use of our electronic message board. There is a need to increase the attendance at the second service and let people know of the opportunity to attend a contemporary worship service.

Contact Steve Lindeberg if interested in this action group at steve@lindebergappraisal.com

Brainstorming Meeting...We Need Your Input

We are looking for a few hungry creative people to come together and brainstorm/share ideas to help us plan our Fall Harvest Soup/Sandwich/Dessert Supper! It is on the church calendar for Wednesday, October 12th, a little over 3 months away. If you have some great soup recipes, some good ideas for what goes with a warm bowl of soup, a sandwich and dessert, or simply love to eat, we would love to have you come and help us plan the details of this event. We will be meeting on Wednesday, July 6th at 6:30 PM in Fellowship Hall. If you like, bring your favorite soup recipes and any other great ideas, or just come and help us plan our first annual Fall Harvest Soup Supper! We would love to have your input and expertise! Questions? Call Cheri @ church 336-1649 or 330-6668.

Lakes Area Senior Center Salutes our Veterans

This invitation is open for all Veterans and their families, as well as the families of deceased Veterans. On Monday, July 4th from 11am-1:30pm join us at the Senior Center, 2101 Zenith Ave., Spirit Lake, for a FREE picnic lunch, a short program and prizes. Please call 336-5247 to make your reservation. You are welcome to bring a salad or dessert to help them out.

Summer Camp Schedule at Lakeshore Center of Okoboji

JULY 2016

Wilderness Camp: July 3-8
Super Duper Sleepover: July 10-11
Wacky Tourist: July 10-15
Classic Camp 2: July 17-22
Discovery Camp 2: July 17-22
Leaders in Training: July 17-27
Sheep & Shepherds: July 22-24
Lakeshore Center's 60th Anniversary
Celebration: July 22-24
Fast Camp: July 24-27
Lil' Campers: July 24-27
Night OWLS: July 31-Aug. 5

Register ONLINE today!

Anniversary Party

Come join the free party at Hawkeye Care Center as they celebrate the past, present and future at their One-Year Anniversary Party on Tuesday, July 12th from 6-8:30pm. The Senders Band will be playing, wine tasting from Swan Lake Winery and a pasta bar will all be provided.

Spoudazo

Spoudazo is an ecumenical high school Christian music and drama group from Fremont, NE. They will be performing "Saving Grace" at Grace Lutheran Church on Saturday, July 16th at 5:30pm. A free-will offering will be taken. Hear songs by Point of Grace, Casting Crowns, Toby Mac, Matthew West and others.

Upcoming Events

Sunday, July 3

8:15am-Prayer in the Chapel
8:50am-Reformed Service
10am-Coffee and fellowship
11:15am-Reforming (2nd) Service

Monday, July 4

No PW Sewing
Office Closed

Tuesday, July 5

8:15am-WIC

Wednesday, July 6

No Women's Bible Study
No 2nd Service Rehearsal

Thursday, July 7

6pm-Mission Comm Meeting

Sunday, July 10

8:15am-Prayer in the Chapel
8:50am-Reformed (1st) Service
10am-Coffee and fellowship
11:15am-Reforming (2nd) Service

Rides to and from church for this week is Bev Pratt (712)253-7415, next week is Doug Stueven ~ 330-7302.

Hospital Deacon: Bev Pratt

Week of July 10th

Reformed (1st) Service

Liturgist: Margie Burrell

Ushers: Jay & Karri Anderson, Kylee, Hannah & Cole and John Calsbeek

Greeters: Larry & Sharee DenHerder

Video: Owen Primavera

Nursery: April Krull & Angie Peterson

Coffee: Edna VanderWolde & Jan Bowles

Reforming (2nd) Service

Greeter/Usher:

Nursery: Dana Bolluyt

**Each week we remember First Pres families in prayer, this week
please pray for**

*Michael, Rachele, Emily
& Olivia Gewecke*
25446 140th St., Spirit Lake
Matt, Marty, Sam & Syd Spies
11680 240th Ave., Spirit Lake

Please pray for our members and friends of this church family who are facing various health concerns: Maddie DeWitt, Chris Koehler, Nicole Hintz, Ethan Burk, Jody Ferguson, Shane Feist, Grant Vietor, Jim & Judy Arens, Mary Smith, Anita Stockdale, Jamie Nebelsick, Jose Reedy, Barb Hanisch, Jay Anderson, Kay Monson, Marv & Barb Rohlf, Pat Dalton, Donna VanHolland, Connie Hoppe, Tom Gruber, Lori Johnson, Mitchell Elmquist, Talia Patton, Connor Rowley, Betty Lamer, Mark Voss, Audrey Wiersma, Gene Krueger, Dave Dreeszen, Aliyah Brittain, Pat Kelly, Tammy (Bartels) Martin, Judy Stueven, Bennett Stecker, Kenny Beck, Velma Ashburn, Eric Avery, Mike Wiley, Marj Roseberry, Dean Poyzer, Lon Noble, Laureen Andersen, Lee Struthers, Nadine Hough, Gene Wells, Mary Zierke, Gayle Raymond, Kieth Tadlock

Please pray for our members and friends who serve in the Armed Forces: Staff SGT **Jamie Lewis**, 1st LT **Whitney Lewis**, 7017 Arnold Ave., Unit A, JBER, AK 99506; SSG **Frederick, Jesse**, 975 Culverson Ct., Clarksville, TN 37040; **Billy Joe Travis**, Sioux City Navy Recruiting Office, Sioux City, IA; **Ryan Mackey**, 829th EN CO, 519th MP BN, APO AE 09342, **Kyle Klaassen**, PFC; **Colton Petersen**, 2d LT **James Fliss**, 821 2nd Ave, Unit 8100, Sheppard AFB, TX 76311

Missionaries

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Rick is the Executive Director of OBC (Okoboji Bible Conference) in Arnolds Park, IA. The OBC has served the Lakes area since 1935 as a "get together" of fellowship, worship and mission for regional Christians. Although begun out of Omaha, the Conference is now fully led and centered in the Lakes Region. The Conference was a temporary summer event for most of its history. Beginning around 2000, an effort was begun to become a unifying center for prayer and events for believers in the immediate area. Rick has preached at First Presbyterian Church and is friends with many from this church. Rick and Dianne have three children.

Gleanings for the Hungry
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Gleaning For the Hungry is a ministry of Youth With a Mission. A Fruit Dehydration Plant where fruit is (gleaned) dried and sent all over the world. They also process a dried vegetable soup mix and powdered orange & apple drinks. Crops have gone to orphans in Eastern Europe, disaster relief in 9 states in U.S., orphanages and refugees in 10 different countries, and local senior citizens. (1 relief box feeds a family of four for 1 week) Food is distributed through local churches. They need manpower, finances and more staff. No salaries are paid. Each staff member is a volunteer and raises own missionary support. All contributions go to minimal overhead and providing food for the hungry. They now have an area for RV's and always need volunteers, especially in the summer.