

Welcome to First Church!



Thank you for worshipping with us.

A Christ-centered community for a changing world

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First Reformed- Pella, IA

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First Church Worship Service is broadcast weekly on local channel PTV 12 Thursdays at 7 pm & Sundays at 9:30 am.

We are so glad you have chosen to join us this morning!
We look forward to meeting you!

First Kids



kids quest

Where do kids go on Sunday?

Check/register your child/ren in at our kiosk on the main floor prior to the service. **During this season, please take your children to the Children's Chapel or the Small Social Hall and pick them up after the service.**

0-3yrs: While the nursery is currently un-staffed and has been emptied of toys, it is available for parents to watch the livestream in this space with their child.

3yrs-5th Grade: The kids begin their experience in 'big church' and then go to Kids Quest in the Small Social Hall or Children's Chapel, on the lower level.

For more information contact Jenny: jbraafharts@frcpella.org.

Where do kids go on Wednesday Night?

Check your child/ren in at our kiosk on the main floor before or after the Midweek Meal.

6:15-7:45 pm

Squires: 3yrs-Kindergarten - Lodge

GEMS: 1st-5th Grade Girls - Sanctuary

Cadets: 1st-5th Grade Boys - Children's Chapel

For more information contact Deb: duitermarkt@frcpella.org.



Prayer Care

People at First Church desire to hear from you when you are ill, facing surgery, hospitalized or with the death of a loved one. Please let us know so we can cover you in prayer and uphold you during the difficult times by **filling out the welcome card in the pews or emailing Shalene at frc.pce@frcpella.org.**

Pray for:

- We express our Christian sympathy to Laurel & Nancy Vander Pol with the passing of Laurel's brother, Donald Vander Pol, on Dec. 31.
- Kitty Tysseling, daughter-in-law of Carl & Mary Tysseling, who has been diagnosed with breast cancer and begins chemo treatment Monday, January 11. Pray that Kitty & Jim and their entire family feel God's presence during this time.

Rejoice:

- Wednesday night activities and classes were able to resume and new classes starting today. May all of those involved be blessed and grow in God's knowledge.
- Happy Anniversary & God's blessings to Loren & Linda Vande Lune celebrating their 63rd anniversary today.
- Happy Birthday & God's blessings to Marlene Dykstra celebrating her 85th birthday Monday, January 11.
- Happy Birthday & God's blessings to Gladys Newendorp celebrating her 92nd birthday Friday, January 15.
- Happy Birthday & God's blessings to Bob Vande Kamp celebrating his 85th birthday Friday, January 15.

This Week @ First

Please join us or pray for

Today:

9:30 am Worship/ Kids Quest

11 am Disciple6

11 am Kids Quest Discipleship

11 am For Men Only

11 am For Women Only

11 am Starting Point

6 pm HS Mosaic

Tuesday:

6:30 am MenConnect - 1&2 Peter

Wednesday:

6:15-7:45 pm GEMS/Cadets/Squires

6:15-7:45 pm Middle School Mosaic

6:15 pm Theology for Regular People

Thursday:

6 pm Praise Team

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Outreach

Kadens Kloset is always accepting gently loved children's clothing in all sizes for foster/adopted children. Donations can be dropped off at the church office. **Volunteers are welcome to help in the closet.** For more info contact *Jamie Chapman*.

Food Shelf We collect donations for the Food Shelf the 1st Sunday of the month. **They would appreciate Monetary Donations.**

For more information contact the Church Office: frcpella@frcpella.org.

First Adults

Iron Man are small groups of men that meet weekly. If you are interested please contact *Ward Van Dyke*.

For Women Only a six week class starts today at 11 am in the Large Social Hall. Feldhahn's research reveals what the men in your life are really thinking and feeling. Learn how to provide the loving support they want and need. Due to the content of this class, it's not recommended for children. *Led by Sandi Van Dyke.*

For Men Only a six week class starts today at 11 am in the Small Social Hall. Think of all the energy you have used to figure out what makes a woman tick. This class will reveal the eye-opening truths and simple acts that will improve your relationship with the woman you love. Due to the content of this class, it's not recommended for children. *Led by Ward Van Dyke.*

Theology for Regular People meets on Wednesday nights at 6:15 pm in the Large Social Hall. Learn all about Reformed Theology in a non-threatening environment. Learn the basics of what we believe as a church and why we believe it. *Led by Pastor Bob.*

Life Groups Would you like to be a part of a small loving community committed to loving each other, growing deeper in Christ, praying and caring for each other all in the warmth of a home? We have Six Life Groups that are open to anyone.

MenConnect is studying **1&2 Peter** on Tuesdays at 6:30 am in the Large Social Hall. Helping men/women become disciples of Jesus Christ by loving, learning and living the Word in the context of loving, accountable relationships. *Led by Pastor Bob.*

Starting Point a five week class starts today at 11 am In Pastor Bob's office. This comfortable environment is for people who desire exploring what it means to be a Partner in Mission [Member] at First. *Led by Pastor Bob.*

For more information contact the Church Office: frcpella@frcpella.org.

Sunday, January 10, 2021

ON THE HEART OF RACISM

WHAT THE BIBLE SAYS ABOUT RACISM

Coming Up

Installation of new Elders & Deacons will be today, Jan 10. To the office of Elder: Joe Braafhart & Maury De Hann; to the office of Deacon: Brett Beyer & Shane Van Wyk. We are incredibly grateful for those who have served faithfully & their term is now completed: Elders Don Rouwenhorst & Jaren Steenhoek; Deacons Denise Van Wyk & Aaron Vande Voort.

Part-time (10 hrs/week) Administrative Assistant to the Lead Pastor. We are now accepting inquiries and applications for this position to be filled in early 2021. If you are interested please contact Pastor Bob - bjcubs@gmail.com.

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Sunday Morning Childcare - If you are planning to attend one of the Adult classes on Sunday morning and need childcare please let Deb (duitermarkt@frcpella.org) know.

Last chance! We have 4 pews left from the transepts in the worship center. If you would be interested in a pew (or part of one), please contact the church office this week. Pre-reserved pews may be picked up this week January 11-16.



Mosaic Youth

Middle School Ministry meets Wednesdays from 6:15-7:45 pm in the DeJong Coffee House.

High School Ministry meets Sundays from 6-8 pm in the DeJong Coffee House.

Disciple6 meets on Sundays at 11 am in the Large Social Hall.

For more information contact Mike: mmelody@frcpella.org.

Begins Sunday, January 10 • 11am • Pastor Bob's Office

STARTING
POINT
WELCOME HOME

Explore the faith, the Church and becoming a Partner in Mission (member) at First.