

DEAD OR ALIVE?
Revelation 9:13-21

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Pastor Bob Johnson



Welcome to First Church!

Thank you for worshipping with us.

A Christ-centered community for a changing world

FEBRUARY 9, 2025

INTRODUCTION TO THE TEXT

Living between two spiritual worlds.

[Hebrews 11:24-25]

THE 6TH TRUMPET

Another demon attack

THE RELEASE [13-14]

THE VOICE

THE ALTAR

THE 4 ANGELS

THE RIVER

THE DEATHS [15-19]

THE TIME

RELEASED TO DO WHAT?

200,000,000?

THE HORSES AND THEIR RIDERS

THE DEFIANCE [20-21]

REMEMBER THE FLOOD?

WHO IS PREACHING THE WORD?

5 DEADLY SINS

DEAD

The works of their hands (Idols)

Murders

Sorceries

Sexual Immorality

Thefts

ALIVE

Delight in God

Celebrate Life!

The Lord is your strength

Choose holiness & purity

Be generous & honest



FIRST KIDS

Sundays

0-3yrs: Nursery is available on the 2nd floor. **3yrs-5th Grade:** The kids begin their experience in 'big church' and then go to Kids Quest on the lower & upper level.

Wednesday Nights 6:15-7:45 PM

Children may be dropped off anytime after 6:10 PM.

Squires: 3yrs-Kindergarten - Children's Chapel

GEMS: 1st-6th Grade Girls - Sanctuary

Cadets: 1st-6th Grade Boys - The Lodge

MOSAIC YOUTH

Wednesday Nights - Coffee House

Middle School Ministry (6th-8th): 6-7:30 PM

High School Ministry (9th-12th): 7:30-9 PM

Sundays

D-Groups (6th-12th) meet at 11 AM.

OUTREACH

Kadens Kloset is always accepting gently loved children's clothing in all sizes for foster/adopted children. **Volunteers are welcome to help in the closet.**

Food Shelf - We collect donations on the 1st Sunday of the month.

FIRST ADULTS



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

Women of the Word are small groups of women that meet

weekly. If you are interested please contact *Bekah Seuferer*.

Life Groups are small loving communities committed to loving each other, growing deeper in Christ, praying and caring for each other all in the warmth of a home and are open to anyone. If you are interested please contact *Bryant Seuferer*.

Morning Connect is on **Tuesdays, 6:30 AM** in the DeJong Coffee House. Helping men/women become disciples of Jesus Christ. *Led by Pastor Bob.*

Systematic Theology II is on **Sundays, 11 AM** in Fellowship Hall. Systematic Theology is an approach to finding answers every Christian needs to know: Doctrine of God, Doctrine of Man, and Doctrine of Christ. *Led by Pastor Bob.*

How to Study the Bible is on **Sundays, 11 AM** in the Dwelling Place. This class will help you to learn to read and interpret scripture carefully & faithfully. *Led by Bryant Seuferer.*

Bible Blueprint II is on **Sundays, 11 AM** in Forge Hall. Come take a journey through the New Testament! *Led by Alex Foley.*

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First Church Worship Service is broadcast weekly on channel PellaTV 42 Thursdays at 7 PM & Sundays at 9:30 AM.

PRAYER CARE

If you are wanting to be prayed for after the worship service, there is someone at the front of the Sanctuary in the Prayer Cove that would love to pray for you.

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:

- Scot & Becki Dykstra who are missionaries with TEAM and will be serving in Japan. We rejoice with them as travels went smoothly and their housing lease was accepted. Pray for them as they transition to a new culture.
- Pray for healing for those that are sick. Pray that we can be the hands of feet of Jesus in times of need.
- The upcoming youth retreat, Winter Blitz, on February 14-16. Pray that those who attend will be filled with the Holy Spirit and hearts will be softened.
- We express our Christian Sympathy to Bryant & Bekah Seuferer with the passing of Bryant's grandmother, Patrica Seuferer.
- We express our Christian Sympathy to Jeff & Barbara Boertje-De Vries with the passing of Jeff's father, Larry De Vries of Grandville, MI.

Rejoice:

- Happy Birthday and God's Blessings to Jerry Den Adel celebrating his 85th birthday on February 13.

February 24

Care Night
6:30 PM

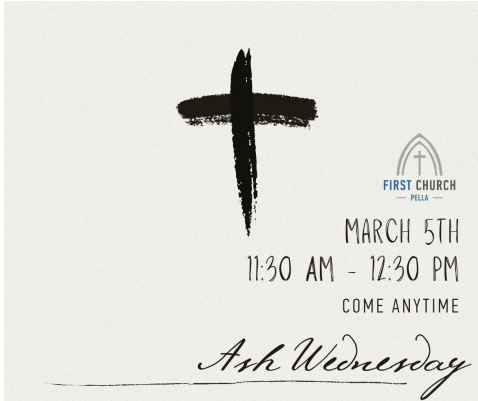
HAPPENINGS

Piecemakers

Meet Tuesdays, February 18 & 25, 9 AM in the Fellowship Hall. Join us for fun & fellowship. Snacks & beverages are provided.

Debrah Circle

First Church's Deborah Theater Group will be performing their play *How the Dutch came to Pella* on **Tuesday, February 11, 1 PM** at Calvary Church Fellowship Hall.



SAVE THE DATE

July 14-18
(6-8 PM)



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW



CURRENT SERMON SERIES



THIS WEEK @ FIRST

Please join us or pray for

- Today:** 9:30 AM Worship / Kids Quest
11 AM D-Groups
11 AM KQ Discipleship
11 AM Systematic Theology II
11 AM How to Study the Bible
11 AM Bible Blueprint II
- Tuesday:** 6:30 AM Morning Connect
- Wednesday:** 8:30 AM MidWeek Meal Prep
5:30 PM MidWeek Meal
6 PM MSM Mosaic
6:15 PM GEMS/Cadets/Squires
6:30 PM Ezekiel
7:30 PM HSM Mosaic
- Thursday:** 6 PM Praise Team
- Sunday:** 9:30 AM Worship / Kids Quest
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