

## *Sunday Celebration*

10:25 am January 13, 2019

### **WELCOME TO FRIENDSHIP COMMUNITY CHURCH!**

*“Where you have a friend in Jesus and a friend in us”*

*“This is the day the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it” (Psalm 118:24).* This morning we recognize that this day is a gift from God. Together we celebrate that gift and gather together to worship the one who has given us this day.

We extend a special word of welcome to our guests and visitors. We are happy you are here. We hope you feel welcomed and the love of Jesus in this place. FCC welcomes all people to join us on the journey of following Jesus, who invited us into a radical new life when he called us his friends.

FCC is committed to helping parents focus on worship each Sunday by providing a friendly and caring NURSERY for children ages 3 and under. The Nursery is located near the restrooms just past the kitchen.

#### FCC Mission:

To be a compassionate church that connects people to Jesus.

#### FCC Vision:

To be a church that encourages meaningful worship, Christ centered relationships, and transformational discipleship.

Today we continue our Psalm series. We are taking an extended look at a variety of patterns for prayer we find in the Psalms. Throughout the Psalms we are given permission to pray for the spectrum of our experiences and find patterns to help us pray.

Our Scripture reading today is Psalm 13

The Message title: Finding Quiet Through Questions

**FRIENDSHIP COMPANY** Every other week we have a special time of age and ability appropriate learning and worship for kids 4-4<sup>th</sup> grade during the service. This week we have Friendship company. The children will be able to go to the Friendship Company room shortly before the message begins.

**SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES** There are new sign up sheets available for the Sunday morning service opportunities. If there is a Sunday that works to greet, help out in nursery, or provide a small snack please fill that space in.

**FAITH SEXUALITY AND GENDER IN THE CHURCH** The Siouxland area is being invited to an event on February 4 in Le Mars Iowa to engage the conversation of how the compassion of Christ guides us to care for individuals while upholding scripture. More information can be found on the bulletin board.

**SINGING AND THE PSALMS** February 4 there will be a free concert by artist Sandra McCracken. This event helps us experience how the Psalms impact the composition of modern music. More information is available on the bulletin board.

**MISSIONS UPDATE** Two of the Missionaries we support have supplied us with recent updates. The Ribbens family has updated prayer cards available at the service table and we have posted a larger family picture from them on the bulletin board. The Bisson Family sent a brief update letter. There are copies for those interested in taking one home on the service table and also a copy on the bulletin board for those who want to do a quick catch up. We continue to pray for the local and international compassion opportunities we participate in and partner with.

**CONTACT UPDATE** Bob Boyce has been moved into a care facility in Hawarden. His information is below for anyone who would like to write, visit, or call.

Bob Boyce

Hawarden Health Care Services

2121 AVENUE L

Hawarden, IA 51023

Bob's Phone Number:712-251-7423

# January 2019

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<b>13 SUN</b>	9:30 a.m. Come early for Coffee, Juice and Snacks 10:25 a.m. Sunday Celebration Service 6:30 p.m. Life Group at Van Voorst House
<b>14 MON</b>	
<b>15 TUE</b>	7:00 p.m. Healthy Church Team
<b>16 WED</b>	Family Night 6:00 p.m. Dinner Starts 6:30 p.m. groups for all ages
<b>17 THU</b>	Happy Birthday Jozie Hoffman!
<b>18 FRI</b>	
<b>19 SAT</b>	
<b>20 SUN</b>	9:30 a.m. Come early for Coffee, Juice and Snacks 10:25 a.m. Sunday Celebration Service Happy Birthday Dave McFarland!

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## Serving God's Family

### TODAY

**Greeters** Scott & Leah Van Voorst  
**PowerPoint** Carol Wielenga  
**Snacks** Bev Olson  
**Nursery** Christie Vos

### SUNDAY January 20, 2019

**Greeters**  
**PowerPoint** Dave Vander Leest  
**Snacks** Leah Van Voorst  
**Nursery** Christie Vos

### WORLD MISSIONARIES

Mike and Megan Ribbens – Johannesburg, South Africa  
Brian and Jen Young – Middle East  
Andrew and Susan Bisson – Sicily

### HOME MISSIONARIES

Keo and Boonjun Phommarath – Siouxland Unity CRC,  
English Service - 601 Court Street, Sioux City, IA 4 p.m.

Pastor: Scott Van Voorst  
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Web site: [www.friendshipchurch.net](http://www.friendshipchurch.net)



Psalms:  
Prayers  
for all Places

*Friendship Community Church*

*Sergeant Bluff, IA*