

Welcome to Worship

**Sibley Christian Reformed Church ...
A place to gather, worship, and praise the Lord!**

**We are imperfect
people serving a
perfect God.**

**We seek to glorify God
through worship,
building community,
and living out our faith.**



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October 4, 2026

Welcome to Worship at Sibley CRC
Pastor Jack Van Dyken
October 4, 2026

WE GATHER IN THE PRESENCE OF GOD

Prelude

Welcome/Announcements

Opening Prayer

*Call to Worship: **WSB pg. 76 #59 from Ephesians 1:3-4**

*God's Greeting

*We Greet One Another

*Song of Praise: **"Holy God We Praise Thy Name" Red #12:1-3**

WE PREPARE OUR HEARTS FOR THE LORD'S SUPPER

Preparatory Exhortation for the Lord's Supper (1981)

Song of Praise: **"In Christ Alone" LUYH #770:1-4**

WE BRING OUR OFFERING AND PRAYERS

Offering Blue bag – **General Budget**

Red bag – **Christian Education**

Pastoral Prayer

WE GATHER AROUND THE WORD OF GOD

*Song of Preparation: **"Open Our Eyes Lord" Red #383:1-2**

*Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: Mark 14: 32-42

Sermon: **"Overcoming Temptation"**

Prayer for Application

*Song of Response: **"Living Hope" (video)**

WE LEAVE TO SERVE GOD WITH THANKFUL HEARTS

*God's Parting Blessing

*Parting Song: **"Christ is Made the Sure Foundation" Red #276:1,4**

*Moment of Reflection

Postlude

*you are invited to stand

Evening Worship
Pastor Jack Van Dyken

5:00 P.M.

Welcome

Call to Worship

God's Greeting

Song of Praise: **"O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing"**

Red #76:1-5

Profession of Faith: **Heidelberg Catechism Lord's Day 20**
(Q&A 53)

Song of Faith: **"The Comforter Has Come" Red #257:1-3**

Memory Verses: **Mark 10:45; 2 Corinthians 4:5; 1 Corinthians 15:58; Hebrews 12:3; 2 Corinthians 5:17**

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture: **Mark 4:30-34**

Sermon: **"Jesus' Kingdom—Like a Mustard Seed"**

Prayer for Application

Song of Application: **"Jesus Shall Reign" Red #231:1-4**

Pastoral Prayer (requests welcome)

Song: **"Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus" Red #477:1-4**

*Benediction

*Closing Song: **"Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing"**

Red #601:1-2

*Moment of Reverence

*you are invited to stand

1 Corinthians 15:58

Therefore, my dear brothers, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain.

Hebrews 12:3

Consider him who endured such opposition from sinful men, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart.

Mark 10:45

For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.

2 Corinthians 4:5

For we do not preach ourselves, but Jesus Christ as Lord, and ourselves as your servants for Jesus' sake.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday

9:30 – Morning Worship

10:45 – Sunday School

5:00 – Evening Worship

Monday

6:30 – Celebrate Recovery

Tuesday

6:30 – English Class

Next Sunday

9:30 – Morning Worship

10:45 – Sunday School

5:00 – Evening Worship

6:00 – Light Supper & Council Meeting

ANNOUNCEMENTS

	Today	Next Sunday
Offering	Christian Educ.	Northern Lighthouse - Lincoln
PowerPoint	Nate	William
Sound	Darrell	Nate
Praise Team	(none)	Lisa, Judy, Henry, Jeff
Accompanists	Elaine	Organ Recordings
Coffee	Ed & Mary Ellen	Darrell & Darlene
Nursery	Janie & Darlene	Sydney & Missi

Today we are singing “Living Hope” in honor of **Darrell Teerink’s birthday (Oct. 2)** and “In Christ Alone” in honor of **Carol Smidt’s birthday (Oct. 2)**. Carol chose this song in praise of Christ for his love and salvation.

Today you are asked to give your **offering for missions** in a marked envelope. Thank you.

Next Sunday, Lord willing, we will partake in the Lord’s Supper together. This holy meal “is a physical, ritual action, mandated by Jesus, through which God acts to nourish, sustain, comfort, challenge, teach, and assure us” (The Worship Sourcebook p311). During worship this morning, we will spend some time preparing our hearts for our participation in this sacrament.

If you are willing to bring **snacks for English class**, please sign up in the entryway. English class is every Tuesday evening through November 3. Please bring snacks to the kitchen by 6pm on the day of class. (If you bring them before Tuesday, please label them as for the English Class.)

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fall is right around the corner, and at Inspiration Hills we are getting ready for our **Annual Fundraiser on November 5th!** We are excited to invite you to join us in fellowship and support as we hear and reflect on the impact that Inspiration Hills has had on God's greater mission to this area and beyond.

Here is a glimpse into the evening along with some other important details:

General Schedule:

- 5:00 pm - Doors open
- 5:15 pm - Social Hour & Appetizers
- 6:00 pm - Dinner
- 7:00 pm - Testimony Panel current and future ministry leaders followed by a time of giving
- 8:00 pm – Depart

Tickets are \$50 a seat or buy a whole table for \$350 (8 seats). You can buy tickets for the night here:

<https://inspirationhills.campbrainregistration.com/> or call the office @ [712-986-5193](tel:712-986-5193)

SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS

You are cordially invited to attend the Hands On Hearts In Campaign project dedication and groundbreaking ceremony to be held at Unity Christian High School on Wednesday, October 14, 2026, at 10:00 AM.

Prayers for our Church Family

*Please pray for Melissa, Mike and Bev's daughter, as she was hospitalized with pancreatitis this past week, but thankfully she was able to go home on Friday.

*Pray that the infection in Danielle's leg continues to heal completely.

*Carmen had a serious accident and has some severe injuries. Pray for healing.

*Aaron had a feeding tube put in and all went well with the procedure.

*Leon as he will be having a bypass surgery.

*Joe Bootsma had a couple of procedures this week and they didn't go well. Pray for healing and his family as they come along to support him.

*Jose, the 8-year-old son of two of our English class students, will be having heart surgery in October. He was born with a heart defect, and this will be his 3rd heart surgery.

*Melissa (Karen's daughter) has a secondary heart block. May the Lord be with them as they make decisions.

*Ed Griffeson (Karen's brother) has more cancer in his leg and will be starting treatment on Monday.

Continue to pray for those in our **church family:

Bev Baumgarn, Evelyn Runia, Chris Morris, Scott Arneson, Arnie & Mary Braaksma, Clarence Jilderda, Danielle and her mom, Travaille family, Ruth Grotenhuis, Crista Smidt, Janie Vande Griend(surgery on Oct. 6)

Prayers for **family and friends of our church family:

Aaron Teerink, Abby (Katie's S-I-L, stem cell procedure), Bob and EJ (B-I-Ls to Janie)

Missionaries and Ministries We Support

- Lauren and Connie Runia
- Mike and Megan Ribbens
- Mark K. family
- Cornerstone Prison Church
- Northern Lighthouse
- Jeff & Chelsea Lampen

THE COUNCIL FOR 2025-2026

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**Announcements for the bulletin must
be in by Wednesday afternoon.**

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Jeff & Janie Vande Griend – Outreach
Carol Smidt – Prayer
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Mark K. family
Jeff and Chelsea Lampen
Cornerstone Prison Church

GENERAL INFORMATION

Baptism is administered as requested
Communion observed Maundy Thursday
& the second Sunday of each month,
(subject to change as needed)

If an event is cancelled due to
weather, please check your
email or KIWA for updates.