


Following
 *Jesus*
together in mission
as His *love* 
transforms
lives for God's glory

First
REFORMED  **CHURCH**
with a
VISION *for* *Cultural Influence*
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February 18, 2018
Traditional Service – 8:15am
Contemporary Service – 10:30am

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PRELUDE

Julie Sonnentag

WELCOME

HYMN #17 – *"Our Great Savior"*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: *Holy and loving God, forgive me for my lack of mercy to others, despite the mercy You have shown to me. Forgive me for my reluctance to forgive others, despite Your willingness to forgive me again and again. Help me experience the cleansing freedom that comes with being forgiven and forgiving others. Amen.*

WORDS OF ASSURANCE: Acts 10:43

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Choir

"All That Thrills My Soul"

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

HYMN #337 – *"Nothing But The Blood"*

SERMON

Jim Green

"HEAD – HEART – HANDS"

John 13:17; Mark 11:25; Luke 6:37

OFFERTORY

HYMN #604 – *"I Then Shall Live"*

BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG #78 – *"I Love You, Lord"*

I love you, Lord, and I lift my voice
To worship You, O my soul, rejoice!
Take joy, my King, in what You hear:
May it be a sweet, sweet sound in Your ear.

CONTEMPORARY SERVICE – 10:30am

PRELUDE

"This Is Amazing Grace"

WELCOME

"The River"

"Same Power"

PRAYER

"Revelation Song"

SERMON

"HEAD – HEART – HANDS"

Jim Green

John 13:17; Mark 11:25; Luke 6:37

OFFERTORY

"We Believe"

BENEDICTION

WELCOME

Welcome to worship on this first Sunday in Lent.
May our faith be strengthened during this time.

VISITORS

We especially want to welcome you to our service today.
Please be sure to fill out the Welcome Card that is in the bulletin.
A special welcome to Jim Green from Campus Life as he shares
with us from God's Word this morning.

Please turn off any pagers or cell phones.

THIS WEEK

TODAY:

8:15am Traditional Service
9:30am Sunday School and
Ambassadors Class
10:30am Contemporary Service

TUESDAY:

6:45pm Choir

WEDNESDAY:

6:30pm Promiseland, Believe and
CrossCenter

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PASTOR'S SCHEDULE UPDATE:

Pastor Brad will be on vacation February 14-20.

GOOD SHEPHERD MEAL

Our church is the host church for the Good Shepherd Meal on February 27. We will need table servers, gallons of milk, and cakes. The sign-up sheets are on the table.

GREETING CARDS

Carol Debbink is no longer able to handle the greeting card ministry. If anyone is willing to take over the ordering of the boxes of cards to keep this ministry going, Carol is willing to show you how she does it. If you are interested please contact the church office.

VBS

Mark your calendars! VBS will be held June 18-22 this year. Any questions contact Jenny Kappers 207-5559.

H.J. & ELIZABETH HANSEN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP:

Scholarship information and forms for one or two scholarships is available for high school seniors who actively participate in church life at First Reformed Church, Sheboygan Falls and who will be pursuing an education at a four year accredited college or university. Please pick up a form along with the instruction sheets (there are 3 pages total to pick up) from the top of the mailboxes by the church office or at the guidance office at SFHS. The scholarships are the H.J. & Elizabeth

Hansen Memorial Scholarship - \$500.00. Forms should be returned to the office at the First Reformed Church by Sunday March 11, 2018. Send to: Outside of school scholarship c/o Betty Kuplic, First Reformed Church Office, 527 Giddings Ave., Sheboygan Falls, WI 53085.

YOUTH MINISTRIES

Promiseland (1st -5th grades):

Feb. 21 - 6:30pm

Feb. 28 - 6:30pm

Believe (Middle School):

Feb. 21 - 6:30pm

Feb. 28 - 6:30pm

CrossCenter (High School):

Feb. 21 - 6:30pm Nick & Meg have snack

Feb. 23-25 Silver Birch Ranch retreat

Feb. 28 - 6:30pm

2018 ELDER/DEACON DISTRICTS:

A-B Steve Stoffregen, Dave Herwig

C-G Aaron Lund, Lee Lohuis

H-I Mark Kappers, Henry Fritsch

J-L Dan Van Wyk, Rick Blaha

M-On Jim Kuplic, Mark Bimmel

Ot-R Gary Ten Haken, Dave Stoffregen

S-Ten Dick Huibregtse, Jeff Born

Th-Vee Steve Wilterdink, John Buehler

Vel-Z Dennis Meerdink, Doug Fabian

COMMUNITY EVENTS

CHILD DEVELOPMENT DAY

The School District of Sheboygan Falls will be conducting Child Development Day on Wednesday, March 7, 2018, between the hours of 8:00 AM and 6:00 PM. Child Development Day will provide families with the opportunity to learn more about the level of their child's growth and development, promote awareness of community resources available for families of young children, and identify any children in need of additional assessment in any of the developmental areas. We encourage the participation of parents with children between the ages of 2 years, 9 months and 5 years of age who have not entered either four or five year old kindergarten. For more information or to schedule an appointment for Child Development Day, call Student Services at 467-7894 between the hours of 7:45 AM and 3:45 PM. There is no cost to your family.

GOOD FELLOWSHIP LUNCHEON

Whether you experienced a recent loss, or one years ago, we welcome you to join us for a social gathering, simply to dine amongst friends instead of eating alone. There is NO agenda, just a time together in a relaxed atmosphere with good food and good conversation with old friends and new. Organized and hosted by Wenig Funeral Homes, one of our funeral directors will reserve tables and dine with the attendees. Wednesday, March 7, 2018 11:30am - 1pm at Falls Café 1118 Plankview Green Blvd. Please call if you are planning to attend by Tuesday, March 6, 2018. (920-467-3431) Dutch Treat (order off the menu and pay on your own). We hope to see you there!

PINE HAVEN IS HIRING

We have both full and part-time positions in dining Services and for clinical staff (CNAs, RAs, and nurses). You can apply online at www.pinehaven.org/careers/

PRAISE AND PRAYER PAGE

To add a request to the page for yourself, or for a family member or friend, simply contact the church office by phone, or by email, or by leaving a note. And, in addition to prayer requests, we'd also like to list opportunities to praise God for His goodness in our lives.

- **Tom Fahrbach** was released from the hospital and is recovering at home following a car accident.
- **CrossCenter** – winter retreat Feb. 23-25 at Silver Birch Ranch

- **Mission of the week – The Bible League**

- Our sympathy is extended to **Carol Debbink** and her family on the passing of her husband, Paul, this past week. May God bring you comfort at this time of loss.

HEAD - HEART - HANDS

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If you know these things, happy (blessed) are you if you do them. – John 13:17

Forgiveness is the _____ to _____ a person from the _____ that resulted when they injured you.

And whenever you stand praying, forgive, if you have anything against anyone, so that your Father also who is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses. – Mark 11:25

We need to forgive _____, for _____, all of the _____.

Forgiveness is not an _____ issue, it's a _____ issue.

Judge not, and you will not be judged; condemn not, and you will not be condemned; forgive, and you will be forgiven. – Luke 6:37

This is the CRISIS - I _____ to forgive.

This is the PROCESS – How I will forgive.

- *I won't bring it up to _____ anymore.*
- *I won't bring it up to _____ anymore.*
- *I won't bring it up to _____ anymore.*

Unforgiveness is like drinking _____ and expecting the other person to _____.

Forgiveness, it's not in the _____, it's in the _____.

MISSION STATEMENT

OUR VISION

Following Jesus together in mission as His love transforms lives for God's glory.

OUR MISSION

At First Reformed Church of Sheboygan Falls, through the leading of the Lord, we seek to:

Live with Jesus, seeking the greatness of God through worship, the Bible, and prayer, in unity with the Lord and with each other.

Live like Jesus, seeking to glorify God and fulfill His kingdom mission of transformation in the power of the Holy Spirit.

Live for Jesus, seeking to share the good news of the gospel and make disciples of all nations.

MINISTERING TODAY

NEXT SUNDAY

GREETERS	Service #1	Gary & Janice Ten Haken Curt & Sheila Teunissen	Leon & Lin Wilterdink Dale & Beth Wingert
	Service #2	Lee & Katie Veldkamp Dave & Sue Wessel	Ning Zhang, Tong Wang Dennis & Kris Beach
NURSERY	Service #1	Katie Fabian, Brianna Van Wyk	Julie Huibregtse
	Service #2	Kim Beeck, Julia Beeck	Rachel Houwers, Sophia Houwers
CAMERA	Service #1	Jon Fritsch	Brianna Van Wyk
	Service #2	Steve Beeck	Dan Otte
SOUND	Service #1	Ken Van Wyk	Gary Ten Haken
	Service #2	Ken Van Wyk	Jared Veenendaal
GREET/ASSIST PEOPLE	After 1 st Service	Jeff Van Wyk	Greg Middlesworth
CHILDREN'S SERMON	2 nd & 4 th Sundays of the month at 2 nd service		Wayne LeMahieu
USHERS FOR THE MONTH	Each Sunday in FEBRUARY	Service #1: Ken Born Dennis Beach Jeff Van Wyk	Service #2: Lee Lohuis

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