

## **SECOND'S MATTERS**

**September 13, 2023**



**Second Church  
of Fremont**

*Knowing Christ, Making Christ Known*

### **Sunday, September 17**

Pastor Adam Sculnick will be leading us in worship. His message "Finding Joy Always" is based on Philippians 4:11-13. The greeters will be Ryan and Katie Boven. There will be a children's noisy coin offering for Upward Basketball program.

### **Pre-Service Prayer**

Everyone is invited to join with others in the Fireside Room/Library at 9:05 am each Sunday morning for prayer. We share requests, read a portion of scripture, and have a time of silent and verbal prayer. Praying silently or out loud is your choice and no one is made to feel uncomfortable. If this is something you would like to try, please join us. We want you to know how welcome you will be.

### **Sunday, September 17- Community Worship Service at 5:00p at First CRC**

#### **Our Church Family**

#### **From Pastor Adam**

"Hey Second family,

While away from you all this week, I'm praying that God is working big time in your lives, and that you are able to pause and see all that He's doing. I'm excited to be back with you soon and cannot wait to share yet another of the big things that we are working on. This time it involves our children's programming. Make sure that you are in church Sunday to hear something that gets me so excited that I can hardly stand it. For now, I will simply say this, We need volunteers to work with boys and with girls in grades 1-8 beginning in October. My wife and I will be sharing more about what was placed on our hearts by the Lord for the kids of Second Church and of Fremont in an informational meeting after Sunday school September 24th. If you're curious, stick around that day, but I'll be making the announcement this Sunday and then giving us all as a family a week to plan to be there for the big roll out of details. This is big for us as a church, it's big for our community, and it's big for the Kingdom of God.

That's all for now. God's peace to each of you until I see you next.

In Christ,

**Pastor Adam"**

**Wayne Vogel** will be having surgery today to relieve pressure on his spinal cord after having increased pain and loss of some leg function. Please keep Wayne and Karen in your prayers.

#### **Community Announcements**

#### **DIRECTORY CORRECTION / ADDITION**

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#### **Prayer Partners**

Look for information about your student this week in your box!! A meet and greet will be held on Sunday, September 17!

#### **Bible Study, October 15**

Join us for six weeks this fall to study "The Hole in Our Gospel" by Richard Stearns. Jesus didn't just save us from something- He saved us for something. Stearns challenges us with this question: What does God expect of us? Details- Begins Sunday, October 15, extends for 6 weeks, ending November 19. Time is 6:00-7:15. You will receive a book and study guide; there is no cost. There are suggested chapters to read each week, but it is not necessary. Please join us!!

### **Harvest Table**

If you have garden produce you are willing to share, please bring it to church on Sunday morning and place it on the harvest table in the lobby. Members and guests are invited to take it home.

### **Coffee Break, 2023**

Coffee Break Bible Study will begin meeting Tuesday, September 19, from 9:30-11 am at the Second Christian Reformed Church, 600 Apache Drive. Coffee Break is for women of all ages. No Bible knowledge is necessary. We will be studying the book of Romans and study guides will be available at the first meeting. If you want to "grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ," consider Coffee Break. Questions? Contact Doris Broekema (286-8490) or Karen Admiraal (335-2285).



**Looking for Sunday morning** coffee cookie bakers for October and November. Sign up on the coffee counter.

### **Kid's Hope**

Second Church has the unique opportunity to be a blessing to a child in our local elementary schools. If you have one hour, once a week throughout the school year to share you could be that blessing! Our Kids Hope program is urgently in need of more adults to mentor students in 1st-5th grades for this school year. Please see Chelsea Breuker or Stephanie DeKuiper for further details.

### **ARO Shoe Boxes**

It's not too early to think about filling shoeboxes for Appalachia Reach Out in Inez, KY! The beginning of another school year is a perfect time to also pick up school supplies for your Christmas shoes boxes. We'll let you know later when the boxes will be available.

### **Bible League Volunteers**

Singers wanted! 3rd annual Ole Fashion Hymn Sing Saturday, October 7th @ 7:00 pm to be held at The Shack 2263 W 14th, White Cloud. in either the OK Corral or The Livery, depending on weather. Free will offering for Bible League to provide Bibles to waiting Christians. Sweet treats to follow provided by The Shack.

### **Offering Information**

Our Deacons encourage our support to our congregation's financial obligations through our offerings. Donations can be mailed to the church at 600 Apache Drive or submitted online via bank account or card at this link: [Online Giving](#). If you wish to give to Christian Education or Faith Promise online, then download the "GivePlus" app.

*Special envelope offerings for Sept are:*

*Sept 17 – Resonate World Missions*

*Sept. 24 – Fremont Service Committee*

### **Stock the Pantry**

For September, the requested food items are peanut butter and jelly. Items can be dropped off at church or directly at TrueNorth.

### **SECOND CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH**

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