

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Due to scheduling conflicts, we will ordain and install Elders & Deacons on January 11.

Elders: Don De Weerd, Harwin Te Slaa, & Les Vander Tuin. Deacons: Cody Kiers, Isaiah Richter, & Justin Wissink. Please keep the entire 2026 Consistory in your prayers as they begin a new year of service at Hull FRC.

Ross Van Kley's ordination and installation is Sunday, January 11, at 4:00pm. A reception will follow the service in the Fellowship Hall.

You are invited to the Community Meal on Wednesday, January 14, from 5:15-6:45pm in the Fellowship Hall. The menu is: Spaghetti, Garlic Bread, and Salad Bar. We always have a great assortment of salads at this meal. If you are willing to donate a salad, please add your name to the sign up sheet on the Connections Table. The meal is free and open to the public.

Family Fun Night at Kid's Avenue: Bring the family for an evening of play and community connection at Kid's Avenue in Hull (Main Street - across from the church) on Saturday, January 17, from 4-6:30pm. The event is geared toward kindergartners and under. The cost per family is \$10 and pizza will be provided.

Join us for The Well as guest speaker, Chris Yaw, the women's basketball coach at Northwestern College, speaks on Hardship & Hope: A Call to Witness, on Sunday, January 18, at 6pm at Hull FRC.

All guys high school age guys and older are invited to Monday Night Men's Bible Study on January 19. We'll begin with a meal together at 6:30pm followed by our study time at 7pm.

The date has been set for the Annual Church Auction! Put Monday, February 23, 2026, on your calendar for an evening of fun, fellowship, and fundraising! A freewill donation pork burger meal will precede the auction. The money raised will be divided between updating the old part of the church basement and lighting in the sanctuary.

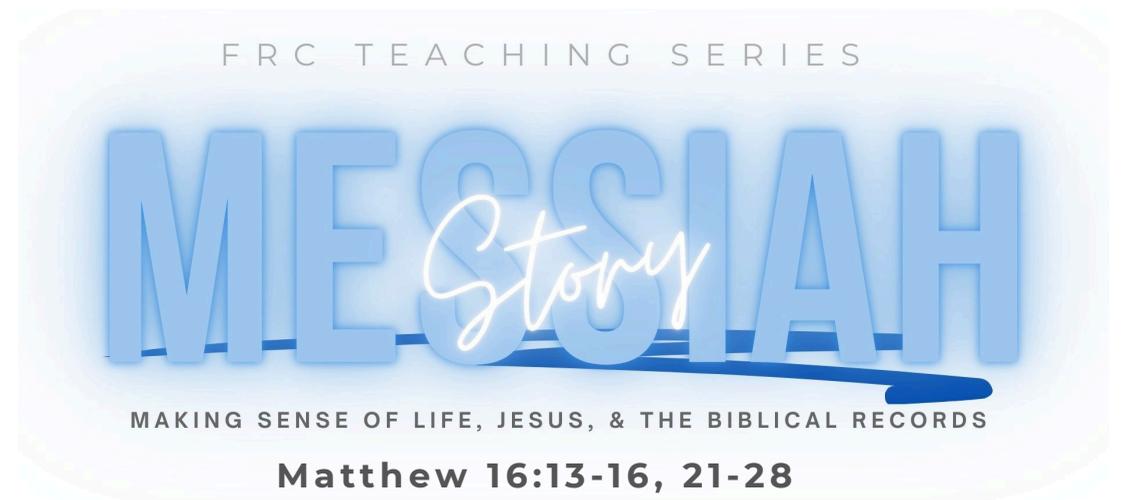
Pastor Adam is offering an Old Testament Sunday school class at 11am on January 11 & 25, and a New Testament class starting January 18. Anyone who would like to attend is welcome!

Interested in Praise Team? Hey FRC, I'm working on organizing praise teams for the coming year. If you haven't been a part of praise team, but would like to get involved, please reach out! 779-279-3868 or ross@hullfrc.org – Ross Van Kley

Thank you for all the Christmas wishes, for the carolers coming to my house to sing, and thanks for the fruit basket and goodies. I am so blessed and God is so good! JoAnn Westra

Please note! To contact John & Julia Vander Ploeg, use this cell number: 605-366-6668. They no longer have a landline.

Dear friends at First Reformed, Thank you for the many ways you have blessed our patients and community over the last years. We are so grateful for your generosity and compassion. Have a blessed Christmas Season. The medical team at Promise Community Health



January 4, 2026

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MINISTRY

NURSERY

Today Jeanette Bonestroo Family
Next Week Kelley Crawford Family

CHILDREN IN WORSHIP (3 Y.O.-K)

Today Leader: Nikki Zylstra
Greeters: Nakia Moser & Susan Moser
Message: Follow Me

Next Week Leader: Ashlie Saavedra
Greeters: Rosita Andres & Destiny Klarenbeek
Message: The Mustard Seed

GREETERS

Today Les & Bridget V.T.; Don & Joyce O.; Arlan & Glenda B.
Next Week Arvin & Lauri B.; Glenn & Jeanette B.; Bruce & Linda E.

YOUTH MINISTRIES SNACK ROTATION

ROCK No snacks needed until 1/21.
Adv. Club 1/7 Charlotte L; Case S.
Refuge No snacks needed until 1/25.

PRAYERS

Barb Van Es, Lori Smit, Karen Zoet, Cathy Birkeland, Taylyn Vander Schaaf, and Carol Nelson are undergoing cancer treatments.

Update on Carol Nelson: I am doing well. I've had some side effects from the cancer drug, but they are minor. My blood work has all been good and my kidney numbers look better than they have in a few years! In January, I will have a CT scan.

Our sympathies to Ross & Olivia Van Kley and their family on the passing away of their grandma, Hilda Krommendyk.

Our sympathies to Darin & Janelle De Wit and their family on the passing away of Janelle's mom, Arlis De Weerd.

EllaJean Kooiker is recovering from back surgery.

Betty Bonestroo is home following hospitalization.

Cory Bloemendaal is deployed to the Middle East. Brittney can give you his address.

Congratulations to Leah Rozeboom and Tim Kaltenberger who were married on Friday, December 26.

WORSHIP

Approaching God

Welcome

Call to Worship: James 1:2-4

- #591 "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" vs. 1
- "Behold Our God"
- "What a Beautiful Name"

Greeting

Congregational Prayer

Offering

Children In Worship Blessing

Encountering God

Message: The Messiah Story
The Messiah Identity Revealed
Matthew 16:13-16, 21-28 page 1524

***Next Week:** Matthew 17:1-11 page 1524

Responding to God

Response Song

- #591 "Have Thine Own Way, Lord"
vs. 1, 2, 4

Doxology

THE WEEK AHEAD

TODAY

- o Children In Worship
- o Sunday School
- o Fellowship Hall being used in the afternoon

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, January 5

- o 6:30pm Executive Team meeting
- o 7pm Worship Team meeting
- o 7pm Impact Team meeting

Wednesday, January 7

- o 7pm Adventure Club
- o 7pm Sanctuary Choir practice
- o 7-9pm ESL Class
- o 7:30 ROCK - The Awakening 2 at the Grain House

Thursday, January 8

- o 9:30am Women's Bible Study

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, January 11

- o Ordination & Installation of Elders & Deacons
- o Children In Worship
- o 11am Pastor Adam's SS Class (OT)
- o 4pm Ross Van Kley's Ordination & Installation (reception following)
- o 7pm Refuge

Monday, January 12

- o 10am Aspen Heights Bible Study
- o 7pm Elders' meeting
- o 7pm Deacons' meeting
- o 8:30pm Consistory meeting

PASTOR ADAM'S OFFICE HOURS

Monday : 9:00am - 12:00pm / 1:00pm - 2:30pm

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Wednesday: 9:00am - 12:00pm

Thursday: 11:00am - 3:00pm

Friday: 9:00am - 12:00pm

Saturday: Sabbath

Sunday: Worship Service(s)

SERMON NOTES