

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Congratulations to Ashlie Saavedra, graduating from Northwestern College, with a degree in Elementary Education and minors in special education and reading. She will be teaching Kindergarten at Rock Valley Christian School.

The FREE Community Meal is Wednesday, May 13, from 5:15-6:45 pm. The menu is: tavern, coney dogs, chips, coleslaw, and ice cream. Don De Weerd's care group will serve the meal. All are welcome to attend. *Free garden and house plants will be available at the meal.*

Empowering Parents in the Digital World: Wednesday, May 13, at 7:00 pm at Boyden-Hull HS Theater. Be part of the decisions that shape our community. Speakers: Rev. Aaron Baart, Tara Boer (both on staff at Dordt University), and Deputy Jacob Harmelink, School Resource Officer.

Promise Baby Bundles. Wednesday, May 13, is the final day to bring donations for new families at Promise Community Health Center. Needs at this time are reusable water bottles, baby wipes, infant thermometers, shower gel, shampoo, and conditioner.

Join us for an inspiring evening of praise and worship on Sunday, May 17, at 6:00 pm at The Well featuring guest speaker Marissa Pottebaum. Marissa is going to be sharing her testimony about trusting God's plan for her life. Hope to see you there!

Hull FRC will be hosting a "Ladies' Night Out" on Thursday, May 21, from 6:00-9:00 pm at church. All gals high school age and above are welcome. Join us for a few games, Bible study, a craft, visiting, and have some desserts (gluten-free option available).

Volunteers are needed at the Hull Food Pantry (Community Bldg. basement) on Wednesday, May 27, from 5:00-6:00 pm. Questions? Contact Jim Verdoorn, Arlyn De Wild, or Kelly Jansma.

Worship in the Park! Sunday, May 31, at Westside Park in Hull. Sign up at the Connections Table if you can bring breakfast treats (bagels, muffins, breads) for our fellowship time before the worship service. Remember to bring a lawn chair!

Schedule: 9:00am: Breakfast Treats, Coffee & Juice
10:00am: Worship
11:15am: Freewill Donation Meal. Activities for kids following the meal!

Hull VBS! Sunday-Thursday, May 31-June 4, 6:00-8:30 pm. A meal will be served Mon.-Thur. evening at 5:30 pm for students and volunteers. Closing program is June 4 at 7:30 pm.

Cradle Roll Enrollment: An informational flyer about an opportunity to enroll kids in Cradle Roll and support Promise Community Health was placed in your mailbox. Put completed forms in the slot in the Connections Table by Monday, June 1. We'll honor enrolled children Sunday, June 14.

Tri-State Teens Encounter Christ (TEC) weekend is June 19-21 at the First Reformed Church in Rock Valley. TEC is a retreat for high schoolers to learn more about their faith. To register, visit www.TriStateTEC.org or email TriStateTEC@gmail.com. Cost is \$50 and includes a t-shirt and other special gifts. Scholarships are available upon request.

Memorial Day poppies are available to honor our servicemen. If you would like to provide a donation for poppies, stop by local businesses or call LuAnn De Wild at 712-541-7254.

April Income: \$49,952.04

April Expenses: \$79,966.55

MAKE IT MAKE SENSE

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MAY 10, 2026

OBEYING JESUS. PRIORITIZING PEOPLE. STRENGTHENING OUR COMMUNITY.

CONNECT

911 2nd Street, Hull, IA
Monday-Thursday from
9am-12pm / 1pm-3pm
Friday from 8am-10am
hullfrc@mtcnet.net
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Consistory Leadership

Dwayne Van Leeuwen (1st VP of Consistory)
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Dave Frick (Deacon Chair)
dave.frick68@gmail.com

MINISTRY

NURSERY

Today Janelle De Wit Family
Next Week April Ellens Family

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

Today Children In Worship will not meet. (Mother's Day)
Next Week Leader: Ashlie Saavedra
Celebration of Children In Worship

GREETERS

Today Jennifer & Ashlie S.; Dan & Renae P.;
Matt & Kait S.
Next Week Arvin & Lauri B.; Dwayne & Gayle V.L.;
Don & Norma S.

PRAYERS

Hester De Jongh, Lori Smit, Karen Zoet, Cathy Birkeland, Taylyn Vander Schaaf, Carol Nielsen, and Josh Miller are undergoing cancer treatments.

Our sympathies to Pam Van Sloten on the passing away of her brother-in-law, Henry (Hank) Schelling.

Ken Vander Stouwe is recovering from a recent heart attack.

Tom Ellens is being deployed to the Middle East.

WORSHIP

Approaching God

Welcome

Call to Worship

- "All the Way My Savior Leads Me" / "I Will Trust My Savior Jesus"
- "Way Maker"
- "You Keep Your Promises"

Greeting

Congregational Prayer

Baptism: Braxton Anthony Bullock

Offering: "The Blessing" Bullock Family

Encountering God

Message: Make it Make Sense
God's Timing (& Ours)
Ecclesiastes 3 page 1037

***Next Week:** Ecclesiastes 4 page 1038

Responding to God

Testimony of God's Timing

Heather Vande Keift

Song: "You Knit Me Together"

Charlotte & Heather Vande Kieft

Response Song

- "The Goodness of Jesus"

Doxology

THE WEEK AHEAD

TODAY *Mother's Day*

- o Baptism: Braxton Bullock
- o Children In Worship will not meet.
- o 11:30am Fellowship Hall being used

UPCOMING EVENTS

Monday, May 11

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

Wednesday, May 13

- o 10am Consistory Room being used
- o 5:15-6:45pm Community Meal
- o 7-9pm ESL Class (final week)

Thursday, May 14

- o 9:30am Women's Bible Study
- o 6:30-7:15pm Community Leaders' Discernment meeting

Friday, May 15

- o 7:45am FCA

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday, May 16

- o 4-6pm Fellowship Hall being used

Sunday, May 17

- o Honor our high school and CIW graduates
- o Consistory Update
- o Children In Worship (final)
- o 6pm The Well: Guest Speaker: Marissa Pottebaum

Monday, May 18

- Monday Night Men's Bible Study
 - 6:30pm Meal
 - 7pm Bible Study

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