

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Schaller, Iowa
April 13, 2025

10:00 A.M.
Palm Sunday

Rev. Duane Queen

PRELUDE

Janice Ploeger, Organist

CANDLELIGHTING

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Elder

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Elder

Leader: Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the Lord.

People: **Hosanna in the highest!**

Leader: Rejoice greatly, O daughter of Zion.

People: **Shout aloud, O daughter of Jerusalem!**

Leder: Lo, your king comes to you;

People: **Triumphant and victorious is he,**

Leader: Humble and riding on a donkey,

People: **on a colt, the foal of a donkey.**

All: **Hosanna in the highest!**

*HYMN "Hosanna, Laud Hosanna"

#174

INVOCATION

(IN UNISON)

Rev. Queen

Merciful God, as we enter Holy Week and gather at Your house of prayer, turn our hearts again to Jerusalem, to the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ, that united with Christ and all the faithful we may one day enter in triumph the city not made by human hands, the new Jerusalem, eternal in the heavens, where with You and the Holy Spirit, Christ lives in glory forever. Amen.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (UNISON)

Elder

O Lord, who on this day entered the rebellious city which later rejected You; we confess that our wills are as rebellious as Jerusalem's, that our faith is often more show than substance, that our hearts are in need of cleansing. Have mercy on us, Son of David, Savior of our lives. Help us to lay at Your feet all that we have and all that we are, trusting You to forgive what is sinful, to hear what is broken, to welcome our praises, and to receive us as Your own. (Time of silent prayer) Amen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Rev. Queen

Pastor: Jesus said, "The one who comes to me I will not cast out." Know therefore that the sins we sincerely confess are forgiven by the power and in the name of Jesus Christ; and now a new life begins for us in Jesus' way! Go, and sin no more!

*GLORIA PATRI

#623

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Old Testament: Zechariah 9:9-10 (p. 1481)

Elder

Leader:

The Word of the Lord:

People:

Thanks be to God.

Gospel Lesson: Mark 11:1-10 (pgs. 1572-1573) Rev. Queen

Leader:

The Word of the Lord.

People:

Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN'S TIME

Rev. Queen

HYMN

"O Master Let Me Walk With Thee"

#451

SERMON "Jesus said, The Lord Has Need of It"

Rev. Queen

*APOSTLE'S CREED

MINUTE FOR MISSION (One Great Hour of Sharing see elsewhere)

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

Prayers of Intercession

The Lord's Prayer

Congregational Response #421 (Verse 1)

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY #625

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*HYM "All Glory, Laud and Honor" #173

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION SONG "Freely, Freely" (V. 1) #447

*EXTINGUISHING OF CANDLES

*POSTLUDE

(*Those who are able please stand.)

2025 PER CAPITA

2025 Per Capita amount is \$55.70. It is a very important way we can contribute to the operation and mission of the Presbyterian Church. Session encourages all members to contribute. Please mark your check "Per Capita".

PULPIT SUPPLY FOR MAY

May 4 Norman Prather (Ida Grove)
May 11th Cambria Kaltwasser (Orange City)
May 18th Norman Prather
May 25th Lue Baker (Manning)



NEW JOYS & CONCERNS:
The Lori (Madsen) Meyers Family

CONTINUING JOYS AND CONCERNS:

Rev. Michael
Our Church
Our Session
Bruce Mentzer
Dave & Karen Dimmick
Randy Leask
Carol Wendel
Rich Jorgensen and Barb
Melvin & Dorothy Ploeger
Carolyn Stille
Florene Cork
Terri Rininger
Wanda Jeppeson
Richard Morgan
Mark Diersen
Dexter Meseck
Ken Fells Jr.
Our Military

PRAYER FOR CHURCHES

April 13th 2025
Wheatland, Breda

April 20th 2025
Buena Vista University – Chaplain Dr. Melanie Hauser

Elder for April: Florene Cork

ANNOUNCEMENTS

April 2025

13	Sunday	Palm Sunday (Pulpit Supply Duane Queen)
	9:00 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00 a.m.	Worship
	4:00 p.m.	100 People Who Care
17	Thursday	Maundy Thursday (Pulpit Supply Ken Fells)
	7:00 p.m.	Maundy Thursday Communion Service
20	Sunday	Easter Sunday (Pulpit Supply Ken Fells)
	8:00 a.m.	Easter Sunrise Service
	9:00 a.m.	Easter Breakfast
21	Monday	7:00 p.m. Session Meeting
23	Wednesday	6:00 p.m. Ladies Fellowship
25	Friday	5:00-7:00 p.m. Visitation for Steve Schaefer
26	Saturday	10:30 a.m. Funeral Service for Steve Schaefer
27	Sunday	(Pulpit Supply Duane Queen & Senior Recognition)
	9:00 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:00 a.m.	Worship

Senior Recognition Sunday for our graduating senior, Clayton Jacobson. This will be a Potluck (no dessert) dinner after church. Cake will be provided by Christian Growth.

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Three Reasons Why Giving to One Great Hour of Sharing Makes a Difference

People's Lives Are Changed

You help real people in the U.S. and around the globe from disasters, fight systemic poverty and hunger, and develop the skills they need to transform their communities in ways only they know how.

We Are Called to be Repairers

Isaiah 58 says, "If you offer your food to the hungry and satisfy the needs of the afflicted . . . you shall be called repairers of the breach, the restorer of streets to live in."

We can do so much more together than individually.

Each of us can make an impact in a small way, but when we join together, through One Great Hour of Sharing, we can do so much more together to make a difference in the world.



The One Great Hour of Sharing Envelopes and Fish Coin Boxes can be found in the back of the Sanctuary through the season of Lent.

PLEASE mark your checks Presbyterian Church and in the memo line mark OGHS. Please give generously.

100 PEOPLE WHO CARE SAC COUNTY

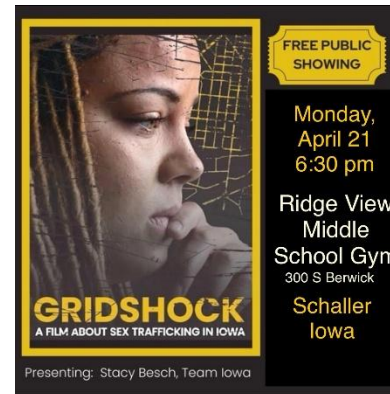
WHO: 100 People Who Care Sac County

WHAT: April Meeting

WHERE: Early United Methodist Church

WHEN: April 13th, 2025 at 4:00 p.m.

All are invited to 100 People Who Care Sac County – an organization making a difference through donations to charities/non-profits serving Sac County residents since October 2016.



HUMAN TRAFFICKING INFORMATION NIGHT

Stacy Besch will be presenting on Monday, April 21st at 6:30 p.m. at the Ridge View Middle School at 300 S. Berwick in Schaller.

Stacy has been traveling around the state of Iowa to get information about this horrific crime that is so prevalent

in the state of Iowa. She will be showing the movie Gridshock that is specific to our state. This presentation is recommended for youth and adults. I promise you that you will walk away from this event mind blown and disgusted but yet, informed and more aware.

If you have any questions, please contact Lori Lyons at 712-275-4232.

BIRTHDAY WISHES:

Daniel Langner (April 20th)
Anna Jacobson (April 21st)
Susan Diersen (April 22nd)
Gerrit VanDenTop (April 27th)

ANNIVERSARY WISHES:

04/18 Philip & Susan Diersen

