



# LYNNVILLE FRIENDS CHURCH

*Making Much of Jesus*

January, 2019

## From the Pastor's Desk...

Happy New Year

2018 is in the rear view mirror and as I look out the windshield 2019 awaits. What will this 2019 bring us? A July wedding awaits the Bogaard wedding. In fact this is the summer of the wedding as we have five already on the calendar!

Graduation awaits Andrea and then college in the fall. Missi and I will find ourselves empty nesters come September. A new chapter will be ushered in for us. What other changes will happen in 2019?

Change is inevitable. I find that some changes are good and easy to navigate and others are much more difficult. Life is constantly changing. What changes will happen in the life of Lynnville Friends in 2019? I hope that they are good and easy changes. I pray that God has growth in store for us as a church. I pray that each and every person enters into a season of spiritual growth with their heavenly father. I pray that we invite our friends and neighbors to experience life in Christ. I pray that God will lead those in our midst looking for a church home to Lynnville Friends. I pray that God brings us more young families. I pray that we have a better financial year at Lynnville Friends. I pray that we are able to complete some more updates to our facilities. I pray that we experience God in new and greater ways in our worship. I pray that more people step into leadership and servant positions.

I have a lot of things that I would love to see God do at Lynnville Friends in 2019. What are your prayers for you personally and for the life of the church? I invite you to pray that God does incredible things at Lynnville Friends in 2019. In twelve months I hope that we look back at all the opportunities that God gave to us that we jumped on with excitement. Here's to the road ahead in 2019.

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### Upcoming Greeters

January 6th  
Canopy: Lila Turnbull  
Front: Kyle & Tammy Terpstra

January 13th  
Canopy: Vernon Terlouw  
Front: Cory & Shawna Tice

January 20th  
Canopy: Bev Van Genderen  
Front: Lynn Van De Krol

January 27th  
Canopy: Dave & Bonnie Van  
Rees Front: Glenn & Coleen Van  
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## Nursery for January

January 6: Chris and Deb Merten

January 13: Ron & Vickie Nikkel

January 20: Pat Norman & Jr High student

January 27: Joel & Jen Rozendaal

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## Focus Items

### Calendar Items:

Jan. 2: No FOCUS

Jan. 9, 16, 23, 30: FOCUS

Jan. 9: deadline for FOCUS deposit and Winter Jam

Jan. 25: Winter Jam

Jan. 27: Youth Sunday

2019 Mission Trip: We will be going to Rapid City, South Dakota the week of July 21-27. A \$100 deposit for the mission trip will be due Wednesday, January 9. Please contact Jer with any questions or if concerns regarding funds by that date. Thanks!

Winter Jam: Grades 6-12. Friday, January 25, at Wells Fargo in Des Moines. Bands include Newsboys United, Danny Gokey, Mandisa, Rend Collective, Ledger, NewSong, Hollyn, Ty Brasel, Manic Drive, Dan Bremnes and Adam Agee. We are planning on the Jam Nation tickets again this year, which means more cost but no waiting outside. Doors open at 4:30 p.m. and concert starts at 7:00 p.m. Student cost is \$25. Tickets cannot be reassigned to other people, so if you back out, you will not be reimbursed the \$25. Order and payment deadline is Wednesday, January 9.

Youth Sunday: January 27. A signup sheet will be started in the FOCUS room on Wednesday night, January 9.

TEC: Teens Encounter Christ is being held March 1-3 at First Reformed Church in Sully. Students can go through that are entering their sophomore year through the summer following their senior year. Applications can be found at [www.centraliowatec.com](http://www.centraliowatec.com) or on the Central Iowa Teens Encounter Christ facebook page.

# Valentine's Dinner Fundraiser

Sunday, February 10, 2019

5:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Lynnville Friends Church – FCC Building

Free Childcare – FOCUS Room

Hosted by FOCUS Youth Group

Proceeds going toward the Rapid City, SD mission trip.

RSVP by Sunday, February 3, by placing this form in basket at the back of the sanctuary or go to:

<https://form.jotform.com/LFCFOCUS/Valentine19>



Cost is \$15 per person.

Kids' meals (12 & under) are \$7 per person.

Dine as a family or have a date night while children eat their meal and enjoy kids' activities in the FOCUS room.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address (if available): \_\_\_\_\_

Indicate number of entrees requested:

Ham: Adult = \_\_\_\_\_ Kids = \_\_\_\_\_

Chicken Supreme: Adult = \_\_\_\_\_ Kids = \_\_\_\_\_

Each meal is served with cheesy potatoes, green beans, cherry salad, dinner roll, and toffee brownie trifle dessert.

Select dine-in or carry-out and your reservation time:

Dine-In ( ) 5:00 ( ) 5:30 ( ) 6:00 ( ) 6:30 ( ) 7:00

Carry-Out ( ) 5:15 ( ) 5:45 ( ) 6:15 ( ) 6:45 ( ) 7:15

**We sincerely appreciate your support!**

Please fill out the section below, cut on the dotted line & bring it with you the night of the dinner.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Ham: Adult = \_\_\_\_\_ Kids = \_\_\_\_\_

Chicken: Adults = \_\_\_\_\_ Kids = \_\_\_\_\_

Reservation time: \_\_\_\_\_

December 2018 USFW

UNITED SOCIETY OF FRIENDS WOMEN

Our meeting was Monday, December 10<sup>th</sup> at 5:30p.m. at Lyn Kinney's home.

Betty Spangenburg, Regina Kaldenberg, and Lyn Kinney were in attendance.

We had open discussion. It was decided that there would be no meeting January 2019. Our state dues are due of \$5 for the year, starting in January.

A thank you card was read that Cheryl Hansen had sent Cheryl's sister, Vicki Shafer, had passed after several months of fighting cancer and being at U of Ia Hospitals for several months receiving blood platelets.

Home missions rep Vicki Nikkel had called concerning programs we had done several years ago, Plates of Cheer and the Mitten Tree.

Ronda Lanser will be issuing checks for the 5 gifts purchased from the First State Bank Christmas Tree.

Our next meeting will be the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday in February at 5:30 p.m. at Lyn Kinney's.

Prayerfully submitted,

Lyn Kinney



*Saturday*

**February 2**

5pm - 7pm

Lynnville Friends FGC

Chili & Cinnamon Rolls



Proceeds support Jasper County Food Pantry

Questions?? - 641-527-3371 or [friendschurch@netins.net](mailto:friendschurch@netins.net)

# JANUARY 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	Nate Vos 2	3	Jenna Allbee 4 Curt & Donna Zylstra	5
Tamara Terpstra 6	7	8	Kids 4 Christ and 9 Focus	Church Council 10 Meeting 7:00 Alexy Conover	Sherry Harthoorn 11 Bev Flander Dot Zylstra	Steve Beyer 12 Chris & Debbie Merten
13	Casey Harthoorn 14	Doug Terlouw 15	Kids 4 Christ and 16 Focus Ron & Maida Dunsbergen Brian & Monica Lanser	Elders Meeting 17 7:00 Carsten James	18	19
20	Lisa James 21	Ron & Vickie Nikkel 22	Kids 4 Christ and 23 Focus Matt Lanser	24	25	Brianna James 26
Marcile Ratcliff 27 Jocelyn Beyer	28	29	Kids 4 Christ and 30 Focus Reid Vos Kyle Terlouw	31		