

SUNDAY, October 30, 2016

HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Pre-Worship Prayer Time 9:10 AM; Worship 9:30 AM

RRC VISION STATEMENT: Riverview Reformed Church strives to be a bonded group of believers, spreading the Word of our Lord, and showing the Love of Jesus Christ to others by: Offering dynamic Christian Education; reaching out to our community; providing facilities for ministry; Building an involved close-knit congregation; and providing excellent congregational care.

PRAISE GOD

Prelude
Welcome
Life at RRC/Please sign the FRIENDSHIP PADS
*Greet One Another

*Praise Song - %o Be Gods People+
Almighty Father- give us a vision of a dying world that needs your love and care. We see the need, the yearning for a Savior, In Jesusname, grant this our prayer.

REFRAIN: To be God's people—in this place, - live His goodness, share His grace, - Proclaim God's mercy—through His Son, - be His love—to ev'ryone.

And when we falter- be Thou our comfort; guide us as Your children that our lives may be- A beacon in this darkness that surrounds us, A light that others then may see. *REFRAIN...*

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*Praise Song - %open the Eyes of My Heart+

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord; open the eyes of my heart. I want to see you, I want to see you. Open the eyes of my heart, Lord; open the eyes of my heart. I want to see you, I want to see you. To see you high and lifted up, shining in the light of your glory. Pour out your power and love, as we sing holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. I want to see you. Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. I want to see you.

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*Praise Song - %Shine, Jesus, Shine+

Lord, the light of Your love is shining in the midst of the darkness shining; Jesus, Light of the World, shine upon us, set us free by the truth You now bring us, shine on me, shine on me.

REFRAIN: Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory; Blaze, Spirit, blaze, set our hearts on fire. Flow, river flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy. Send forth Your Word, Lord, and let there be light.

Lord, I come to Your awesome presence, From the shadows into Your radiance; By the blood I may enter Your brightness, search me, try me, consume all my darkness, shine on me, shine on me. *REFRAIN...*

As we gaze on Your kingly brightness, So our faces display Your likeness; Ever changing from glory to glory, Mirror here may our lives tell Your story, shine on me, shine on me. *REFRAIN...*

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*Opening Prayer

*Opening Hymn #190 %We Bless the Name of Christ, the Lord+

Scripture Lesson - Psalm 34:1-8; 19-22

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Sacrament of Holy Baptism- Lainey Ann King, daughter of Adam & Carly

Children's Message
Pastoral Prayer /Lord's Prayer

Our Father, Who art in Heaven, Hallowed be Thy Name. Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, As we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Scripture - Matthew 5:7

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MESSAGE: "Living As the People of God"

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERTORY, Our response to God's Love

*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

*Offertory Prayer

*Closing Hymn #292 %Surely Goodness and Mercy+

*Benediction

*Choral Benediction %Go Now In Peace+

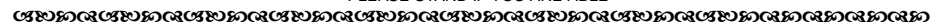
Go now in peace. Never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of ev'ry day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true. Know He will guide you in all you do. Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see. God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.

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Postlude

*PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE



ORGANIST: Marcie Kruse

PIANO: Teresa Gall

LAY LEADER: Alan Egge

GREETERS: Rich & Mary Wright, Alan & Sharon Egge

USHER: Robert Palsma

SOUND SYSTEM: Terry Poelstra

POWER POINT: Matthew Tjeerdsma

VIDEO: Richard Syring



WELCOME!

THANK YOU for being here this morning!! It was a joy being with you!
Please be sure to sign the attendance pads at the end of each pew.

If you are a visitor, please be sure to include your mailing address.
A Nursery Room for pre-schoolers and infants (ages 3 and under) is available during the Worship service down the south hallway.

A Children's Worship Bulletin is on the foyer table for any younger children to use during the Worship service.

You can see RRC Church Services broadcast on your Public Access Channels in Yankton on Saturday evenings at 7:00 PM.

Hearing Assistance Aids are available for those who are hard of hearing. They are located in the cabinet on the back wall of the sanctuary.

PLEASE HELP RECYCLE BULLETINS If you do not wish to take your morning worship bulletins home with you, please place them in the white basket in the back of the church to be recycled. Please help us clean up the sanctuary following the service. Thank you

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD Donations of small toys for both boys and girls; personal hygiene items, such as toothpaste, toothbrushes, etc; School supplies, such as crayons, tablets, pencils, color books are being requested. If you do not wish to put a box together this year, we are asking for CASH Donations, to help buy supplies to pack boxes. **During the congregational meeting on November 6, the children, ages preschool thru high school, will put together boxes with the donated supplies.**

Families and individuals are also encouraged to put together their own boxes at home. We will then have a BLESSING OF THE BOXES+during the morning service on Sunday, November 13. We ask that ALL boxes being donated to Operation Christmas Child be here for the morning service on November 13.

FAMILY BIBLE ADVENTURE SCHEDULE for the remainder of 2016: November 13 & 20, 10:00-10:30 FBA and 10:30-11:00 AM Christmas Program Rehearsal; December 4- Christmas Program Rehearsal only (No FBA); December 11 Christmas Program 9:30 -10:00 AM (NO FBA stations- children will remain in church); December 18- 10:00-11:00 AM FBA. **NOTE: A volunteer is needed for the activity station for FBA on November 13. Please sign up on the foyer table.**

Mercy Meals Community pack for Haiti, Saturday, November 19. In early October, Hurricane Matthew devastated parts of Haiti. Mercy Meals of Yankton will be hosting a community packing event on Saturday, November 19. We will pack in 4 shifts at 9:00 AM, 11:00AM, 1:00PM and 3:00PM. Packing will be at the Mercy Meals location at Calvary Baptist Church, 2407 Broadway. To make sure we have space for you, your family, or a group you would like to put together, please e-mail at info@mercymealsyankton.org or call 605-260-0293 to let us know what shift you would like to participate in. Free will offerings will be accepted to help defer some of the cost for the shipping and dry product that will be packed.

NOMINEES FOR CONSISTORY FOR 2017: For Elder- Shane Bertsch & Kevin DeJong (we will be electing 1 new elder); For Deacon- Jon Egge, Kathy Guthmiller, Brian Hamberger, Diane Pinkelman (we will be electing 3 new deacons- 2 for 3 year terms & 1 for 1 year term to fill vacated spot eligible for re-election next year) Election will be held next Sunday during the Congregational Meeting. **Absentee ballots are available** in the secretary office, if you cannot be here next Sunday for the meeting.

Ladies Night Out Monday, November 14, at 5:30 PM. Eating at Luigis, the new Italian restaurant on Broadway. There is a sign up sheet on the foyer table for those planning to attend.

The Yankton Community Holiday Feast would like to invite you and your family and friends to the 21st Annual Yankton Community Holiday Feast, Wednesday, November 23, from 4:30- 7:00 PM at the Calvary Baptist Church, 2407 Broadway. Volunteers are also needed to work; donations of turkeys, dressing, and pies are needed; Cash donations are accepted. Please contact Donna Madson at 760-3170 if you are willing to volunteer. A freewill donation box is available at the feast for those who would like to contribute, but the Holiday Feast is free of charge.

MISSION FOR NOVEMBER The Mission Team will be collecting non-perishable food items for the Contact Center thru the next 3 weekends. The items will be taken to the Contact Center the week of Thanksgiving. Bring your donations at any time.

Upcoming Fundraising events at Avera Sacred Heart: Nov. 3- Masquerade Jewelry from 10 AM- 5:30 PM; Nov. 18- Christmas Vendor Fair from 10 AM- 4 PM; Dec. 6&7- Collective Goods (Books are Fun) Vendor Fair.

God will be speaking to you today, but it won't be by cell phone. **Please** turn yours off or set to vibrate, during the service

Caring Bridge Site for Sally Tjeerdsma is available at Caring Bridge.org.

"...if my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land." 2 Chronicles 7:14

"But select capable men from all the people—men who fear God, trustworthy men who hate dishonest gain—and appoint them as officials over thousands, hundreds, fifties and tens." Exodus 18:21

Consistory is recommending a change in the bylaws: The annual meeting of the church shall be usually held on the 2nd Sunday in January after having been announced at the regular worship service on two successive Sundays immediately preceding the meeting. A request for agenda items will be made of the congregation four weeks before a congregational meeting.+ Currently the By-laws state the first Sunday of November. This is to allow the Deacons more time to develop a more accurate budget, and enhance the transition of new and old Consistory members.

CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK: www.facebook.com/riverviewreformedchurch

COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, October 30

9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel
9:30 AM Worship
10:45 AM ADULT Sunday School
10:45 AM Church membership Class

Monday, October 31

7:00 PM DWS Meeting
7:00 PM Boy Scouts

Tuesday, November 1

12:15 - 12:45 PM Time of Prayer

Wednesday, November 2

7:00 PM Sr. High Youth Group

Thursday, November 3

6:15 AM Women's Bible Study

Friday, November 4

7:00 PM AI Anon Meeting

Saturday, November 5

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM Girl Scout Event at RRC

Next Sunday, November 6

9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel
9:30 AM Worship
Lay Worship Leader - Rich Wright
Ministry in Music- Volunteers Welcome
Greeters. Haaks & Sally Tjeerdsma
Usher- Dianne Selchert
Sound System Manager - Todd Carr
Power Point- Matthew Tjeerdsma
Videographer- Alan Egge
Opening Church- Sharon Auch-Bylander
Cookie Providers- Volunteers welcome, but not necessary
HyVee Card Sales- Sharon Auch-Bylander

10:45 AM CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

(Children meet to put together Operation Christmas Child boxes)
POTLUCK to follow the meeting

EACH TUESDAY from 12:15- 12:45 PM, a time of prayer is being held in the Church Library. Everyone is invited to come and spend a time of prayer with others. If this is during your lunch time, please feel free to bring your lunch along

Sign up for **Ministry of Music** for November through December is on the foyer table. PLEASE sign up for a date that is convenient for you!! We welcome all talent/musicians...new and old

LIFE AT RRC

You may e-mail messages to the church office at rprc@iw.net E-mails directly to Pastor Rod may be sent to revrod@iw.net Check out our website at Riverviewreformed.org there you can submit Prayer Requests and Calendar Additions. You can also view the weekly bulletin on our web page (Minus the prayer concerns).

Offering for the month

Oct. 2: Regular Offering - \$3080.00; Building - \$195.00; Missions - \$30
Oct. 9: Regular Offering - \$3108.67; Building - \$50.00
Oct. 16: Regular Offering - \$3214.00; Building - \$175.00
Oct. 23: Regular Offering - \$2250.20; Building - \$20.00

Offering envelopes available in the foyer for general & building fund donations

To fully support the budget, offerings need to average \$4100 weekly

Don't forget- HyVee Cards...a fundraiser for the building fund. For each card sold, 5% comes back to RRC- an easy way to increase your giving to the building fund without increasing your cost. **Cards are available for \$50 and \$100.** Make checks payable to RRC-BF (or Riverview Reformed Church Building Fund). **\$25 cards are also available.**

RRC has a texting system, which will send out mass texts, to include prayer chain items and scheduling notifications, such as if church is cancelled due to weather in the winter. If you would like to be a part of this texting system, please indicate so when you fill out the attendance pads with the cell number you wish the text to go to and please specify %ADD to texting list+; OR you may sign up yourselves by texting **Riverview Reformed** to **781-728-9542** and it will automatically add you to the system **There is also a special "texting group" for teens & young adults**

Looking ahead to November, EARTH will meet here the 12th & 19th, Helpers are needed. Please contact the church office if you are willing to help.

Afternoon Women's Bible Study? If anyone is interested in attending an afternoon Women's Bible Study, please contact Sharon Egge. Let her know if you would like to use the Bible Study currently being used by the 6:15 AM Bible Study Ladies, or another Bible Study, and how often you would like to meet.

Please utilize the following links: Please use these tools as we seek to continue the work of Christian discipleship, even when you are not physically able to attend worship, or be present for the Family Bible Adventure.

New City Catechism: <http://www.newcitycatechism.com/home.php>

Keys for Kids: <http://www.keysforkids.org/For-Kids/Keys-for-Kids/Read-Listen>

Both of these programs come with applications that run on a Smart Phone. If you want a portable version please use that style of application. It is the desire of the elders and leaders of the church to move our Christian Discipleship from the classroom to everyday life. You may access the churches wifi (belkin.14b) with the login 4e69862e.

Don't forget about Poinsettia's Help decorate the church for Christmas by purchasing a poinsettia, with proceeds going to the Yankton County Child Protection Team. Order forms are available on the foyer counter. Please place the orders, along with your money/check in the box on the foyer table. Orders will be taken thru this morning yet.