

SUNDAY, MARCH 12, 2017

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 - %My Peace+

My peace I give unto you, it's a peace that the world cannot give; It's a peace that the world cannot understand, peace to know, peace to live, my peace I give unto you.

My love I give unto you, it's a love that the world cannot give; It's a love that the world cannot understand, love to know, love to live, my love I give unto you.

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- *Praise Song - %You Are My King (Amazing Love)+
I'm forgiven because you were forsaken. I'm accepted; you were condemned. I'm alive and well, your Spirit is within me because you died and rose again. Amazing love, how can it be that you, my King, would die for me? Amazing love, I know it's true; it's my joy to honor you. In all I do I honor 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
- *Hymn #105 %That Beautiful Name+
- Scripture Lesson - Psalm 27

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HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

- 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.

Ministry of Music - Betty Larsen

Scripture - Luke 19:1-10

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MESSAGE: "Living Life on Purpose"

GIVE TO GOD

- OFFERTORY, Our response to God's Love
- *Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)
- *Offertory Prayer
- *Closing Hymn #374 %Jesus Calls Us+
- *Benediction
- *Choral Benediction %Go Now In Peace+
Go now in peace. Never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of every 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

- ORGANIST:** Marcie Kruse **PIANO:** Dixie Church
- LAY LEADER:** Colleen Palmer
- GREETERS:** Dorothea Hoebelheinrich; Yvonne Swensen
- USHER:** Tim O'Hara **SOUND SYSTEM:** Loren Haak
- POWER POINT:** Matthew Tjeerdsma **VIDEO:** Shirley Hoxeng

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

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

Thank you to Betty Larsen, accompanied by Dixie Church, for the Ministry in Music this morning.

Birthdays & Anniversaries: to all NEW members, or adherents, who have not yet given us your family birthdates, or anniversary dates, please feel free to call the church office, or you may write your information down on the attendance pads as you sign in. Every monthly calendar that is published includes the birthdays and anniversaries of that month, and we want to be sure to include everyone who attends RRC.

The New 2017 Directory is in everyone's mailboxes. Please be sure to pick them up, and check them over. Please be sure your addresses, phone numbers, and all information is correct. If changes or corrections need to be made, please contact the church office, so the corrections can be printed in the Sunday bulletins for all to note.

Urban Plunge One of the projects for this Summer's Jr Hi Youth Group Urban Plunge to Lincoln, NE, will be collecting donations for care kits+they plan to distribute to the homeless or those who would have need of them. We will be starting a collection of the following: Hygiene and comfort items such as toothpaste, toothbrushes, hotel shampoos and conditioners, washcloths, hard candies, deodorant, hair ties, bracelets, bars of soap, etc. There will be a box in the foyer for donations thru the end of June. Please feel free to donate.

NEEDED: help for Palm Sunday! Colleen Palmer has been in charge of the decorating and the Palm Recessional for the past few years for Palm Sunday. She is unable to be here this year. We are looking for someone willing to be in charge of 1) picking up the Palms (already ordered) from HyVee on Sat. Apr. 8...2) decorating the church with the Palms (on Sat, Apr. 8)...and 3) coordinating the kids on Sunday morning to do the Palm processional. It would be great if someone who has helped in the past be in charge this year. Please contact the church office if you are willing to do this.

ALSO NEEDED: Someone to be in charge of the Easter Egg Hunt for the children on Easter Sunday. We are looking for someone to be in charge of collecting the candy, filling the eggs, and coordinating the hunt on Easter morning. We will not ask for candy donations until we have a volunteer to be in charge. Contact the church office if you would like to be in charge of the egg hunt this year.

March 15 Youth Family Night Event Come enjoy a night at the archery center. This is sponsored by the Youth Group, but EVERYONE is welcome. Cost is \$10.00. No archers under 5 years old, under 8 only with supervision. Fun activities, fun competition, free shoot time. If you have questions, please talk with Pastor Rod or Michelle Carlson. There is a sign up sheet on the foyer table, so they know how many to expect. PLEASE be sure to sign up!

Please include on March Birthday calendar: Brooke Nordman, March 19.

March 24 is Alitha Peterson's 98th Birthday. Birthday cards/wishes may be sent to her at the Good Samaritan Center, 130 6th St, Scotland, SD 57059

Birthday Cake is being served today after church in honor of Sherry Oares' 80th birthday tomorrow, March 13, and Rose Hoebelheinrich's 2nd birthday today, March 12 (Alan & Sharon Egge & Dorothea Hoebelheinrich's granddaughter).

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

Donations accepted: With Kyle Kuipers recently having surgery again to repair a hernia and move his stoma, and now infection complications, he will be out of work at least a month again. If anyone would like to assist them financially, you can make a donation through the regular offering, or on line, but be sure to designate it for the Kuipers. Thank you

Check out the "thank you" from Dominick Woodraska, the boy we helped raise \$\$ for to send to Space Camp for the Blind. There is a written letter, (by his mother), and a note that Dominick wrote to us in Braille. It is located on the bulletin board on the south end of the Fellowship Hall.

Thank you so much to our entire church family for all of the care, support, & generosity during Kyle's health battle these past 2 years, but especially during this last surgery! We have felt all the prayers and know that God hears them and has great things in store! We thank you for continued prayers for healing and strength. ~~ The Kuipers Family

COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, March 12

9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel
9:30 AM Worship service
10:00 AM Family Bible Adventure
10:45 AM Adult Sunday School

Monday, March 13

7:00 PM DWS
7:00 PM Boy Scouts

Tuesday, March 14

12:15 - 12:45 PM Time of Prayer
5:30 PM Ladies Night Out at El Tapitio (by Wendy☞)
7:00 PM Consistory Meeting

Wednesday, March 15

7:00 PM Youth Group Family Activity at the Archery Center
7:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 16

6:15 AM Women's Bible Study
7:00 PM Mystery Book Club Meeting

Friday, March 17

7:00 PM AI Anon Meeting

Next Sunday, March 19

9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel
9:30 AM Worship
Lay Worship Leader . Dave Reck
Ministry in Music. Volunteers welcome
Greeters. Arda Hoffman & Dixie Church
Usher- Rod Gall
Sound System Manager- Terry Poelstra
Power Point- Matthew Tjeerdsma
Videographer- Alan Egge
Opening Church- Colleen Palmer
Cookie Providers- Volunteers welcome
HyVee Card Sales- Colleen Palmer
10:00 AM Family Bible Adventure
10:45 AM Adult Sunday School

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LIFE AT RRC

Sign ups for **Ministry of Music and Cookie donations** for March- April 2017 are on the foyer table. PLEASE sign up for a date that is convenient for you!! We welcome all talent/musicians for music...new and old

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

Feb. 12: Regular Offering - \$2163.00; Building - \$90.00
Feb. 19: Regular Offering - \$3318.83; Building - \$320.00
Feb. 26: Regular Offering - \$2133.00; Building - \$90.00; Missions \$550
Mar. 5: Regular Offering - \$2866.35; Building - \$130.00; Missions- \$480
Offering envelopes available in the foyer for general & building fund donations

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

UPDATE FROM THE DEACONS: Maturity Date on Loan w/First Dakota- October 2026. We are paid ahead of the Oct. 2026 Maturity Date. It is a 15 year loan that began in 2011 and carries a 4.25% interest rate. The monthly payment is \$1,688. Loan started off in 2008 at \$275,000. The past 4 years of loan totals at the end of each year are as follows: 2013 \$175,000; 2014 \$150,000; 2015 \$142,000; 2016 \$133,000.

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, and \$25.** Make checks payable to RRC-BF (or Riverview Reformed Church Building Fund).

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

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.

You can now make a contribution to Riverview Reformed Church with a quick text message! Simply send a text to 605-857-8115 with the amount you would like to contribute. Make sure to include the dollar sign before the amount. (Example \$25) Within a few minutes, you'll be sent a text with a link to register. Click on the link and enter your cardholder name and credit or debit card information. Once your registration is complete, you will receive a text verification and a receipt via email. For future giving, simply send a text with the amount you wish to give, and it will process automatically!

NEXT LADIES NIGHT OUT Tuesday, March 14 at 5:30 PM at El Tapitio (the Mexican Restaurant by Wendy☞) A sign up sheet is available in the foyer.

Message from the Deacons: This summer we have 13 teens and 3 adults attending Rocky Mountain High and between 8-12 people attending Urban Plunge. Historically the church budget has provided \$100.00 per teen/child attending a camp or event. This year we will be sending almost twice as many teens to an event as we have in the past. If you would like to donate specifically to this effort, please talk to one of the Deacons.