

SUNDAY, MAY 28, 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 - The Sweetest Name of All+

Jesus, You are the sweetest name of all. Jesus, You always hear me when I call, Oh, Jesus, You pick me up each time I fall, You are the sweetest, the sweetest name of all.

Jesus, how I love to praise Your name. Jesus, You are still the first, the last, the same. Oh, Jesus, You died and took away my shame, You are the sweetest, the sweetest name of all.

Jesus, You are the soon and coming King. Jesus, we need the love that You can bring. Oh, Jesus, we lift our voices up and sing, You are the sweetest, the sweetest name of all.

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*Praise Song - Shout to the Lord+

My Jesus, my Savior, Lord, there is none like you. All of my days, I want to praise the wonders of your mighty love. My comfort, my shelter, tower of refuge and strength, let every breath, all that I am never cease to worship you. Shout to the Lord, all the earth, let us sing. power and majesty, praise to the King. Mountains bow down and the seas will roar at the sound of your name. I sing for joy at the work of your hands: forever I love you, forever I stand. Nothing compares to the promise I have in you.

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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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*Opening Prayer

*Hymn #529 My Country, 'Tis of Thee+

Scripture Lesson - Psalm 47

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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 in Music - Garret & Mason Foley

New City Catechism

Scripture - Deuteronomy 4:1-14

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MESSAGE: *"Living Right Side Up in an Upside Down World"*

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERTORY, Our response to God's Love

*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

*Offertory Prayer

*Closing Hymn #392 Jesus, I Have Promised+

*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

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ORGANIST: Bobbi Jo Carr

PIANO: Marcie Kruse

LAY LEADER: Colleen Palmer

GREETERS: Kyle & Lisa Kuipers, Yvonne Swensen

USHER: Alan Egge

SOUND SYSTEM: Terry Poelstra

POWER POINT: Matthew Tjeerdsma

VIDEO: Dan Sanow

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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

RRC is proposing to get an AED (Automated External Defibrillator) for the church, at a cost of approximately \$1,000. If you would like to see one purchased for the church, we are asking for donations/contributions to help pay for it. Please talk with a Deacon, or indicate your check/donation is for the AED device.

BROOCHES NEEDED: Marissa Kuipers is getting married this fall and is making a brooch bouquet instead of using flowers. If you have brooches that you would like to contribute to her bouquet, it would be meaningful to her to have some from her church family. They will be returned if anyone wants them back. Please give to Lisa Kuipers if you have any you wish to contribute. Thanks!

VBS Thank you to everyone who helped out in any way with Vacation Bible School, which was held as a Day Camp, this past Wednesday.

America's #1 Bluegrass Band, The FARM HANDS QUARTET, will be coming to the area to present a gospel program on Sunday, June 18, at 7:00 PM. These Grand Ole Opry veterans from Nashville, TN, have been named Bluegrass Entertainers of the Year and Bluegrass Gospel Band of the Year, along with receiving numerous other awards. **Emmanuel Reformed Church of Springfield, SD** (1112 College St) has the privilege of hosting this special event. There is no admission charge, but a freewill love offering will be taken to help defray the group's expenses.

Women's Morning Bible Study available in June

We will begin a 7 week Bible Study at 6:30 AM in June. We had been doing Thursday mornings, but will find out which morning works best for those that would like to attend. The study is Sip, Savor, and Drink Deeply. Receive God's Overflowing Gifts by Deb Burma. Please contact Lisa Kuipers and let her know if you are interested in joining the study and she will order books. Postcards about the study are on the counter in the foyer.

The Women's Afternoon Bible Study will meet Thursday, June 8 at 2:00 PM with Chapter 8 & Conclusion. There will be no meeting in July and August.

Next Ladies Night Out Tuesday, June 6, 5:30 PM at the Big River Burrito Company (100 S. Douglas Street). Following the meal, attendees can go to the Amphitheater at Riverside Park for the Summer Band Concert. A sign up sheet is on the foyer table, so they know who to expect.

We have access to many wonderful books in our Church Library, which is located on the south end of the building. Be sure to always take a look, feel free to check a book out to read at home, bring back when you are done, and find another.

Thank you to Garret & Mason Foley, grandsons of Dale & Janice Van Gerpen, for their Ministry in Music this morning.

Thank you to everyone who helped make the Fundraiser at Pizza Ranch a success for the Youth Group. Between pizza sales and tips, the check received totaled \$645.57.

Pastor Rod & Deb will be on vacation, beginning this afternoon thru June 9. If any emergencies or concerns should arise during Pastor Rod's absence, please contact the church office or one of the Elders.

COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, May 28

9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel
9:30 AM Worship service
Pastor Rod leaves on vacation in the afternoon

Monday, May 29 Memorial Day

CHURCH OFFICES CLOSED

Tuesday, May 30

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton Distribution
12:15 . 12:45 PM Time of Prayer

Thursday, June 1

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton Distribution

Friday, June 2

7:00 PM AI Anon Meeting

Saturday, June 3

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton Distribution

Next Sunday, June 4

9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel
9:30 AM Worship with Communion
Pulpit Supply- Calvin Ver Mulm
Lay Worship Leader - Alan Egge
Ministry in Music. Volunteers welcome
Greeters. Dorothea Hoebelheinrich & Sally Tjeerdsma
Usher- Robert Palsma
Sound System Manager- Todd Carr
Power Point- Hambergers
Videographer- Shirley Hoxeng
Opening Church- Sharon Auch-Bylander
HyVee Card Sales- Sharon Auch-Bylander
Cookie Providers- Dot Schaefer & Martha Mark

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LIFE AT RRC

Sign ups for **Ministry of Music and Cookie donations** for April thru August 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

Apr. 30: Regular Offering - \$3133.81; Building - \$90.00
May 7: Regular Offering - \$2393.00; Building - \$85.00; Missions - \$790
May 14: Regular Offering - \$2341.00; Building - \$200.00; Missions - \$20
May 21: Regular Offering - \$1928.17; Building - \$150.00; Missions - \$165
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://newcitycatechism.com/> (NOTE NEW ADDRESS)

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 will 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!

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.

Feeding America/Yankton Distribution from RRC has begun with distribution every Tuesday, Thursday, & Saturday mornings from 8:30- 9:30 AM by the Feeding America organization. Anyone can come and check out the food items.