SUNDAY, August 13, 2017

9:10 AM Preservice Prayertime - 9:30 AM Worship

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 closeknit congregation; and providing excellent congregational care.

PRAISE GOD

Prelude

Welcome

Life at RRC/Please sign the FRIENDSHIP PADS

*Greet One Another

*Praise Song - "Bless This House"

Bless this house O Lord, we pray, make it safe by night and day. Bless these walls so firm and stout, keeping want and trouble out. Bless the roof and chimneys tall, let Thy peace lie over all. Bless this door that it may prove ever open to joy and love. Bless these windows shining bright, letting in God's heav'nly light. Bless the hearth ablazing there with smoke ascending like a prayer. Bless the people here within, keep them pure and free from sin. Bless us all that we may be—fit O Lord, to dwell with the. Bless us all that one day we may dwell, O Lord, with Thee.

*Praise Song - "White as Snow"

White as snow, white as snow, though my sins were as scarlet; Lord, I know, Lord, I know, that I'm clean and forgiven. Thru the power of Your blood, Thru the wonder of Your love, Thru faith in You I know that I can be—white as snow. CCLI License No. 1222159

*Praise Song - "Lamb of God"

Your only Son, no sin to hide, but You have sent Him from Your side, to walk upon this guilty sod, and to become the Lamb of God.

REFRAIN: O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God, I love the holy Lamb of God! O wash me in His precious blood my Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.

Your gift of love, they crucified, they laughed and scorned Him as He died, the humble King they named a fraud and sacrificed the lamb of God. REFRAIN...

I was so lost, I should have died, but You have brought me to Your side, to be led by Your staff and rod, and to be called a lamb of God. REFRAIN...

*Opening Praver

*Opening Hymn #37 "How Great Thou Art"

Scripture Lesson - Psalm 111

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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.

New City Catechism

Scripture Lesson - Ephesians 3:1-13

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MESSAGE: "The Mystery of Christ"

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERTORY, Our Response to God's Love

*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

*Offertory Prayer

CELEBRATION OF OUR LORD'S SUPPER

(All persons who have made profession of faith in Jesus Christ in any Christian Church, are invited to partake of the elements as we celebrate the Lord's Supper.)

Sharing of the Elements

Communion Thanksgiving "He Is Exalted"

He is exalted, The King is exalted on high; I will praise Him. He is exalted, forever exalted and I will praise His name! He is the Lord. Forever His truth shall reign. Heaven and earth rejoice in His holy name. He is exalted. The King is exalted 1985 Straightway Music (ASCAP) (a div. of EMI Christian Music Publishing) / Mountain Spring Music (Admin. by EMI Christian Music Publishing) CCLI License 1222159

*Closing Hymn #314 "I Am Thine, O Lord"

*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.

Postlude

*PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE

ORGANIST: Teresa Gall PIANIST: Patty Stuelpnagel LAY WORSHIP LEADER: Dorothea Hoebelheinrich GREETERS: Kyle & Lisa Kuipers; Dixie Church USHER: Colleen Palmer SOUND SYSTEM: Todd Carr POWER POINT: Ethan Bradwisch VIDEO: Richard Syring HYVEE CARD SALES: Yvonne Swensen

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 include your address.

A Nursery 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 fover 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.

"When two of you get together on anything at all on earth and make a prayer of it, my father in heaven goes into action. And when two or three of you are together because of me, you can be sure that I'll be there". Matthew 18:20 (the Message) Join us for prayer time at 9:10 AM on Sunday mornings in the Chapel Area and at 12:15 PM on Tuesdays in the Library

Request to those using the Nursery If you know your children have been playing in the nursery, please see that before leaving, toys are cleaned up and put away. Thanks for your help!!

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.

Memory Garden Valerie Bradwisch is requesting help this fall, when it comes time to "winterize" the plants for winter. Please keep this in mind. You may contact her for details of when and what needs to be done. It has grown and there are many plants to deal with. Help would be appreciated.

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.

Cornerstone Prison Church Faith Fellowship Weekend (Sioux Falls) Friday, Sept. 22—6:8 PM and Saturday/Sunday, Sept. 23 & 24—7:15 AM—4:00 PM each day. The theme for the weekend is "formula for Successful Living". Join us for worship, large group talks and small group discussions. The deadline for signing up is Thursday, Sept. 7. Let us know if you can attend all or part of the weekend. If you would like more information or to sign up, please contact office@cornerstonepcsd.org or call 605-496-8152.

NEW SCHEDULES for Lay Leaders, Greeters, Power Point, Videographers, etc, etc, for September—December are in your church mailboxes. Please be sure to pick them up and take them home, and mark your scheduled dates on your calendar. These new schedules will begin in 3 weeks.

Looking Ahead: Mark your calendars— Scrapbooking Fundraiser to help fund our Missionary! Friday and Saturday OCTOBER 13 & 14. Friday, October 13 from 5 PM to 1 AM and Saturday, October 14 from 7 AM to 6 PM. \$40 per table. If you are not a scrapbooker, you can organize all your photos, recipes, etc. We would love to have you join us. Proceeds go to missions. Please talk with Gina Haak if you would like to reserve a table.

Barn Quilt Displays August 14—September 30 are the dates for this year's self -guided barn quilt displays. A publishing of the 83 homes, 6 churches, and 40 businesses on this year's tour will be available at HyVee, Four Season Fabric, SassyCat Quilting, and the Yankton Chamber of Commerce. The pamphlet and additional detailed narrative list will also be available through a link on the Riverboat Days and Yankton Area Arts web pages.

T.E.C. (Teens Encounter Christ) will be held at Calvary Baptist Church, this fall, November 10-12. A brochure and registration sheets are available by the church offices. This is for teenagers, who have completed their Freshman year in high school through the year after HS graduation. Cost is \$48 per weekend. There is also a registration for an ADULT TEAM to help out with the TEC weekends. TEC members strongly encourage teenagers and adults from RRC to participate, as it is a very meaningful experience. If you have questions, you can call Mike Diede at 605-664-1388

WOMEN'S AFTERNOON BIBLE STUDY There will be a Women's Afternoon Bible Study again from September—May on the 2nd Thursday of each month. Sharon Egge & Diane Pinkelman will be available the next 2 Sundays to show study books they are considering using. ANYONE interested in attending the afternoon Bible Study is encouraged to find Sharon & Diane and help preview and pick out the study that will be used.

Our Sympathy to Bob & Bev Attema, following the death of Bev's sister, Darlene, this past Monday. Her funeral was held in Michigan.

.CHURCH DIRECTORY CHANGES:

New Address for Betty Bender

Oakview Terrace, 510 E. 8th St., PO Box 370, Freeman, SD 57029

NOTE PHONE CHANGE FOR DIRECTORY: Alan & Sharon Egge no longer have their land line phone number of 665-9414. Cell phone numbers are Sharon 661-7148 and Alan 660-2831

New address for Dick Hudson

101 Deer Blvd, Apt. 1 - Yankton, SD

COMING EVENTS... This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, August 13

9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel 9:30 AM Worship service with Communion

Monday, August 14

7:00 PM Boy Scouts

Tuesday, August 15

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

Thursday, August 17

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton Distribution 7:00 PM Mystery Book Club Meeting

Friday, August 18

7:00 PM Al Anon Meeting

Saturday, August 19

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton Distribution

Next Sunday, August 20

9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel 9:30 AM Worship

Lay Worship Leader - Colleen Palmer Ministry in Music- Volunteers welcome

Greeters- Dorothea Hoebelheinrich & Carlsons

Usher—Kevin DeJong

Sound System Manager—Rod Gall

Power Point— Joey Andrews

Videographer—Dan Sanow

Opening Church—Jean Prater

HyVee Card Sales—Jean Prater

Cookie Providers—Volunteers welcome

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

LIFEATRRC

Sign ups for **Ministry of Music and Cookie donations** for 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. New schedules to sign up for September— December are also available.

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

July 16: Regular Offering - \$2106.25; Building - \$90.00; Missions—\$25

July 23: Regular Offering - \$2073.00; Building - \$120.00 July 30: Regular Offering - \$3143.00; Building - \$250.00

August 6: Regular Offering - \$2374.00; Building - \$235; Missions - \$30 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.

<u>Don't forget</u>—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 **River**-view **Reformed** to **781-728-9542** and it will automatically add you to the system

<u>Please utilize the following links:</u> 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://newcitycatechism.com/ (NOTE NEW ADDRESS)
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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!

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.

Walk a Mile in Her Shoes is scheduled for August 26 at Fantle Memorial Park. To register yourself to walk, or a team to walk, please call 665 -4811.