# SUNDAY, February 11, 2018

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

<u>RRC VISION STATEMENT:</u> 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 - "To Be God's 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 Jesus' name, 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...* 

\*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 case 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'll love you, forever I'll stand. Nothing compares to the promise I have in you.coll license No 1222159

\*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. I want to see you.

\*Opening Prayer

\*Hymn #483 "O How I Love Jesus"

Scripture Lesson - Psalm 41

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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 - Matthew 18:23-35

MESSAGE: "The Wonder of Grace"

### GIVE TO GOD

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OFFERTORY, Our response to God's Love

\*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

\*Offertory Prayer

\*Closing Hymn #366 "Give Me Thy Heart"

\*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

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ORGANIST: Marcie Kruse PIANO: Dixie Church

LAY LEADER: Michelle Andrews

GREETERS: Loren & Gina Haak: Tim & Valerie Bradwisch

USHER: Robert Palsma SOUND SYSTEM: Rod Gall POWER POINT: Tyler Carlson VIDEO: Shirley Hoxeng

HYVEE CARDS: Jean Prater

# **WELCOME!**

<u>THANK YOU</u> for being here this morning!! It was a joy being with you! <u>Please be sure to sign the attendance pads at the end of each pew.</u> If you are a visitor, please be sure to include your mailing address.

<u>A Nursery Room</u> for pre-schoolers and infants (ages 3 and under) is available during the Worship service down the south hallway.

<u>A Children's Worship Bulletin</u> 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.

<u>PLEASE HELP RECYCLE BULLETINS</u> 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.

<u>LOOKING AHEAD—HELP NEEDED</u>, February 24 & March 10, (March 3 has a volunteer already) ERTH will meet here at RRC from 1-2 PM each Saturday. Help is needed to unlock the building, prepare beverages, help serve and clean up and lock up. If you are able to help with one or all of the dates, please let the office know.

**A Mission Committee Meeting** is scheduled for the 1st Sunday in March, (March 4) immediately following the worship service.

<u>Charlie Jackson</u> will be celebrating his birthday on February 16. There is a birthday card on the foyer counter for anyone wanting to sign it, to send Charlie birthday greetings. It will be mailed to him this week.

EASTER LILY ORDERS Orders for Easter Lilies are again being taken to help decorate the Sanctuary for Easter morning, while supporting the Yankton County Child Protection Team. Order forms are available in your bulletins. Please put your order AND money, in the box on the foyer counter. ALL orders need to be in by Next Sunday, February 18, as they need to be placed with the Child Protection President by Monday morning, February 19.

**2018 Church Directory** is printed and in your church mailboxes. Please check them over carefully. If there are any corrections that need to be made, please contact the church office, so corrections may be printed in the next bulletins. **Please take double note** as several people have changed phone numbers, or have gotten rid of their landlines and only use cell phones.

**UPCOMING FAITH-BASED MOVIES** On the foyer counter is a brochure from the local Movie Theater, with possible upcoming Faith Based Movies coming to the Yankton Movie Theater to watch for and attend.

<u>When two of you get together</u> 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) Be sure to join us for prayer time at 9:10 AM each Sunday morning in the Chapel Area, 12:15 PM each Tuesday in the Church Library, or 6:45 PM each Wednesday "At the Cross" (or in the sanctuary if weather is bad)

**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 **662-200-4303** 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: <a href="http://newcitycatechism.com/">http://newcitycatechism.com/</a> (NOTE NEW ADDRESS)
Keys for Kids: <a href="http://www.keysforkids.org/For-Kids/Keys-for-Kids/Read-Listen">http://www.keysforkids.org/For-Kids/Keys-for-Kids/Read-Listen</a>
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.

**Prayer Group** A group meets in the High School Tennis parking lot on Wednesday mornings at 6:15 AM to walk around the high school while praying for the Yankton School District for 30 minutes each week. Talk to Lisa Kuipers if you have any questions.

At the Cross:

A silent prayer walk is held at our church at 6:45 PM every Wednesday.

Come as you are. We meet outside "at the cross". We walk silently around our church for under 15 minutes. We walk to pray for our Pastor's future and for our future Pastor. We walk to pray for discernment. We walk to pray for our future church and for our future church members. Every person of every denomination or no current denomination is welcome. We walk to pray with you for your unspoken prayers. We all know someone in need. IF YOU CANNOT BE HERE AT THE CROSS, please feel free to take 15 minutes of silent prayer in your home or wherever you are, with us, from 6:45-7:00 PM. WHEN THE WEATHER IS TOO COLD OR SNOWY, we will meet in the Sanctuary

. We have access to many wonderful books in our Church Library. Be sure to check out the library, and feel free to check out a book

Our Sympathy to Geraldine & Gary Schnabel & family, after the death of Geraldine's brother, Harry Opp, who's funeral was held yesterday in Underwood. MN.

# COMING EVENTS... This week at RRC

## Today, Sunday, February 11

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, February 12

7:00 PM Divorced, Widowed, Separated Meeting

7:00 PM Consistory meeting

7:00 PM Boy Scouts

## Tuesday, February 13

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton Distribution

12:15 PM Prayer Time

## Wednesday, February 14

6:45 PM At the Cross Prayer Walk

7:00 PM Youth Group

### Thursday, February 15

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton Distribution

2:00 PM Women's Bible Study (rescheduled from this past Thursday)

7:00 PM Mystery Book Club Meeting

### Friday, February 16

6:15 AM Women's Bible Study

6:30—9:00 PM "Be Still" Women's Retreat

7:00 PM Al Anon Meeting

## Saturday, February 17

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton Distribution

9:00 AM-3:00 PM "Be Still" Women's Retreat

## Next Sunday, February 18

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

9:30 AM Worship

Lay Worship Leader - Alan Egge

Ministry in Music- Volunteers Welcome

Greeters- JoAnn Bartlett, Roger & Betty Larsen

Usher—Dianne Selchert

Sound System Manager—Tim Bradwisch

Power Point—Logan Smallwood

Videographer—Richard Syring

Opening Church—Egges

HyVee Card Sales—Colleen Palmer

Cookie Providers—Martha Mark

10:00 AM Family Bible Adventure

10:45 AM Adult Sunday School

## Check us out on Facebook: www.facebook.com/riverviewreformedchurch

# LIFE AT RRC

**Sign ups** for **Ministry of Music and Cookie donations** for February—April 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 should 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).

#### **WEEKLY OFFERINGS:**

Jan. 14: Regular Offering - \$3223.00; Building - \$50.00

Jan. 21: Regular Offering - \$2330.56; Building - \$150.00

Jan. 28: Regular Offering - 3013.83; Building - \$245.00

Feb. 4: Regular Offering - \$2631.00; Building - \$140.00; Missions - \$30.00 Offering envelopes available in the foyer for general & building fund donations

To fully support the budget, offerings need to average \$4100 weekly <a href="Don't forget">Don't forget</a>—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).

**Retirement Plan** It was discussed and approved at the January 9 Consistory Meeting Pastor Rod's retirement timeline. June 3, 2018 will be Pastor Rod's last Sunday service here at RRC. There will be a retirement celebration planned prior to that date, yet to be determined.

**Be Still** Women's retreat scheduled for Friday, Feb 16 (6:30-9:00 PM) & Saturday, Feb. 17 (9:00 AM—3:00 PM). **Registration forms may be found on the foyer table. Be sure to register! Cost is \$40 now or at the door**. We will "Be Still" and gather together to hear God's amazing word for each of us, inspire us, stir us, move us through the words of our speaker, Tera Elness. Friday evening session will include a Dessert bar and Saturdays session will include a light breakfast, take-away project, and noon lunch. Registrations can be given to Diane Pinkelman.

**Soup Kitchen next Wednesday!!** Wednesday, FEBRUARY 21, 2018, serving from 4—7 PM. Sign up sheets are available!!!. We need donations of food, money and WORKERS!!

**The NEXT Ladies Night Out** will be Tuesday, February 27, 5:30 PM at Camino's Grill (by the bowling alley). A sign up sheet is on the foyer table.

**Please consider** sending a card or letter to Corey Poelstra, just letting him know you are thinking of him, send him words of encouragement, or just a note to help get him through the next few months. Cards may be sent to him at 410 Walnut St. Yankton, SD 57078. "For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me." Matthew 25:35-36