

SUNDAY, February 18, 2018

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" (Nahum 1:15)
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 - "Here I Am to Worship"
Light of the world, you stepped down into darkness, opened my eyes, let me see. Beauty that made this heart adore you, hope of a life spent with you.
REFRAIN: Here I am to worship; here I am to bow down; here I am to say that you're my God. You're altogether lovely, altogether worthy, altogether wonderful to me.

King of all days, oh so highly exalted, glorious in heaven above. Humbly you came to the earth you created, all for love's sake became poor.

REPEAT REFRAIN...

Bridge: I'll never know how much it cost to see my sin upon that cross. I'll never know how much it cost to see my sin upon that cross. REPEAT REFRAIN...

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*Praise Song - "Ten Thousand Reasons"
REFRAIN: Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul; worship his holy name. Sing like never before, O my soul; I'll worship your holy name.

(3RD TIME: worship your holy name, worship your holy name.)

The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning; it's time to sing your song again. Whatever may pass, and whatever lies before me, let me be singing when the evening comes. *REFRAIN...*

You're rich in love, and you're slow to anger. Your name is great, and your heart is kind. For all your goodness, I will keep on singing ten thousand reasons for my heart to find. *REFRAIN...*

And on that day when my strength is failing, the end draws near, and my time has come; - still, my soul will sing your praise unending—ten thousand years and then forevermore! *REFRAIN...*

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*Opening Prayer
*Hymn #478 "Constantly Abiding"
Scripture Lesson - Exodus 13:17-22

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 - Tracie Erdmann

New City Catechism
Scripture - Psalm 46

MESSAGE: "The Best Way" By Tera Elness

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERTORY, Our response to God's Love

*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

*Offertory Prayer

*Closing Hymn #290 "Be Still, My Soul"

*Benediction

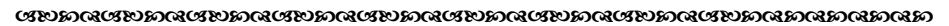
*Choral Benediction "Go Now In Peace"

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



ORGANIST: Teresa Gall

PIANO: Patty Stuelpnagel

LAY LEADER: Alan Egge

GREETERS: JoAnn Bartlett; Roger & Betty Larsen

USHER: Dianne Selchert

SOUND SYSTEM: Tim Bradwisch

POWER POINT: Tyler Carlson

VIDEO: Richard Syring

HYPEE CARDS: Colleen Palmer



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

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.

Fundraiser for Ability Building Services—Spring Flip— Pancake Supper & Kid Carnival—Monday, March 5 from 5-7 PM at Calvary Baptist Church.

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

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) 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

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.

Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth. Psalm 46:10

Be still before the Lord and wait patiently for him; do not fret when men succeed in their ways, when they carry out their wicked schemes. Refrain from anger and turn from wrath; do not fret—it leads only to evil. Psalm 37:7-8

He got up, rebuked the wind and said to the waves, "Quiet! Be still!" Then the wind died down and it was completely calm. He said to his disciples, "Why are you so afraid? Do you still have no faith?" Mark 4:39-40

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.

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

Thank you to Tera Elness for being our Guest Speaker this morning; and thank you to Tracie Erdmann for her Special Music.

COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, February 18

9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel
9:30 AM Worship service
10:00 AM Family Bible Adventure
SET UP FOR SOUP KITCHEN IMMEDIATELY AFTER CHURCH
NO Adult Sunday School

Monday, February 19

7:00 PM Divorced, Widowed, Separated Meeting
7:00 PM Boy Scouts

Tuesday, February 20

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

Wednesday, February 21

4:00—7:00 PM SOUP KITCHEN (No Youth Group Meeting)
6:45 PM At the Cross Prayer Walk

Thursday, February 22

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton Distribution

Friday, February 23

6:15 AM Women's Bible Study
7:00 PM AI Anon Meeting

Saturday, February 24

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton
1:00—2:00 PM EARTH

Next Sunday, February 25

9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel
9:30 AM Worship
Lay Worship Leader - Rod Gall
Ministry in Music—Volunteers Welcome
Greeters—Guthmillers & Rempps
Usher—Kevin DeJong
Sound System Manager—Loren Haak
Power Point—Ethan Bradwisch
Videographer—Alan Egge
Opening Church—Colleen Palmer
HyVee Card Sales—Patty Stuelpnagel
Cookie Providers—Donna Mellem
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. 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
Feb. 11: Regular Offering - \$2410.72; Building - \$60

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, 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.

Soup Kitchen Wednesday!! Wednesday, FEBRUARY 21, 2018, serving from 4—7 PM. Sign up sheets are available!!! We will be setting up tables and chairs ***THIS MORNING*** immediately following the worship service. All able-bodied helpers would be appreciated!! There will be NO Adult Sunday School this morning. *Also, parents of youth*—we would appreciate all youth to come on Wednesday, also, to help with table clean up during the soup kitchen.

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.

LOOKING AHEAD—HELP NEEDED, February 24 (March 3 & 10 have a volunteer already) EARTH 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 come on February 24, please let the office know.

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

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 TODAY, February 18, as they need to be placed with the Child Protection President by tomorrow morning, February 19.