

SUNDAY, September 23, 2018

9:10 AM Preservice Prayer Time - 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 - "Our God"

Water You turned into wine, opened the eyes of the blind. There's no one like You, none like You. Into the darkness You shine, out of the ashes we rise.

There's no one like You, none like You.

**Our God is greater, our God is stronger, God, You are higher than any other. Our God is Healer, awesome in power. Our God, our God. And if our God is for us, then who could ever stop us? And if our God is with us, then what could stand against? And if our God is for us, then who could ever stop us? And if our God is with us, then what could stand against? (Repeat from **)

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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 ma 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'll love you, forever I'll stand. Nothing compares to the promise I have in you.

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*Praise Song - "Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)"

Amazing Grace how sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me! I once was lost but now am found, was blind but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved; how precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed!

REFRAIN: My chains are gone, I've been set free; my God, my Savior has ransomed me. And like a flood, his mercy rains unending love, amazing grace.

The Lord has promised good to me, his word my hope secures; he will my shield and portion be as long as life endures.

Through many dangers, toils, and snares I have already come; 'tis grace hath brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home. *REPEAT REFRAIN...*

When we've been there ten thousand years, bright shining as the sun, we've no less days to sing God's praise than when we'd first begun. CCLI License No 1222159

*Opening Prayer

*Opening Hymn #37 "How Great Thou Art"

Scripture Lesson - Micah 2:12-13 & 5:2

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HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

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.

Scripture Lesson - Mark 3:7-19

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MESSAGE - "Who Is Jesus? The Gatherer"

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERTORY, Our Response to God's Love

*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

*Offertory Prayer

*Closing Hymn #204 "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

*Benediction

*Choral Benediction - "Go Now In Peace"

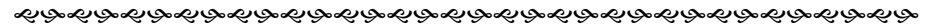
Go now in peace. Never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of ev'ry day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true. Know He will guide you in all you do. Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see. God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.

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Postlude

**PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE*



ORGANIST: Dixie Church

PIANIST: Patty Stuelpnagel

LAY WORSHIP LEADER: Dorothea Hoebelheinrich

GREETERS: Loren & Gina Haak, Gerald & Shirley Rempp

USHER: Kevin DeJong

SOUND SYSTEM: Loren Haak

POWER POINT: Tyler Carlson

VIDEO: Shirley Hoxeng

HYVEE CARD SALES: Jean Prater



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 foyer table for any younger children to use during the Worship Service.

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!!

God will be speaking to you today...but not by cell phone.

Please turn your phones off or set to vibrate during the worship service.

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 for the Prayer Walk.

SAVE THE DATE!! Wed., October 3 at 5:30 PM to help pack at the Sack Pack program held at Calvary Baptist Church. Soup can donations will also be collected.

RRC Family— I am finally feeling like I have really started to settle into being the Pastor here. I have been so thankful by your warm welcome and getting to know you all. My hope going forward for the next year and beyond as time allows is to be more intentional about meeting with those who are a part of our church family (anyone associated with the church over the last few years.) To best serve Christ here at Riverview, my belief is I need to know you all. To that end, I hope to meet up with you and your family units so that I can better know you and to understand your hopes for our church. This is just the beginning, but I want to forewarn you that this is something I hope to be working on in the coming months by setting up intentional times with families and individuals. If you would like to meet sooner, rather than later, please let me know, I would be happy to accommodate you. For those of you in a busy season, there is no time table here other than within the next year or so. My hope is that these get togethers will happen in what way is most comfortable for you, whether it be in my office, at your home, or even at my home. My hope is that you don't feel anxiety about this, but see it as an opportunity for us as a church to grow and get to know each other. All for God's Glory, Pastor Jake

The Yankton Area Literacy Council is providing a program entitled "Math Is Fun" to elementary students in the Yankton School district. Volunteers work with children for 1 hour, from 3:30-4:30, each week to help them improve their addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division skills. A lot of our work is done with flash cards. When needed, we also provide assistance with time-telling and money counting skills. We are in need of tutors for each of the 4 elementary schools. Tutoring begins the first week of October through the first week of May. Many tutors are retired volunteers and are absent from time to time for travel or being with family. We work around those schedules. If you think you could help a child improve his/her math skills, or if you have questions about the program, please call the Yankton Area Literacy Council (605-760-4803) or Patty Stuelpnagel (605-660-1088).

MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers) is available at Calvary Baptist Church, beginning September 6, every 1st & 3rd Thursday of the month, from 9—11 AM. MOPS is open to all mothers, pregnancy thru Kindergarten aged children. Childcare available, plus breakfast and fellowship. Find them on Facebook at Broadway MOPS.

St. Benedict Church, Yankton—Rummage Sale (1500 St. Benedict Drive) Wednesday and Thursday, October 10 & 11th, from 9 AM to 8 PM and Friday, Oct 12 from 9 AM—12 Noon 1/2 Price Sale. Bake Sale Wednesday only. Gigantic amount of items!

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. 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. **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 NOT COOPERATING**, we will meet in the Sanctuary

Please consider sending a card or letter to Cory Poelstra, just letting him know you are thinking of him. Cards may be sent to him at [410 Walnut St. Yankton, SD 57078](mailto:410WalnutSt@yankton.org). "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

Consistory Nominating Ballots for 2019 are in your church mailboxes. Please pick them up and fill them out...you may nominate up to 10 people. Extra's are on the foyer table for any member who may have been missed. All nominations need to be back to church **by Sunday, September 30.** Please place them in the box on the foyer table. Candidates will be announced in October, prior to the **November 4 Congregational Meeting.**

COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, September 23

9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel
9:30 AM Worship service
10:45 AM Sunday School for Adults

Monday, September 24

7:00 PM Boy Scouts

Tuesday, September 25

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

Wednesday, September 26

6:15 AM Women's Bible Study
6:00 PM Anger Management Class thru FECC
6:45 PM At the Cross Prayer Walk
7:00 PM Youth Group

Thursday, September 27

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton Distribution

Friday, September 28

7:00 PM AI Anon Meeting

Saturday, September 29

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton

Next Sunday, September 30

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- JoAnn Bartlett & Dixie Church
Usher-Loren Haak
Sound System Manager-Terry Poelstra
Power Point-Emma Hamberger
Videographer-Richard Syring
Opening Church-Colleen Palmer
HyVee Card Sales-Colleen Palmer
10:45-11:30 AM Sunday School for Adults

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

The landline at the parsonage is 605-689-0110.

Pastor Jake's email is vanderlindenjacob@gmail.com.

LIFE AT RRC

Sign ups for **Ministry of Music and Cookie donations** for September-December 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 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.

WEEKLY OFFERINGS:

Aug. 26: Regular Offering - \$3842.00; Building - \$90.00
Sept. 2: Regular Offering - \$6631.00; Building - \$70.00; Missions - \$30.00
Sept. 9: Regular Offering - \$3080.45; Building—\$285.00; Missions—\$30.00
Sept. 16: Regular Offering - \$2150.99; Building - \$40.00; 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

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).

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD SHOE BOXES will be available to be filled again this fall, to send to children overseas. Now would be a good time to pick up those extra crayons, pens, pencils, etc to help fill the boxes.

Library News: If you bring items to donate to the church Library, please place them in the “book drop box”, so our Librarians can stamp them, make sure they are in good shape, and properly placed on the shelves. Thank you for your assistance.

Scrapbooking Fundraising Event for the RRC Youth Group. Fri. Oct 12, 5 PM—12 AM; Sat. Oct. 13 8 AM-5 PM. \$30 per table. Cricuit, cartridges, and Cuttlebug available. Make checks payable to RRC Youth Group. Contact Gina Haak 661-7542.

LOOKING AHEAD: October 5, 2018, will be our 10 year anniversary of being in our new building. On Sunday, October 7, we will be planning a little extra for the morning worship celebration, along with a Potluck to follow the worship time. Please plan to come and help us celebrate 10 years at 1700 Burleigh.

A Baby Shower is being planned for possibly the first weekend in November for Baby Van Der Linden (Parents Danielle & Pastor Jake). If there is anyone who would like to help with donating food, decorations or planning, please contact Gina Haak.

Thank you to all the parents and students who provided input for Youth Group and helping to establish a plan going forward. Starting October 3, this will be the Youth Group Schedule for a typical four Wednesday month. The first Wednesday will be a combined Middle School and High School group activity and will meet at 7 PM. The second and third Wednesdays will consist of a more concentrated lesson with smaller activity to follow, Middle School (Grades 6-8) will be from 6:30-7:30 PM and High School (Grades 9-12) will be from 7:30-8:30 PM. The fourth Wednesday will be more social/fun activity time with Middle School from 6:30-7:30 PM and High School from 7:30-8:30 PM. October has a fifth Wednesday, what we will do for that day will be decided at a later date. **PARENTS: There is a sign up sheet on the foyer table for parents willing to help on any given Wednesday evening. Please be sure to help out by signing up.**