

SUNDAY, March 24, 2019

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 - "You Are My King (Amazing Love)"

I'm forgiven because you were forsaken. I'm accepted; you were condemned. I'm alive and well, your Spirit is within me because you died and rose again. Amazing love, how can it be that you, my King, would die for me? Amazing love, I know it's true; it's my joy to honor you. In all I do I honor 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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\*Praise Song - "Forever"

Give thanks to the Lord our God and king; his love endures forever. For he is good, he is above all things; his love endures forever. Sing praise, sing praise!

With a mighty hand and outstretched arm; his love endures forever. For the life—that's been reborn; his love endures forever. Sing praise, sing praise! Sing praise, sing praise!

*REFRAIN: Forever God is faithful, forever God is strong, forever God is with us, forever, forever.*

From the rising to the setting sun his love endures forever. And by the grace of God we will carry on; his love endures forever. Sing praise, sing praise! Sing Praise, sing praise! *REFRAIN...*

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\*Opening Prayer

\*Hymn #38 "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

First Lesson - Isaiah 53:7-12

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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 14:43-72

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(Children dismissed for Sunday School)

**MESSAGE:**

**"Who is Jesus? I Am"**

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERTORY, Our Response to God's Love

\*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

\*Offertory Prayer

\*Closing Hymn #365 "'Are Ye Able', Said the Master"

\*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:* Teresa Gall

*PIANIST:* Marcie Kruse

*LAY WORSHIP LEADER:* Doyle Guthmiller

*GREETERS:* Tim & Valerie Bradwisch; Gary & Doris Baltzer

*USHER:* Patty Stuelpnagel

*SOUND SYSTEM:* Terry Poelstra

*POWER POINT:* Matthew Tjeerdsma

*VIDEO:* Richard Syring

*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.

**You can see RRC Church Services** broadcast on your Public Access Channels in Yankton on Saturday evenings at 7:00 PM.

NEW CHURCH DIRECTORIES MAY BE FOUND in your church mailboxes.

Please pick them up, and check for any corrections or changes that need to be made, so they can be printed in upcoming bulletins.

**ADDITIONS:**

Please add Aria's name under Holly & Kyle Quinowski.

Please add Gordon's name under Pastor Jake & Danielle Van Der Linden

Violet Schaeffer would like her email added to the back email prayer chain

Julie Needham's cell phone number is 660-0934.

**The Dakota Prairie Quilt Guild** is sponsoring a barn board quilt painting workshop on Saturday, May 4th, from 9:30 AM to 4:00 PM. The event will be held at the First United Methodist Church at 207 West 11th St. The max group size is 10 and classes tend to fill up quickly. If you would like a pattern drawn for you prior to class or to RSVP, please call Sharon Heisinger at 605-661-7472 before April 27.

**INSPIRATION HILLS** is looking to hire counselors! If you, or someone you know loves Jesus and loves kids, we have the job for you. Counselors are the ones in charge of walking next to the campers from week to week, teaching them about Jesus and showing His love to them. This is a great opportunity to serve the Kingdom of Heaven by ministering to His children. So, if you want to be a kid all summer, enjoy God's creation and join a community that lasts a lifetime, please check out our website [www.inspirationhills.org](http://www.inspirationhills.org) or call 712-986-5193, or email Paige at [pagie@inspirationhills.org](mailto:pagie@inspirationhills.org).

**COFFEE**

Why don't we treat God like coffee? As Christians we all understand that it is important to have God in our lives. We also know that we should have prayer in our life on a consistent basis. Just imagine if we treated God as importantly as we treat coffee...

~we get up in the morning and we instantly need our coffee. Wouldn't it be nice if we needed prayer first thing in the morning to start our day?

~The distinct smell and fresh aroma of freshly brewed coffee is amazing. Wouldn't it be nice to have God fill the room and have such a prominent presence anywhere any time?

~It seems we don't care the cost of that freshly brewed coffee when we are out and about. In fact, the better the brand, whether it is Starbucks or Caribou or Scooters, the more we are apt to pay. Wouldn't it be nice to put God first and have Him in our lives? Just imagine the absolute best of the best right there waiting for us to reach out to Him.

Plus, the best part of the whole deal is that He already paid the price by dying on the cross for all our sins.

~We all have our special insulated mug to keep our coffee warm. We make sure we keep it clean in a special place, also making sure it fits perfectly into our cup holders in our car. Wouldn't it be nice to place such value in God each and every day? Maybe a special place in our heart every day that insulates our life from all the pain, suffering and temptations. He will be there to guide us in such a manner that we will always recognize His good word.

~Coffee has a way of connecting people. It's nice to sit down and visit, relax, get to know a person better over a cup of coffee. Wouldn't it be great if we envisioned God as the common denominator of uniting people? Maybe something that is universally accepted where we can all set our differences aside and try to relate to our neighbors better.

~The next time you see, smell, have, want that next great cup of coffee, think about it as a special symbol of God in all our lives. Accept the challenge to keep God active in our lives, so that we can build a better and more satisfying relationship to love and honor Him.

~~Author Unknown

**Please** keep Cory Poelstra, in your prayers, as he is currently in Oklahoma, waiting for his placement. "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.

**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

**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.

## COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

### Today, Sunday, March 24

9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel  
9:30 AM Worship service  
10:00 AM Sunday School for Pre-K—5th Grade  
10:45 AM Adult Sunday School

### Monday, March 25

5:00—8:00 PM Youth Group Fundraiser at Pizza Ranch  
7:00 PM Boy Scouts

### Tuesday, March 26

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

### Wednesday, March 27

6:45 PM Prayer Walk  
7:00 PM Jr. & Sr. High Youth Group

### Thursday, March 28

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton Distribution

### Friday, March 29

7:00 PM Al Anon Meeting

### Saturday, March 30

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton

### Next Sunday, March 31

9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel  
9:30 AM Worship  
Mission Speaker, John Hubers  
Lay Worship Leader - Colleen Palmer  
Ministry in Music—Volunteers Welcome  
Greeters—Haaks & Larsens  
Usher—Loren Haak  
Sound System Manager—Todd Carr  
Power Point - Logan Smallwood  
Videographer—Alan Egge  
Opening Church—Jean Prater  
HyVee Card Sales—Jean Prater  
10:45 AM Presentation by Mission Speaker, John Hubers

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## LIFE AT RRC

**Sign ups** for **Ministry of Music and Cookie donations** for March—April are on the foyer table. PLEASE sign up for a date that is convenient for you!!

**You may** e-mail messages to the church office at [rprc@iw.net](mailto:rprc@iw.net) Check out our website at [Riverviewreformed.org](http://Riverviewreformed.org)— You can view the weekly bulletin on our web page.

## WEEKLY OFFERINGS:

Feb. 24: Regular Offering - \$2096.00; Building - \$65.00; Missions - \$285.00  
Mar. 3: Regular Offering - \$4643.00; Building - \$212.00; Missions - \$30  
Mar. 10: Regular Offering - \$2992.54; Building - \$105.00; Missions - \$20.00  
Mar. 17: Regular Offering - \$2399.75; Building - \$165.00; Missions - \$170.00  
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).

**The Youth Group** will hold a fundraiser at **Pizza Ranch** tomorrow Monday, **March 25 from 5:00-8:00 PM.** Members of the Youth Group will be available to help clear tables, and collect tips. A portion of the pizza/food sales goes to the youth group. Be sure to plan your supper that evening at Pizza Ranch.

**Youth Group Fundraiser** Butter Braids are on sale now, March 10-27, with delivery date April 9th. Perfect for those Easter mornings or any time. There is a new kind that is a 4-cheese, that comes with marinara to go with your Italian meals. Proceeds go towards youth group mission trips. See any youth for purchasing.

**THE BANQUET** RRC will be serving the Banquet at the UCC church on Thursday, April 4. PLEASE MARK THE DATE ON YOUR CALENDARS and sign up to help. We will need workers and donations of bars, and there is a sign up sheet on the foyer table.

**Next Sunday, March 31** We will have a Mission Speaker, John Hubers, during the morning worship. John is from Orange City, IA, and is working with a seminary in Ethiopia. More information is available about this mission on the Mission bulletin board in the corner of the Fellowship Hall. Extra time with John that morning will be available during the Sunday School time.

**On Line Giving** Consistory has been in discussion regarding the online giving option, and the fee rate last year was approximately 15% of what we received. If anyone is using the online giving, PLEASE let consistory know, as they are considering not having it next year.

**Springfield prison on May 5th** Pastor Jake will be preaching at the Springfield Prison the evening of Sunday, May 5. Members of the congregation are able to accompany him to this. YOU CAN STILL SIGN UP TO GO!! Please talk to Pastor Jake, if you wish to attend with him, to complete the necessary paperwork.

**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