# The 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.

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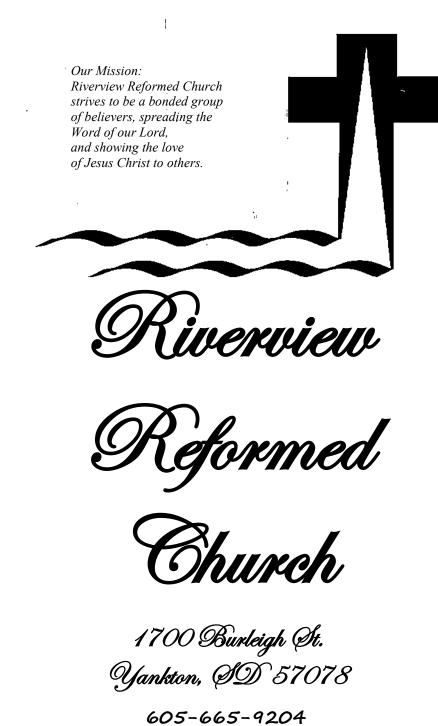
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## PLEASE HAVE ALL BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

in to the office by Wednesday afternoon.



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## SUNDAY, November 17, 2019

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 - "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 - "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. *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.

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\*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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\*Opening Prayer

\*Hymn #54 "For the Beauty of the Earth" First Lesson - Isaiah 35:1-2 & 8-10

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HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Prayer Scripture - Acts 9:32-43

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MESSAGE: "Living Like Jesus"

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERTORY, Our Response to God's Love

\*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

\*Offertory Prayer

#### GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

\*Closing Hymn #370 "Count Your Blessings"

\*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

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ORGANIST: Marcie Kruse PIANIST: Patty Stuelpnagel

LAY WORSHIP LEADER: Dorothea Hoebelheinrich GREETERS: Lois Streyle; Larry & Kathy Mettler

USHER: Kevin DeJong SOUND SYSTEM: Loren Haak POWER POINT: Logan Smallwood VIDEO: Richard Syring

HYVEE CARD SALES: Gina Haak

## **WELCOME!!**

<u>THANK YOU</u> 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.

(Signing the attendance pads helps us keep a yearly attendance average, as this is reported each year to the Dakota Classis)

<u>A Nursery</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.

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

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) 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.

THE CHRISTMAS STORE: The Christmas Store is coming, Saturday, December 7, from 1:00-4:00 PM. The Christmas Store is a non-profit organization which provides the opportunity for children to experience the joy of giving by shopping for free gifts for their parents and siblings. We then wrap all the gifts for them! It is a great way to get in the "Christmas Spirit". We are looking for volunteers to help set up on Thursday, Dec. 5 from 5:30—7:00 PM and Friday, Dec. 6th from 10 AM to 3 PM. We also need volunteer gift wrappers, personal shoppers, and people to return kids to their parents on Saturday, Dec. 7, from 12:30-2:30 (1st shift) and 2:15-4:15 (2nd shift) Clean up will be from 4:15-6:00. In addition, we also need cookie/bar donations to serve parents while they are waiting for their kids to shop. Cookies need to be at the church by noon on Friday, December 6. Please contact Amy Bertsch if you are able to help us out. Text or call 660-0270 or email asbertsch72@gmail.com. Please be specific on times you can help or how many dozen cookies you will be bringing. Thank you!!

<u>Thanksgiving Eve Service</u> We are looking to have another "informal" Thanksgiving Eve Service again this year, planned for Wednesday, November 27 at 7:00 PM. Plan to share your favorite hymn (for us all to sing), reading, or story. We meet in the Fellowship Hall.

**The Yankton Community Holiday Feast** would like to invite you and your family and friends to the 24th Annual Yankton Community Holiday Feast, which will be on Wednesday, November 27 from 4:30—7 PM at the Calvary Baptist Church. Also needed are volunteers to work, donations of turkey, dressing and pies, as well as cash donations. A free will donation box is available for those who would like to contribute, but the Holiday Feast is free of charge. If you have questions, or would like to volunteer, please contact Donna Madson 760-3170.

**Consistory Report to Congregation** from the meeting held November 4. The Elders and Pastor Jake discussed possible new members. The Deacons report that a new downspout was installed; a new computer is being looked into for the Secretary's office; we are getting a protective cover for the new AC unit. In the spring, dead trees will be removed and tree trimming will be done. Fence posts will be put out to help guide those doing snow removal to help prevent damage to our property.

**Choir Notes:** The Choir will not practice Nov. 20 or 27. Dec 4 practice will be Choir & Bells at 7 PM, NO rehearsal on December 11, and Choir rehearsal Dec. 18 at 7 PM. Children will practice every Sunday right after church until Dec. 8 (performance day). The ADULT Choir will practice WITH THE CHILDREN right after church service on November 17 & November 24.

**KEEP THE DATE OPEN!** The RRC Soup Kitchen is being planned for Thursday, February 20, 2020. Please keep the date open to help with food and help serve!

Women's Morning Bible Study We will be doing a 4 week Advent early morning video Bible Study (Thursday mornings at 6;15 AM). "Because of Bethlehem" by Max Lucado, 1) God has a Face 2) Worship Works Wonders 3) God Guides the Wise 4) Every Heart a Manger. We will plan to meet November 21, December 5, 12, 19. Please let Lisa Kuipers know if you are interested so the study guide can be ordered.

Please keep Cory Poelstra, in your prayers. Cory's address is Cory Poelstra 17345-273 I-Unit, FCI Sandstone, Federal Correctional Institution, PO Box 1000, Sandstone, MN 55072. Letters would be appreciated!! All letters need to be on only WHITE paper & WHITE envelopes, with no return address labels or stickers. "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

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## COMING EVENTS... This week at RRC

#### Today, Sunday, November 17

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

9:30 AM Worship service

Fellowship Time to follow

Adult & Children's Choir Practice Immediately following the worship service 10:45 AM Sunday School for Pre-K—Adults

#### Monday, November 18

6:00 PM Dave Ramsey Financial Class 7:00 PM Boy Scouts

#### Tuesday, November 19

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton Distribution 12:15 PM Prayer time 7:00 PM Ministry Team Meeting

#### Wednesday, November 20

6:30 PM Jr. & Sr. High Youth Group NO Adult & Bell Choir

#### Thursday, November 21

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

#### Friday, November 22

7:00 PM Al Anon Meeting

### Saturday, November 23

8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton

### Next Sunday, November 24

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

A Sermon in Song—presented by Tri-Valley Chorus

Greeters- Arda Hoffman & Egges

Usher—Patty Stuelpnagel

Sound System Manager—Terry Poelstra

Power Point - Joe Andrews

Videographer—Dan Sanow

Opening Church—Sharon Auch-Bylander

HyVee Card Sales - Sharon Auch-Bylander

Cookies—Volunteers welcome

Fellowship Time to follow

10:30 AM Adult & Children's Choir Rehearsal immediately after worship 10:45 AM Sunday School for Adults

#### LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday, Nov. 24 - Tri-Valley Chorus presents "A Sermon in Song" Sunday, Dec. 1 - 1st Sunday of Advent Scripture from Genesis 38:1-5, 11-19 & 24-26 Romans 15:5-13

### LIFE AT RRC

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

#### **WEEKLY OFFERINGS:**

Oct. 20: Regular Offering - \$3585; Missions - \$50

Oct. 27: Regular Offering - \$2348.08; Building - \$40.00; Missions - \$20.00 Nov. 3: Regular Offering - \$4874.00; Building - \$190.00; Missions - \$40 Nov. 10: Regular Offering - \$1925.41; Building - \$80.00; Missions - \$108.00 Offering envelopes available in the foyer for general & building fund donations *To fully support the budget, offerings need to average \$4100 weekly* 

<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)

**If you are unable** to purchase your HyVee cards at the church when the building is open, you may also stop by Chuck's Gas Stop on the corner of 8th & Summit during their normal business hours to buy cards there that we supply them with, which still goes towards our building fund.

<u>Ministry Team Meetings</u> Tuesday, November 19, 7:00 PM. All are welcome and encouraged to come.

**Results of the Congregational Meeting** to elect new consistory for 2020 are as follows: Elected as Elder is Gary Baltzer; Elected as Deacons are Shane Bertsch & Tim Reck. Off going consistory members are Kevin DeJong, Jon Egge.

**LADIES NIGHT OUT:** The next Ladies Night out will be Monday, December 9 at 5:30 PM at Minerva's. A sign up sheet is on the foyer table.

<u>December 8</u> The Children's Choir and the Bell Choir will be performing with the Adult Choir at the morning worship service on Sunday, December 8. <u>Following the service, we will plan to have an all Church Christmas</u>
<u>Potluck.</u> Plan to come that Sunday, enjoy a morning of music, and stay for the potluck and Fellowship...bring your favorite hot dish/salad/dessert to share.

## Children's Sunday School News:

<u>December 8</u> - PLEASE be sure your Sunday School Preschool—5th grade children, are here to practice for their Christmas Program during set up for the potluck. There will be no Sunday School Class.

<u>December 15</u> - The Preschool—5th grade will present a short program during the morning worship service. There WILL be Sunday School following worship.

**Next Sunday, November 24** at our 9:30 AM Worship service, we will be hosting the Tri-Valley Men's Barbershop Chorus. They will be presenting "A Sermon in Song". Come and listen to a morning of musical worship.

We are collecting non-perishable food items for the Contact Center from now thru Thanksgiving. There is a box available in the foyer.