

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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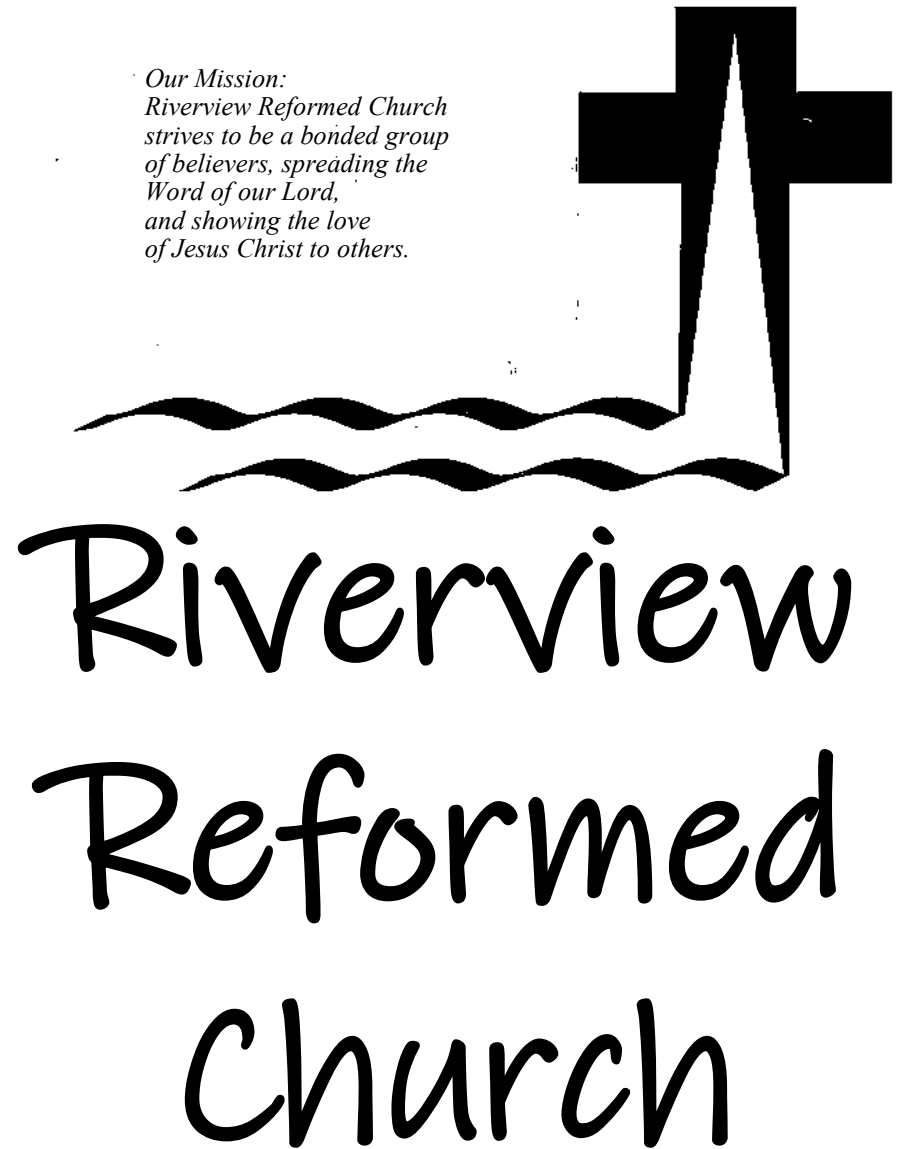
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*Our Mission:
Riverview Reformed Church
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Word of our Lord,
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SUNDAY, March 1, 2020

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

*Praise Song - "In Christ Alone"

In Christ alone my hope is found; he is my light, my strength, my song—this cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm. What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease. My comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand. No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the power of Christ in me; from life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny. No power of hell, no human plan, can ever pluck me from his hand; 'til he returns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I'll stand!

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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 - "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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*Opening Prayer

*Hymn #468 "I Will Sing the Wondrous Story"

Scripture Lesson - Ezekiel 44:5-9

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HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Prayer

Scripture Lesson - Acts 15:1-35

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MESSAGE: "Clarity of Purpose"

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERTORY, Our Response to God's Love

*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

*Offertory Prayer

GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

*Closing Hymn #212 "Nothing But the Blood"

*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: Bobbi Jo Carr

PIANIST: Dixie Church

LAY WORSHIP LEADER: Chad Gordon

GREETERS: Kyle & Lisa Kuipers, Larry & Kathy Mettler

USHER: Patty Stuelpnagel

SOUND SYSTEM: Loren Haak

POWER POINT: Logan Smallwood

VIDEO: Shirley Hoxeng

HYVEE CARD SALES: Gina Haak

WELCOME!!

THANK YOU for being here this morning!! It was a joy being with you!

Please 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.

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.

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.

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

Sunday Morning Bible Study? There has been interest in an 8:30 AM Sunday Morning Bible Study. We are looking for someone or a team to lead the study. Interest shows studying a book of the Bible. It could be done through a video study or a published study. Contact Danielle Van Der Linden if interested.

Brochures for 2020 Inspiration Hills Summer Camps are available on the display by the counter in the foyer.

Avera @ Home Hospice Program is in search of volunteers. We need active volunteers to be a part of our hospice team in providing comfort, care, and compassion for those in Hospice care. Small actions can make all of the difference and most times it's just sitting with a patient, listening to their story, or just being there so they don't have to be alone. Some of our current volunteers have commented that the "blessings received are more than given." In order to be a hospice volunteer, there is some required documentation and training but the rewards outweigh the investment of time in this process. Please consider becoming a Hospice volunteer. In interested, contact Carla Hummel at 605-668-8104 or carla.hummel@avera.org

Special Olympics annual fundraiser—The Amazing Race Challenge this is a fundraiser for the Special Olympics, headed by Sheri Duke. Jean Prater volunteered to help last year at the event, also. So if you have any questions, please feel free to talk to either one of them. If any group from the church or youth group is interested, please check out <http://www.yanktonspecialolympics.org/race.html>. Here's how it works: 4-person teams; each team member raises a minimum of \$100 to help support Yankton Special Olympics athletes; Decipher clues; complete challenges; laugh—a lot!!; win prizes. (Hopefully no rain this year.) This event is limited to 12 teams. Register at the link above. The date for this event is June 20.

RAFFLE TICKETS are being sold to help raise money for the Youth Group trip to Rocky Mountain High. Tickets are available for a Quilt, handmade by Michelle Andrews (\$5 for 1, or 6 for \$20); A coat rack, handmade by Kevin DeJong (\$5 for 1, or 6 for \$20) and a Smart Heart Rate Wristband, donated by the Poelstra's (\$1 for 1, or 6 for \$5). You can purchase your tickets from a youth group member or Gina Haak.

Please keep Cory Poelstra, in your prayers. Cory's address is Cory Poelstra 17345-273 F Unit, 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

New Deacon elected Brian Hamberger was elected Deacon at the special Congregational Meeting. Installation will take place March 8.

New Church Directories are in your church mailboxes. Please be sure to check them over for correctness. If any changes need to be made, please contact the office and they will be updated in the next bulletins.

Lent Bible Study available There will be a Women's Morning Bible Study "He Chose the Nails—What God Did to Win Your Heart", by Max Lucado. This is a 5 week study. We plan to meet Thursday mornings at 6:15 AM beginning this Thursday, March 5th. Please contact Lisa Kuipers if you are interested in doing the study.

COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, March 1

- 9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel
- 9:30 AM Worship service
Fellowship Time to follow
- 10:45 AM Adult Sunday School

Monday, March 2

- 6:00 PM Financial Peace University Class
- 7:00 PM Consistory meeting
- 7:00 PM Boy Scouts

Tuesday, March 3

- 8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton Distribution

Wednesday, March 4

- 6:00 PM Anger Management classes thru FECC
- 6:30 PM Jr. & Sr. High Youth Group
- 7:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 5

- 6:15 AM Women's Bible Study
- 8:30 AM Feeding Yankton

Friday, March 6

- 7:00 PM AI Anon Meeting

Saturday, March 7

- 8:30 AM Feeding America/Yankton

Next Sunday, March 8

- 9:10 AM Pre-Service Prayer time in Prayer Chapel
- 9:30 AM Worship
 - Lay Worship Leader - Doyle Guthmiller
 - Ministry in Music - Volunteers welcome
 - Greeters—Dorothea Hoebelheinrich & Colleen Palmer
 - Usher—Loren Haak
 - Sound System Manager—Terry Poelstra
 - Power Point - Joe Andrews
 - Videographer—Dan Sanow
 - Opening Church—Jean Prater
 - HyVee Card Sales - Sharon Egge
 - Cookies—Volunteers welcome
- Fellowship time to follow
- 10:30 AM Sunday School for PreK—5th grade
- 10:45 AM Sunday School for Adults

LOOKING AHEAD:

- Sunday, Mar. 8 - Scripture from Acts 15:36-16:5 2 Timothy 1:1-5
- Sunday, Mar. 15 - Scripture from Acts 16:6-15 1 Kings 17:7-16

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!!

WEEKLY OFFERINGS:

- Feb. 2: Regular Offering - \$4296.00; Building - \$170.00; Missions - \$30.00
 - Feb. 9: Regular Offering - \$2152.00; Building - \$140.00; Missions - \$120.00
 - Feb. 16: Regular Offering - \$4658.54; Building - \$177.00
 - Feb. 23: Regular Offering - \$2170.00; Building - \$40.00; Missions - \$20.00
- 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. THANKS to all who buy HyVee cards and have donated to the church rummage sales. We recently were able to apply \$15,000 extra to the church mortgage from these sources. HyVee cards are available on Sundays, and during the week when the office is open, and from Chuck's Quik Stop. We'll be having a spring rummage sale. More to come on that.

Ladies Night Out will be Monday, March 16 at 5:30 PM at the River's Edge (formerly the Landing). A sign up sheet is available for those who would like to attend.

Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ at RRC, Just a reminder of the survey for the 2020 vision of the RCA. We invite you to fill out that survey as we feel it is best to hear from you all and the many perspectives you have. Copies are available on the foyer counter. A note while filling out the survey, you might be faced with answering things that you don't feel equipped or knowledgeable about, that is okay. We are simply looking for honest answers so we as a consistory can better know where we are in light of the 2020 Vision Team and Dakota Classis Discernment Team. Please feel free to fill these out anonymously, but if you have questions, feel free to talk to a consistory member. Please place your completed surveys in the box on the foyer counter by Sunday, March 8
~Riverview Reformed Consistory

Men's Bible Study Fellowship will be Saturday, March 14. Watch for details of time and location.

We are always looking for new and additional volunteers to help as Praise song leaders, opening/closing the church on Sunday mornings, selling HyVee cards, running the video camera, sound system and power point, Lay Leaders, greeters, organists, pianists, etc. If this is something you would consider doing, please let the church office know. The more people on the scheduled rotations, the fewer times for everyone involved. The Worship Ministry Team is in the process of creating info sheets for new people, that will include contact people for each area and guidelines to follow

FAMILY NIGHT will be Wednesday, March 11 at 6:00 PM. Please fill out the sheet if you plan to attend and place in box in the foyer.

World Day of Prayer Choir Members wanted Choir members are being sought for the World Day of Prayer, scheduled for Friday, March 6 in the Gathering Place at Avera Sister James Care Center (2111 W. 11th St.) at 2:00 PM. Choir members are requested to be at the facility by 1:00 PM to practice before the service. Church Women United will lead the service at 2:00 PM with refreshments served by the Care Center following the service. Contact Choir leader Marilyn Nyberg or Veronica Trezona at 660-5612 with any questions. If you are interested in helping out with the World Day of Prayer, please contact Mary Alice Halvorson at 665-5040.