

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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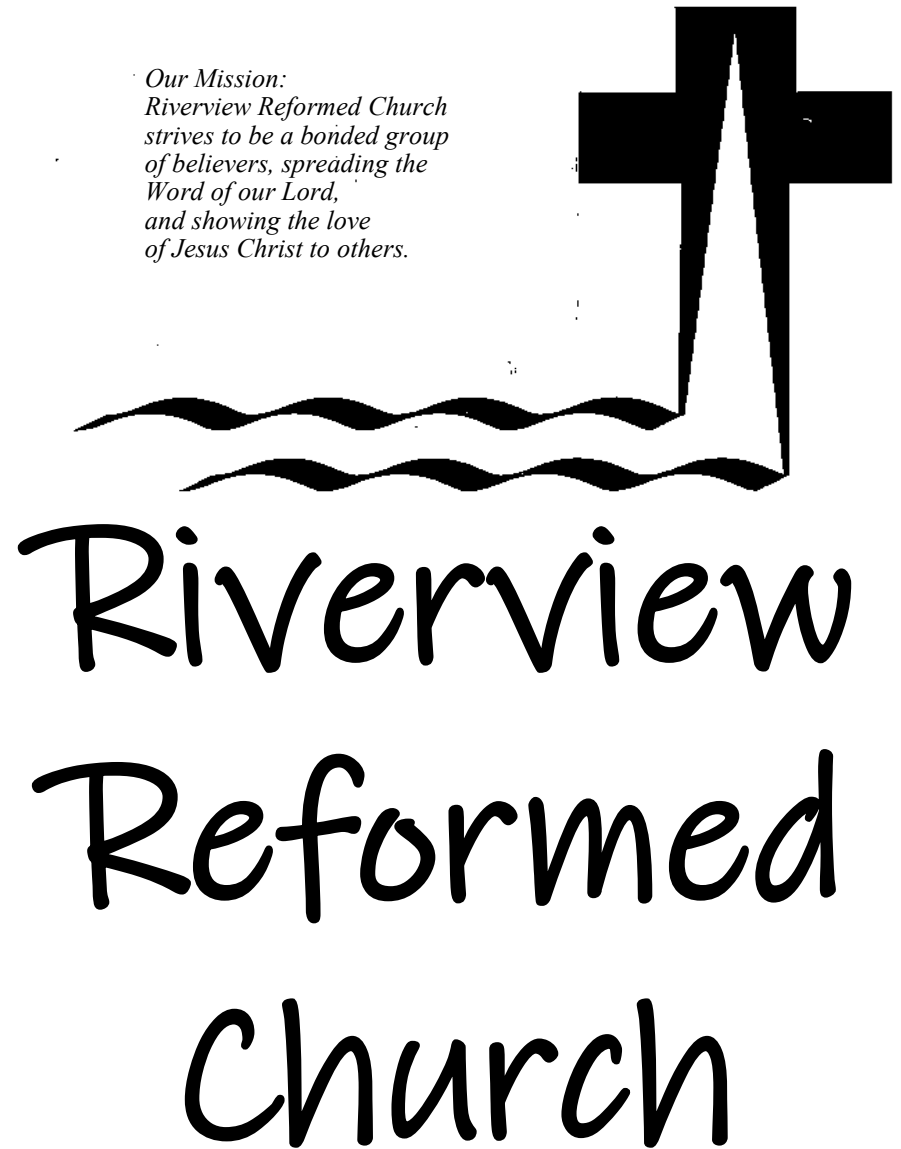
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You can view the weekly bulletin on our web page

*Our Mission:
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.*



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SUNDAY, August 16, 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 - "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.

REFRAIN: 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 REFRAIN...

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*Praise Song - "As the Deer"

As the deer panteth for the water, so my soul longeth after You. You alone are my heart's desire, and I long to worship You.

REFRAIN: You alone are my strength, my shield; To You alone may my spirit yield. You alone are my heart's desire and I long to worship You.

You're my friend and You are my brother even though You are a King. I love You more than any other, So much more than anything. *REFRAIN...*

I want You more than gold or silver, only You can satisfy. You alone are the real joygiver and the apple of my eye. *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 #258 "He Hideth My Soul"

Scripture Lesson - Romans 1:16-17

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HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson - Acts 28:1-30

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MESSAGE:

"The Final Act"

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERING, Our Response to God's Love

*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

*Offertory Prayer

GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

*Closing Hymn #224 "I Know Whom I Have Believed"

*Benediction

*Choral Benediction - "Go Now In Peace"

Go now in peace. Never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of every 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: Dixie Church

LAY LEADER: Doyle Guthmiller

SOUND SYSTEM, VIDEO, LIVE STREAM: Dan Sanow,

WELCOME!!

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

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.

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

Due to the viruses it is strongly encouraged to just give a friendly wave, please avoid handshakes and spreading any unwanted germs. Wear masks if you want, use the available hand sanitizers, wash your hands, cough into your elbow, dispose of any used tissues. Please be considerate of those around you, to avoid any extra germ exposure.

Psalm 46:10

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

Consistory Report to Congregation

Meetings held August 10, 2020

The Elders addressed the constitutional question. They discussed the calling list and those needing prayer. The pre-made communion packs to take to those who are not able to participate at church or drive-thru have been backordered but are due to arrive in mid-August. Approximately 60 people received communion during in-person services and 6 cars came for drive-thru communion. The Deacons reported that all of the CARES Act monies have been utilized to keep monthly bills current. Offerings are falling short of what is needed to meet expenses and members are asked to try to help get giving up to what is needed to meet our financial obligations. September missions will be a drive-up for River City Visitation Center. They are in need of cleaning supplies. A standard allowance of 1 hotel room per month for those in need was decided. This allows Pastor Jake to help people who ask without contacting the Consistory each time.

Ministry Team meetings may be held either in person at church or via Zoom as each team feels it necessary. Surveys were sent out to families with Sunday School age children. Three have been returned. No one has volunteered to lead Sunday School.

HyVee cards will be sold in the Fellowship Hall to promote social distancing. Sunday services will remain as they are for 2-3 more months as we see what happens with COVID. We need more volunteers to help with opening up the church on Sunday mornings.

The Elder and Deacon Candidate List was reviewed. Ballots will be given out on August 30th ; they will be available at each entry. Those who do not attend in-person services can get ballots by email or by contacting the church office. Voting will take place on November 1, 2020.

There was no update from the 2020 Vision Team. We are all asked to pray for the them as they wrestle with issues.

MAKE SURE YOU TEST POSITIVE FOR FAITH.
KEEP YOUR DISTANCE FROM DOUBT.
ISOLATE YOURSELF FROM FEAR.
TRUST IN GOD THROUGH IT ALL

Please remember the elderly during this time of COVID isolation, especially the ones in the nursing homes. Send them a note or card, or even a phone call.

Gladys Souhrada - Avera Majestic Bluffs Room 119, 2111 W. 11th St
Donna Mellem - Avera St. James N.H. Cabin Room 236, 2111 W. 11th St.
Charlie Gauker - PO Box 368, Viborg, SD 57070
Erna Stoebner - 505 Pearl St.
Ellen Gramm - Walnut Village Room 102, 613 Walnut Street

Please keep Cory Poelstra, in your prayers. **Cory's new address is:**

Cory Poelstra #17345273, United States Penitentiary Leavenworth, 1300 Metropolitan Ave., Leavenworth, KS 66048. You MUST WRITE your return address on the envelope, no labels or stickers or it will be thrown away. (An envelope with no return address will be thrown away) WHITE envelopes and WHITE paper only. If a card is sent, no glitter or textures.

Cory wishes to thank everyone for remembering him with your prayers, cards, letters and the bulletin. Also, for support to his family.

"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

*Faith doesn't always take you out of the problem,
Faith takes you through the problem. Faith doesn't always take away the pain, Faith gives you the ability to handle the pain. Faith doesn't always take you out of the storm, Faith calms you in the midst of the storm.*

Matthew 17:20

He replied, "Because you have so little faith. I tell you the truth, if you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there' and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you

COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, August 16

9:30 AM Worship service in building and via: live stream

Monday, August 17

7:00 PM Boy Scouts

Friday, August 21

7:00 PM AI Anon Meeting

Next Sunday, August 23

9:30 AM Worship in building and live-stream

Lay Leader—Rod Gall

Open/close Building—Sharon Auch-Bylander

7:00 PM Men's Bible Study Group

LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday, August 23 - Scripture from Matthew 6:9-13 Psalm 1

Sunday, August 30 - Obadiah 1:1-21 Romans 9:6-15

LIFE AT RRC

WEEKLY OFFERINGS:

July 19: Regular Offering - \$2760.00; Building - \$150.00; Missions - \$30.00

July 26: Regular Offering - \$2180.00 Building - \$80.00

Aug. 2: Regular Offering - \$3648.00; Building - \$150.00; Missions - \$30.00

Aug. 9: Regular Offering - \$1591.53

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. HyVee cards are available during the week when the office is open, and from Chuck's Quik Stop. IF YOU CALL AHEAD, YOU CAN STOP AT CHURCH DURING THE WEEK AND WE CAN HAVE CARDS READY FOR YOU TO PICK UP.

Men's Bible Study Group SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 7:00 PM.

WORSHIP SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE VIA: ON-LINE STREAMING.

If you are unable to do on-line streaming, you can access the service on your Cable TV Public Access channel on Saturdays at 7:00 PM.

For on-line streaming, please tune in starting at 9:15 AM, service to begin at 9:30 AM. This is available thru the Facebook page and thru email links. If you are unable to do any of the suggestions, please watch a service on TV of your choice.

If you cannot do the service on Sunday morning on-line or are not comfortable to come into the building yet, another option is to come to the NORTH parking lot (by the kitchen) and remain in your vehicle and tune your radio to 89.1 FM and you should be able to hear the service

Please Remember although we aren't passing the offering plates, you can still send your offerings to the church thru the mail, bring them at any time and slip them in the mail slot of the door on the south west corner of the sanctuary (behind the piano area), or you can ask one of the deacons about the new on-line giving site <https://tithe.ly/widget/v3/give.js?3> which is also available on the church website.

We are looking for someone to take over organizing/contact person for when we serve the Banquet at the UCC Building. Our next scheduled serve date looks to be next April 2021, but will know more as the year/time comes. If this is something you are willing to do, please contact the church office, or Sharon Auch-Bylander.. Sharon will be able to inform you on what it all consists of. She is also willing to help whoever takes over, but does not want to be in charge of it at this time anymore.

Hymn suggestions are always appreciated. If you have a favorite you would like to request, please put your suggestions in the box on the foyer table, or email /call the church

THE CONSISTORY asks that those who wish to visit following the service, please move to the foyer or outdoors. This will prevent blocking the exit path in the Fellowship Hall and provide social distance for those who want it. Thank you.

Dunk a Pastor On Saturday, August 22, there is a Dunk a Pastor planned at Calvary Baptist church. For a donation of school supplies, participants get three attempts to "dunk a pastor" in a dunk tank. Each pastor who volunteers will be at the dunk tank for 30 minutes each. Details are still be worked on. Time will be from 12 Noon to 4:00 PM. If you would like more details, please check with Pastor Jake as far as when he is scheduled to be in the dunk tank

United Way's Clothing Closet—Back 2 School Days

United Way of Greater Yankton's Clothing Closet program offers community members who are struggling to make ends meet the opportunity to receive free, quality clothing in a dignified, and welcoming space. To help prepare youth for a successful school year, and to provide adequate and appropriate clothing, the Clothing Closet will host a *Back 2 School Days* shopping event on August 18, 19, & 20. Youth from Kindergarten to High School will have opportunity to shop for clothing by appointment only. Please call United Way to schedule shopping times 605-665-6766. Children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. United Way has implemented social distancing guidelines to ensure the safety of staff, volunteers, and shoppers. Shoppers and volunteers will be screened upon entry and required to provide and utilize a face covering. The event is open to all school aged children in need of clothing at 203 E. 3rd St. Vouchers are not needed, but pre-scheduled appointments are required.