<u>The Lord's Prayer</u>

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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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. Riverview Reformed Church

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SUNDAY, October 11, 2020

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/Announcements

*Praise Song - "To Be God's People"

Almighty Father—give us a vision—of a dying world that needs Your love and care. We see the need, the yearning for a Savior, In Jesus' name, grant this our prayer.

REFRAIN: To be God's people—in this place, - live His goodness, share His grace, - Proclaim God's mercy—through His Son, - be His love-to ev'ryone.

And when we falter-be Thou our comfort; guide us as Your children that our lives may be-a beacon in this darkness that surrounds us, A light that others then may see. REFRAIN CCLI License No. 1222159

*Praise Song - "Open Our Eyes"

Open our eves, Lord, we want to see Jesus, to reach out and touch Him, and say that we love Him. Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen.

Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus. *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.

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... CCLI License No. 1222159

*Opening Prayer

*Hymn #449 "To God Be the Glory" Scripture Lesson - John 11:17-27

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HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Prayer/Lord's Prayer Scripture Lesson - Esther 4:1-17 Page 780 **MESSAGE**: "Such a Time as This?"

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERING, Our Response to God's Love *Doxology (front cover of hymnbook) *Offertory Prayer

GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

*Closing Hymn #357 "Nearer, My God, to Thee" *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. CCLI License No. 1222159 Postlude

*PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE

ORGANIST: Teresa Gall LAY LEADER: Dovle Guthmiller PIANIST: Patty Stuelphagel

SOUND SYSTEM, VIDEO, LIVE STREAM: Dan Sanow, Todd Carr

WELCOME!!

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

A Children's Worship Bulletin is on the fover 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)

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.

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.

Matthew 10:26 So do not be afraid of them, for there is nothing concealed that will not be disclosed, or hidden that will not be made known.

Mark 4:22 For whatever is hidden is meant to be disclosed, and whatever is concealed is meant to be brought out into the open.

Luke 8:17 For there is nothing hidden that will not be disclosed, and nothing concealed that will not be known or brought out into the open.

Luke 12:2 There is nothing concealed that will not be disclosed, or hidden that will not be made known.

<u>The Deacons reported</u> that there is a \$6000 shortfall each month to cover the **budget**. At the present time there is some money in the account which was set aside for emergency situations. Giving needs to increase or that money will continue to go toward paying the bills.

PASTOR JAKE will take the week of October 19-25 off for continuing education. We will have Pulpit Supply on Sunday, October 25, Devon Rook.

<u>Hebrews 1D:25</u> Let us not give up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but let us encourage one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

I PACKED YOUR PARACHUTE (Author Unknown)

Charles Plumb was a US Navy jet pilot in Vietnam. After 75 combat missions, his plane was destroyed by a surface-to-air missile. Plumb elected and parachuted into enemy hands. He was captured and spent 6 years in a communist Vietnamese prison. He survived the ordeal and now lectures on lessons learned from that experience. One day, when Plumb and his wife were sitting in a restaurant, a man at another table came up and said, "You're Plumb! You flew jet fighters in Vietnam from the aircraft carrier Kitty Hawk. You were shot down!" "How in the world did you know that?" asked Plumb. "I packed your parachute." the man replied. Plumb gasped in surprise and gratitude. The man pumped his hand and said, "I quess it worked!" Plumb assured him, "It sure did. If your chute hadn't worked, I wouldn't be here today." Plumb couldn't sleep that night, thinking about that man. Plumb says "I kept wondering what he had looked like in a Navy uniform: a white hat; a bib in the back; and bell-bottom trousers. I wonder how many times I might have seen him and not even said 'Good morning, how are you?' or anything because, you see, I was a fighter pilot and he was just a sailor". Plumb thought of the many hours the sailor had spent at a long wooden table in the bowels of the ship. carefully weaving the shrouds and folding the silks of each chute, holding in his hands each time the fate of someone he didn't even know. Now. Plumb asks his audiences. "Who's packing your parachute?" Everyone has someone who provides what they need to make it through the day. He also points out that he needed many kinds of parachutes when his plane was shot down over enemy territory—he needed his physical parachute, his mental parachute, his emotional parachute, and his spiritual parachute. He called on all these supports before reaching safety. Sometimes in the daily challenges that life gives us, we miss what is really important. We may fail to say hello, please, or thank you, congratulate someone on something wonderful that has happened to them, give a compliment, or just do something nice for no reason. As you go through this week, this month, this year, recognize people who pack your parachutes.

Inspiration Hills News: LIVE AND ONLINE AUCTION-Inspiration Hills will host their

LIVE & ONLINE Auction Friday, October 23, at 7 PM. You can view auction items, register to bid and check out all the details at www.inspirationhills.org. Inspiration Hills would love to see you in person or online to support them.

CHRISTMAS FUNDRAISER—Also, Inspiration Hills order forms are included in the fall newsletter, and you can order online at www.inspirationhills.org. Each year the Inspiration Hills' kitchen bakes and prepares many goodies, treats and homemade soups. Check them out and support Inspiration Hills. Order deadline is December 11.

Romans 8:28 And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.

Matthew 16:18 And I tell you that you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not overcome it.

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

Cory Poelstra #17345273, Federal Prison Camp, PO Box 1000, 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. "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

LifeFacts There is a Life Facts—South Dakota Right to Life, Pro Life Voters Guide Edition, available on the bulletin board area by the church offices. Check out to see where some of the local political candidates stand on pro-life/pro-choice issues. There is a local Yankton Area Right to Life Chapter that meets Monthly, the first Tuesday of every month at St. Benedict Church, 7:15 PM, Yankton SD. EVERYONE is welcome! The next meeting scheduled for November will be the SECOND Tuesday of the month (November 10) due to the first Tuesday being election day.

Our sympathy to Jim & Karen Carr, and Todd & Bobbi Jo Carr, and families, following the death of Karen's nephew/Todd's cousin, Chris Heeren.

COMING EVENTS ... This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, October 11

9:30 AM Worship service in building and via: live stream 6:00 PM Men's Bible Study Group

Monday, October 12

7:00 PM Boy Scouts 7:00 PM Consistory Meeting

Tuesday, October 13

7:00 PM Women's ON-LINE Bible Study (contact Danielle Van Der Linden)

Wednesday, October 14

6:00 PM Anger Management Class thru FECC 7:30 PM Youth Group

Next Sunday, October 18

9:30 AM Worship in building and live-stream Lay Leader—Dave Reck Open/close Building—Colleen Palmer

LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday, October 18 - Esther 5:1-14 Ephesians 2:1-10 Sunday, October 25 - Pulpit Supply, Devon Rook

LIFE AT RRC

WEEKLY OFFERINGS:

Sept. 13: Regular Offering - \$2039.00; Building - \$130.00; Missions - \$130.00 Sept. 20: Regular Offering - \$1501.00 Sept. 27: Regular Offering - \$2932.00 Oct. 4: Regular Offering - \$2911.00; Building - \$170.00; 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. 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. **HyVee Cards** are available on Sunday mornings before the worship service in the Fellowship Hall

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

...<u>We are looking for</u> 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.

Adult Sunday School With Covid cases still unsure, we will hold off

with beginning the Adult Sunday School classes, since the class is listening to CD's in a smaller room. If someone else wishes to begin the classes with smaller groups, or with all required to wear masks, talk to the church office and we can give you the material. Otherwise we will re-assess the situation in 2-3 months.

<u>Help with live-stream/power point</u> We are looking for volunteers who would be willing to help out on Sundays, with the live stream/power point. Todd Carr & Dan Sanow have both been doing it pretty much the whole time since March. We've had a couple of volunteers to help with power point the past 2 Sundays, but more would be appreciated. Let us know, and we can possibly get a schedule going again. THANK YOU!!

Volunteers are always welcome to help out where needed. If you see a light that needs to be turned off, or a door that needs to be locked, or just anything around the church that needs to be done, feel free to help out. You don't need to be on the "volunteer" schedule. During these times where things are still "up in the air", general help is appreciated

Cornerstone Prison Church, Sioux Falls: We want to thank you for your prayer support and financial support in the past and recently. We ask that you keep this church in your prayers as we look to a transition in leadership as Pastor Doug and Lee have accepted a call to the Rock Rapids CRC beginning Oct. 1. We thank them for their years of service to this church behind the walls of the SDSP and wish them God's blessing. We also ask that God will lead us to find the right person to fill the position of lead pastor at Cornerstone.

The Next Men's Bible Study Group is this evening at 6:00 PM. (Note time)

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

<u>Missouri Valley Pregnancy Resource Center</u> is looking for volunteer client advocates. These volunteers will work one-on-one with clients who come into the pregnancy center for pregnancy tests, pregnancy counseling, or parenting education. Online training and in office training is provided. Contact us if you think the Lord may be calling you to serve in this way.

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