

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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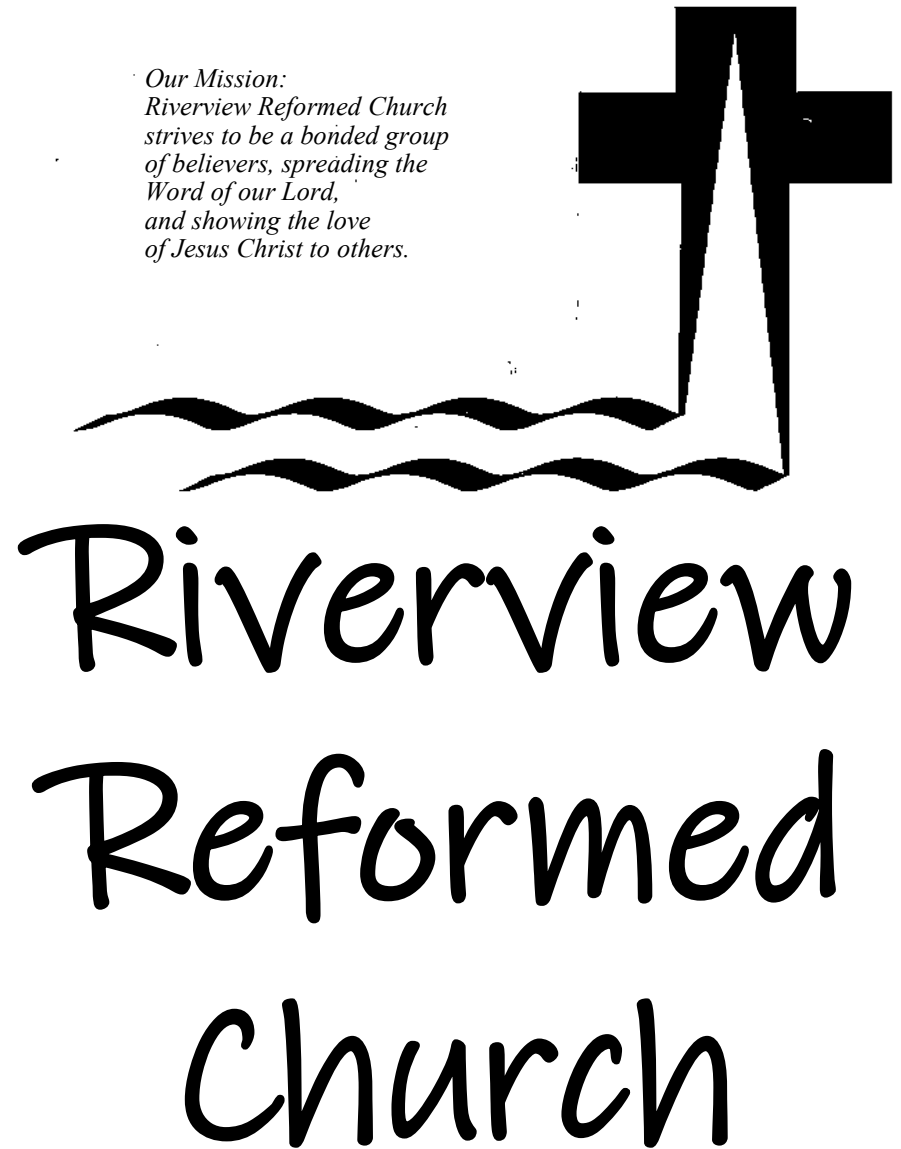
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You can view the weekly bulletin on our web page

*Our Mission:
Riverview Reformed Church
strives to be a bonded group
of believers, spreading the
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and showing the love
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SUNDAY, October 18, 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/Announcements

*Praise Song - "O God, You Are My God"

O God, you are my God, and I will ever praise you. O God, you are my God, and I will ever praise you. I will seek you in the morning, and I will learn to walk in your ways. And step by step you'll lead me, and I will follow you all of my days. (REPEAT)

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*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 - "Shout to the Lord"

My Jesus, my Savior, Lord, there is none like you. All of my days, I want to praise the wonders of your mighty love. My comfort, my shelter, tower of refuge and strength, let every breath, all that I am never cease to worship you. Shout to the Lord, all the earth, let us sing—power and majesty, praise to the King. Mountains bow down and the seas will roar at the sound of your name. I sing for joy at the work of your hands: forever I'll love you, forever I'll stand. Nothing compares to the promise I have in you.

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*Opening Prayer

*Hymn #6 "Come, Thou Almighty King"

Scripture Lesson - Ephesians 2:1-10

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HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson - Esther 5:1-14

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MESSAGE: "Life and Death, Part 1"

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERING, Our Response to God's Love

*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

*Offertory Prayer

GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

*Closing Hymn #187 "Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

*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: Teresa Gall
LAY LEADER: Dave Reck
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 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)

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.

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.

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

Missouri Valley Pregnancy Resource Center 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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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.

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.

Psalms 37:8-9 Refrain from anger and turn from wrath; do not fret—it leads only to evil. For evil men will be cut off, but those who hope in the Lord will inherit the land.

Job 12:22 He reveals the deep things of darkness and brings deep shadows into the light.

Proverbs 21:15 When justice is done, it brings joy to the righteous but terror to evildoers.

Proverbs 28:5 Evil men do not understand justice, but those who seek the Lord understand it fully.

2 Chronicles 7:14 If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then will I hear from heaven and will forgive their sin and will heal their land.

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 Majestic Bluffs, Room 122, 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
Address for Norma Palmer, Colleen's Mother - Teckawitha Nursing Home, 6 E. Chestnut St. Room #107, Sisseton, Sd 57262

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

Our sympathy to Vic & Patty Stuelpnagel, following the death of Vic's sister, Aurel Koehn, on Wednesday afternoon.

Thank you for all the prayers for my son, Tad. He is home recuperating from stent surgery. *Vic & Patty Stuelpnagel*

COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, October 18

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

Monday, October 19

7:00 PM Boy Scouts

Pastor Jake begins week of Continuing Education (out of office)

Tuesday, October 20

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

Wednesday, October 21

6:00 PM Anger Management Class thru FECC

7:30 PM Youth Group

Next Sunday, October 25

9:30 AM Worship in building and live-stream

PULPIT SUPPLY - Devon Rook

Lay Leader—Dorothea Hoebelheinrich

Open/close Building—Jean Prater

LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday, October 25 - Pulpit Supply, Devon Rook (2 Samuel 12:1-10)

Sunday, November 1 - Esther 6:1-14 Luke 19:35-40, 47-48

LIFE AT RRC

WEEKLY OFFERINGS:

Sept. 20: Regular Offering - \$1501.00

Sept. 27: Regular Offering - \$2932.00

Oct. 4: Regular Offering - \$2911.00; Building - \$170.00; Missions - \$30.00

Oct. 11: Regular Offering - \$2798.97 Building - \$40.00

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

Consistory Candidates for the 2021 election are:

Elders - Alan Egge, Janet Harris, B.J. Weins

Deacons— Renae Bouza, Rod Gall, Lisa Pibal

We will be voting in 2 new Elders and 2 new Deacons.

We will be holding the election on Sunday, November 1, during our congregational meeting. If you feel you cannot be here for the election, absentee ballots are available. They can be emailed to you, mailed to you, or picked up in the church office. Please return them prior to Sunday, November 1, either in person, thru the mail, or slipped thru the mail drop box.

CONSISTORY REPORT TO CONGREGATION

Meetings held October 12

The Elders addressed the constitutional question. They discussed those needing prayer. A letter will be sent to members who have not been able to meet in person, asking how the elders can serve them and their needs. Drive thru communion continues to be utilized. The Classis meeting will be held November 13 and 14 at Inspiration Hills.

The Deacons reported that the shortfall last month was \$2600. They are still asking members to increase their giving to meet expenses each month. The deacons made necessary drainage repairs to the restroom in front of the sanctuary. CARES funds were used in accordance with the guidelines and do not have to be repaid. Some tree removal will be done next spring.

Pastor Jake led the Consistory in a Dream/Mission session. He asked the questions: Who is RRC? How are we living into our Mission Statement? What is God saying to us? What are we going to do about it?

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.

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.

Help with live-stream/power point 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!!