

### 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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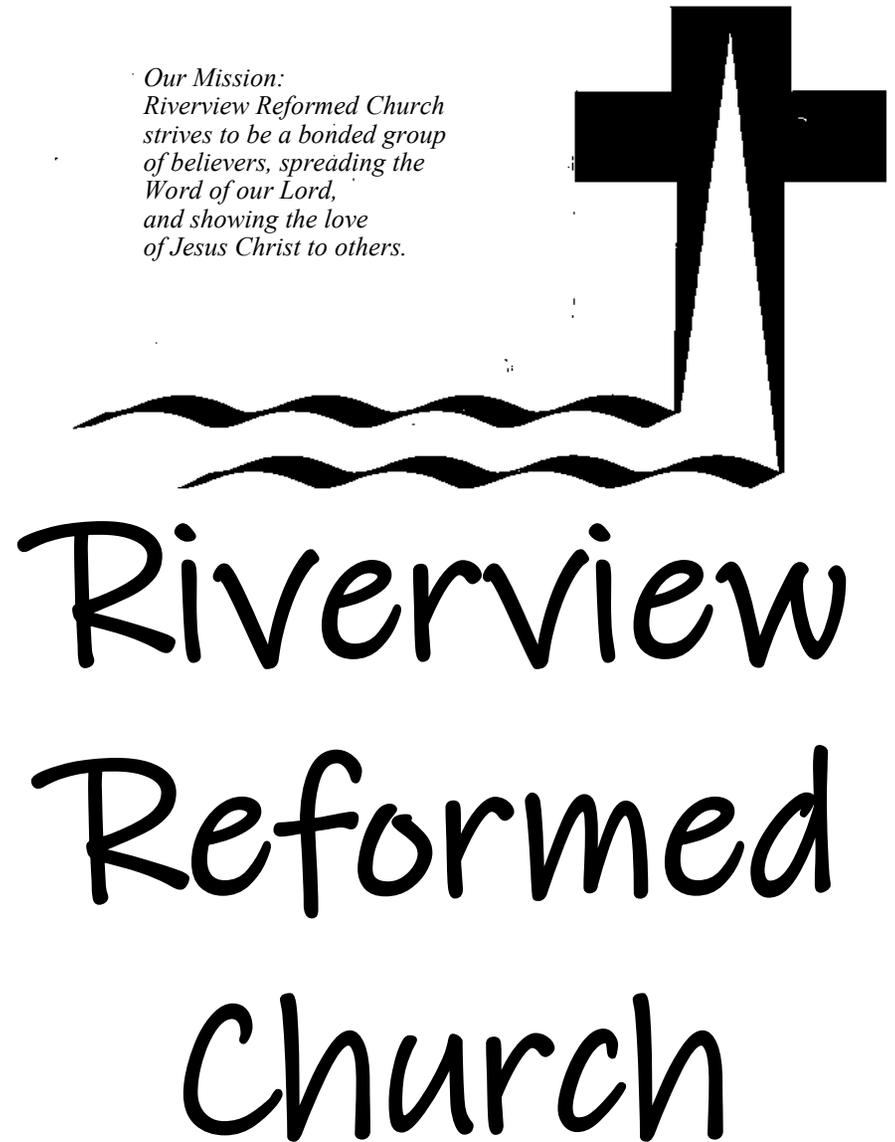
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*Our Mission:  
Riverview Reformed Church  
strives to be a bonded group  
of believers, spreading the  
Word of our Lord,  
and showing the love  
of Jesus Christ to others.*



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# SUNDAY, November 8, 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 - "If My People's Hearts are Humbled"

If My people's hearts are humbled, If they pray and seek My face; If they turn away from evil, I will not withhold My grace. I will hear their prayers from heaven; I will pardon ev'ry sin. If My people's hearts are humbled, I will surely heal their land.

Then My eyes will see their sorrow, Then My ears will hear their plea. If My people's hearts are humbled I will set their nation free. If My people's hearts are humbled, If they pray and seek My face; I f they turn away from evil, I will not withhold My grace.

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### \*Praise Song - "Glorify Thy Name"

Father, we love You, we worship and adore You, Glorify Thy name in all the earth. Glorify Thy name, glorify Thy name, Glorify Thy name in all the earth. Jesus, we love You, we worship and adore You, Glorify Thy name in all the earth. Glorify Thy name, glorify Thy name, Glorify Thy name in all the earth. Spirit, we love You, we worship and adores You, Glorify Thy name in all the earth. Glorify Thy name, glorify Thy name, Glorify Thy name in all the earth

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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 adores 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...*

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### \*Opening Prayer

\*Hymn #462 "Sunshine In My Soul"

Scripture Lesson - John 12:27-36

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## HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson - Esther 7:1-10

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MESSAGE:

"Life and Death, Part 2"

## GIVE TO GOD

OFFERING, Our Response to God's Love

\*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

\*Offertory Prayer

## GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

\*Closing Hymn #213 "The Light of the World Is Jesus"

\*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*

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ORGANIST: Bobbi Jo Carr PIANIST:  
LAY LEADER:  
SOUND SYSTEM, VIDEO, LIVE STREAM: Dan Sanow, Todd Carr  
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## 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.

Today's worship service will be online only.

No in-person service today due to covid.

**Men's Bible Study Group is** November 15, at 6:00 PM.

**With Advent approaching**, the first Sunday is in 3 weeks, on November 29, we will be looking for donations of poinsettias to help decorate the church Sanctuary for Christmas. Please be watching for poinsettias for purchase by the end of the month, to help us decorate. You can bring them anytime during the Advent Season. You can contact the church office if you would like to donate in Memory/Honor of someone special. We will not be having a large order placed through the church as in past years.

**Operation Christmas Child** boxes are available, if you wish to fill a box again to send to children in other locations, to help make their Christmas' a little brighter. Collection dates to have them back here to the church are November 16-23. Please mark them with boy or girl and age (we don't seem to have the pre-printed stickers to put on them at this point)

**Center of Hope** invites you to join us online for our Fall Benefit, Saturday, November 14 at 7 PM. We will be highlighting the ways God has been at work this year, as well as celebrating our 20 years of ministry. To join us that night, please visit our website [www.centerofhopesf.org](http://www.centerofhopesf.org) and click Fall Benefit Registration and follow the instructions.

**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.

### **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.*

**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

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

**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://tithely/widget/v3/give.js?3> which is also available on the church website

## COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

### Today, Sunday, November 8

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

### Monday, November 9

7:00 PM Boy Scouts

7:00 PM Consistory Meeting

### Tuesday, November 10

7:00 PM Women's ON-LINE Bible Study

### Wednesday, November 11

7:30 PM Youth Group

### Thursday, November 12

2:00 PM Women's Bible Study

### Friday & Saturday, November 13 and 14

Classis Meeting at Inspiration Hills

### Next Sunday, November 15

9:30 AM Worship in building and live-stream

Lay Leader—Alan Egge

Open/close Building—Jean Prater

Immediately following worship—Congregational Consistory voting

6:00 PM Men's Bible Study Group

### LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday, November 15 - Esther 8:1—10:3 Acts 18:9-17

Sunday, November 22 - Philemon 1:1-25 2 Samuel 9:1-13

## LIFE AT RRC

### WEEKLY OFFERINGS:

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

Oct. 18: Regular Offering - \$1962.00; Building - \$40.00

Oct. 25: Regular Offering - \$2155.00; Building - \$100.00; Missions - \$50.00

Nov. 1:

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.

**Another option for non-in-person worship** 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 next Sunday, November 15 following the worship service, during our congregational meeting. If you feel you cannot be here for the election, absentee ballots are available.

## 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!!