

### 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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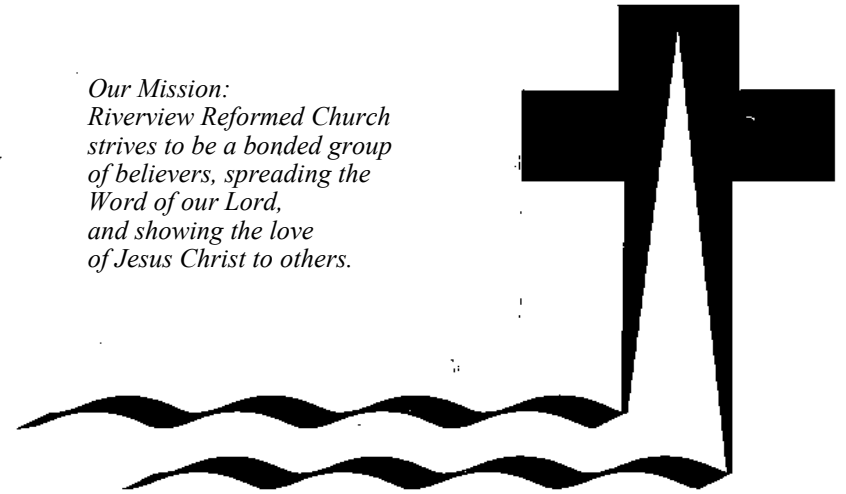
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# SUNDAY, March 14, 2021

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; If they turn away from evil, I will not withhold My grace.

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\*Praise Song - "Ten Thousand Reasons"

*REFRAIN: Bless the Lord, O my soul, O my soul; worship his holy name. Sing like ever before, O my soul; I'll worship your holy name.*

The sun comes up, it's a new day dawning; it's time to sing your song again. Whatever may pass, and whatever lies before me, let me be singing when the evening comes. *REFRAIN...*

You're rich in love, and you're slow to anger. Your name is great, and your heart is kind. For all your goodness, I will keep on singing ten thousand reasons for my heart to find. *REFRAIN...*

And on that day when my strength is failing, the end draws near, and my time has come; still, my soul will sing your praise unending ten thousand years and then forevermore! *REFRAIN...*

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\*Praise Song - "Blessed Be Your Name"

Blessed be your name in the land that is plentiful, where your streams of abundance flow; blessed be your name.

Blessed be your name when I'm found in the desert place. Though I walk through the wilderness, blessed be your name.

*REFRAIN: Every blessing you pour out I'll turn back to praise. When the darkness closes in, Lord, still I will say, "Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be your name. Blessed be the name of the Lord, blessed be your glorious name."*

Blessed be your name when the sun's shining down on me, when the world's "all as it should be". Blessed be your name.

Blessed be your name on the road marked with suffering; though there's pain in the offering, blessed be your name. *REFRAIN...*

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\*Opening Prayer

\*Hymn #496 :Victory In Jesus"

Scripture Lesson - 1 Kings 21:1-10

Ministry in Music - Janet Harris "If We're Honest"

## HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson - Matthew 19:13-30

**MESSAGE:**

**"Who Belongs?"**

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERING, Our Response to God's Love

\*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

\*Offertory Prayer

GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

\*Closing Hymn #383 "Follow, I Will Follow 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.

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Postlude

*\*PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE*

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*ORGANIST:* Marcie Kruse

*PIANIST:* Patty Stuelpnagel

*LAY LEADER:* Janet Harris

*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.

Thank you to Janet Harris, for her special music this morning.

## A Lenten Journey of Prayer 2021

(You are invited to pray with us throughout the season of Lent. May God bless you during this Holy Season!! ~Christ the King Lutheran Church)

### March 14 A Prayer for Fire Departments

We pray for fire departments in our community and in our nation. We pray that you would bless both volunteer and professional fire fighters with wisdom, courage and safety. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen. - Pastor

### March 15 A Prayer for EMS Workers

Jesus, you are the great physician, we come to you giving thanks for the work of EMS workers. We pray that you would keep them safe from injury and infection. We pray that you would bless their efforts to save lives. Grant them strength for their work, and comfort them in their sorrows. In Jesus' Name. Amen. - Pastor

### March 16 Manufacturing in Yankton

Heavenly Father, we thank You today for the employees and management of Kolberg/Pioneer Inc., Hydro, Wilson Trailer Co., Manitou, Shurco, Truxedo, Muller Ind., L&M Radiator Inc., and any other manufacturing companies in our community. We thank You for the many opportunities that each company offers. We ask that You bless each employee and member of management with safety, health, and prosperity. We pray that the decisions made by management would help their employees to succeed. Also, please bless them with opportunities to hear and share Your word and love. In Your precious name Jesus. Amen --Mike Diede, Ret. Kolberg/Pioneer

### March 17 A Prayer for Small Businesses

Dear God, we pray that you bless all the small business and their owners in our community today. Give them courage and strength to persevere the hard times and be thankful in the good times. Help the people in our community see how unique they are and let them see the hard work they all put into their businesses. Let the community see how important these businesses are whether it be paying taxes, providing jobs and most importantly that they are here because they love their community and the people in the community. Please open their eyes and hearts to see that these small businesses need their support to prosper and grow and in turn all the small businesses will give back to the community and help support the needs of the community. We pray that you keep us all safe, that we may be kind to one another and supportive of each other. Amen ---Sherry & Curt Neuharth

### March 18 A Prayer for Restaurants

Gracious God, you have given us food to satisfy us and give us joy. We pray for those who own and work in restaurants that you would bless them as they serve others. We pray that their businesses would provide good jobs. We pray that you would give the owners wisdom and compassion so that their business would prosper and they might provide a place where special events are celebrated and memories are made. Amen --Pastor

### March 19 A Prayer for those who work in offices

Heavenly Father, we pray for all those who work in offices in businesses, manufacturing, government and churches. We pray that you would bless them with patience, with compassion and make their work satisfying. We pray that they would treat all who need assistance with respect and that they would be treated with understanding and respect as well. Your son came to serve, not to be served...keep us mindful of His example. Amen. -Pastor

### March 20 A Prayer for our City

Heavenly Father, we come together today in prayer to ask that you bless Yankton, our elected officials, and our neighbors in service to our community. Guide us to make decisions with compassion and to lead with integrity. Keep our hearts open so that we may seek truth and unity. Give us strength so that we may listen deeply to each other and meet one another with civility and respect. Give us wisdom to see and humility to ask forgiveness for our own failings as well as the grace to forgive our neighbors. Allow us to be present in your love so that we may always be grateful for the many reasons we are blessed to live in Yankton. Amen.  
--Amy Leon, City Manager

**EPHESIANS 6:10-11** Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. Put on the full armor of God so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes.

**2 CORINTHIANS 5:7** We live by faith, not by sight.

**PROVERBS 17:15** Acquitting the guilty and condemning the innocent—the Lord detests them both.

**PROVERBS 17:23** A wicked man accepts a bribe in secret to pervert the course of

**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. EVERY-ONE is welcome!

**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

### 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

## Easter Lilies

With Easter fast approaching, we will be looking for donations of Easter Lilies (or spring flowers) to help decorate the Sanctuary for Easter morning. Your donations can be brought between Palm Sunday and Easter Sunday, but will not be put out until Easter morning service. You can donate them in honor of/ in memory of family or friends by contacting the church office. Thank you!

**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.

**Consistory Meeting Update:** Consistory was held on Monday, March . The Elders discussed changes to how we do communion during covid, and offering a membership class. The deacons reported on our current financial situation with current checking being \$43,000 and mortgage at \$48,484.60. The Soupless Soup Kitchen got within a couple hundred of its \$5,000 matching number (\$4,634.00 to date), which will go to the next mortgage payment. Consistory has made changes to the guidelines for in-person services that will provide more seating in the sanctuary as more people come to in-person services.

## COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

### Today, Sunday, March 14

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

### Monday, March 15

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Group  
7:00 PM Boy Scouts

### Tuesday, March 16

6:30 AM Small Group Meeting

### Wednesday, March 17

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Group  
6:30 PM Youth Group

### Friday, March 19

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Group

### Next Sunday, March 21

9:30 AM Worship in building and live-stream  
Lay Leader—Alan Egge  
Special Music - Women's Trio  
Open/close Building—Jean Prater

### LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday, March 21 - Matthew 20:17-28 Psalm 110:1-7

Sunday, March 28 - Matthew 21:1-17 Psalm 8:1-9

**A MONTHLY CALENDAR FOR EACH MONTH** (which is normally printed and distributed in the Sunday bulletins) can also be found on the website page.

## LIFE AT RRC

### WEEKLY OFFERINGS:

Feb. 14: Regular Offering - \$3020.00; Building - \$908.00  
(\$858 of the building fund was in Memory of Chuck Haffner)  
Feb. 21: Regular Offering - \$4525.00; Building - \$232.00  
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Feb. 28: Regular Offering - \$2608.00; Building - \$50.00; Missions - \$25.00  
Mar. 7: Regular Offering - \$4192.00; 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. 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

**EPHESIANS 6:12** For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms.

**NEW CHURCH DIRECTORY** - in your church mailboxes. Please pick them up at your convenience. If you are not in church on Sunday, please feel free to stop by during the week and pick up when the building is unlocked. If you feel you cannot pick it up in person, contact the church office and we can mail it to you...but to avoid a large postage expense, if you can pick it up would be helpful. Please check if any corrections need to be made. If so, contact the office, so corrections can be printed in the Sunday bulletin.

**Baby Bottle Boomerang**. "Thank you so much to the Riverview Church family for generously participating in the Baby Bottle Boomerang for Missouri Valley Pregnancy Resource Center. We were able to raise \$9,885 through our fundraiser. Within the Riverview family, you raised \$568.65. Because of you, women and couples experiencing an unplanned pregnancy will receive the education, resources and hope they need to choose life for their unborn babies. Thank you for your support." ~~Rachel Jones, Founder/Executive Director (NOTE: After receiving this thank you, we turned in another over \$120 donation, so RRC's total was over \$688. Also, the Missouri Valley Pregnancy Resource Center will soon be changing their official name to ZoeCare.)

**UPDATE ON SERVING THE BANQUET** RRC will serve the Banquet at the UCC Building on April 8. Deacons are looking for **donations of ground beef, as well as bars or cookies.** There is a sign up sheet on the foyer table, for anyone willing to bring bars/cookies. If you have ground beef, please contact one of the deacons. If you donate cookies/bars, please drop them off here at OUR church, and they will be picked up by one of the people who will be taking everything to the UCC building. We are also accepting **CASH donations** to help cover the cost of supplies, and food items, such as bags of chips, fruit cups, buns, etc.

**Help with live-stream/power point** As many of you are aware our Sound System and Powerpoint for church has changed a bit since covid. We know there are many in the congregation who are able to help with one of these and have in the past. In an effort to help you all familiarize yourselves with the changes, we ask you to come up to the balcony on Sunday, March 21. We are planning to have an information meeting with Todd and Dan to show people what has changed or even how to run the sound board or powerpoint. We hope you can join us as we seek more help with these things during a Sunday service and possibly volunteer when we have funerals.

**Membership Class** The Elders have decided to offer a membership class due to requests for membership and baptisms. This class is not meant only for those considering membership, but for anyone who would like to better understand the church of Riverview Reformed that they are a part of both current members and regular attendees. The class will be an hour for four weeks starting in April. It will cover Who are we?, What we believe?, What are the sacraments (Baptism and Communion) and Next Steps. If you are interested, please contact Pastor Jake, so we can gauge interest and then determine dates and times.

**Game Day** Pastor Jake and Dan Sanow are planning to host a board game activity at church in the Fellowship Hall. If you like to join, it will be Saturday, March 27 at 2:00 PM. Feel free to bring snacks. If we are still playing around supper time, we will order pizza. If we do order pizza, a donation to help cover the cost would be appreciated. Contact Pastor Jake or Dan if you have any questions.

**UPCOMING COMMUNION** Communion will be available on Maundy Thursday evening at our 7:00 PM service. We will NOT be having communion the first Sunday of April which is Easter Sunday. Watch for upcoming communion distribution details.

**Ministry of Music Sign Up** There is a new ministry of music sign up sheet on the foyer table for the months thru June, for anyone who would like to volunteer to do special music on Sunday mornings again.