

### 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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Worship    Education    Hospitality    Missions

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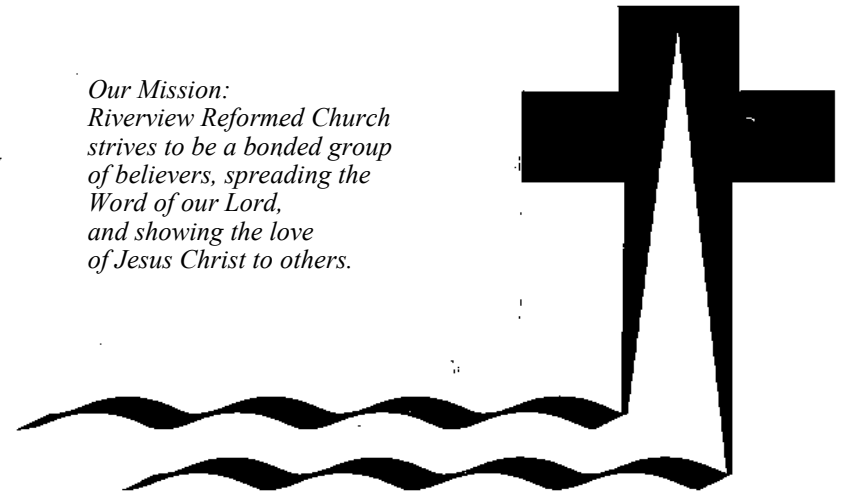
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*Our Mission:  
Riverview Reformed Church  
strives to be a bonded group  
of believers, spreading the  
Word of our Lord,  
and showing the love  
of Jesus Christ to others.*



# Riverview Reformed Church

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# SUNDAY, May 2, 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 - "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...*

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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 - "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 #175 "Standing on the Promises"

Scripture Lesson - Mark 15:21-32

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Words of Hope - Brad Zomer

## HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Pastoral Prayer

Special Music - Laura Weins "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

Scripture Lesson - Exodus 12:21-42

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**MESSAGE: "Leaving Egypt"**

## GIVE TO GOD

OFFERING, Our Response to God's Love

\*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

\*Offertory Prayer

## GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

\*Closing Hymn #225 "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say"

\*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: Teresa Gall PIANIST: Patty Stuelpnagel  
LAY LEADER: Dorothea Hoebelheinrich  
SOUND SYSTEM, VIDEO, LIVE STREAM: Dan Sanow, Todd Carr, Jay Ruppelt  
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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 Laura Weins, for her special music this morning. Laura will sing "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" in honor of Lois Streyle's birthday next Sunday, per Lois' request.

**CHANGE IN MAY CALENDAR** The Men's Bible Study Group will only meet on Sunday, May 16 at 6 PM during the month of May. They will NOT be meeting on the 9th or 23rd, as previously posted on the calendar. Plans then for the summer will be to meet once a month.

**APRIL 12, CONSISTORY MEETING UPDATE:** The elders approved the transfer of a member and are considering a letter to be sent as part of the yearly membership review. The Deacons reported on a variety of projects and activities happening or planned for RRC. In checking, we have about \$60,000, an increase from last month due to anonymous donations. The Banquet was able to use our donations of food to serve 263 individuals. Plans have been furthered on having a Boy Scout paint lines and put up signs in the parking lot, along with doing landscaping around the church. There was discussion to put handrails up in the front of the sanctuary. As a consistory, we talked about the Great Commandments (Matthew 22:34-40) and the Great Commission (Matthew 28:18-20). The consistory plans on restarting ministry teams on May 18 at 7 PM. In May, Dakota Classis representatives plan to meet with the consistory, and our congregation in August, about our petition to leave the RCA. Consistory has decided to allow for coffee, juice and snacks to be brought back to the fellowship hour after church. There is a sign up sheet for those willing to make/serve coffee, juice and snacks on Sundays. Servers are asked to wear a mask and gloves while serving.

**Creation Conference** July 23-24, 2021 at Hastings Evangelical Free Church (2015 N. St. Joseph Ave. in Hastings, NE) Hear clear and compelling evidence from experienced teachers supporting a historical Genesis and Biblical authority. Speakers with an accumulated 30+ years of creation teaching. Go to [www.csc20.com](http://www.csc20.com) to find out more and to register. This is a free non-denomination event.

### **SIXTEEN HIDDEN BOOKS:**

How well do you recognize God when he's in plain view right before you?

I once made a remark about the hidden books of the Bible. It was a lulu; kept people looking so hard for facts...and for others it was a revelation. Some were in a jam especially since the names of the books were not capitalized. But the truth finally struck home to numbers of our readers. To others, it was a real job. We want this to be a most fascinating few moments for you. Yes, there will be some really easy ones to spot. Others may require lawyers and judges to help them. I will quickly admit it usually takes a minister to find one of them, and there will be a loud lamentation when it is found. A little lady says she brews a cup of tea so she can concentrate better. See how well you can compete. Relax now, for there really are sixteen names of books of the Bible in this paragraph.

### **PLANT YOUR SPRING GARDEN**

3 rows of peas:

Peace of mind, peace of heart, peace of soul.

3 rows of squash:

Squash indifference, squash hatred, squash bullying.

3 rows of lettuce:

Let us be kind, let us be compassionate, let us love one another.

Water with patience and cultivate with love.

**Yankton Area Right to Life Chapter** There is a meeting held every first Tuesday of each month at 7:15 PM at the St. Benedict Catholic Church. All are welcome to attend. Any questions, please call Tanya Johnson at 605-660-3780.

**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

### **TODAY, immediately following the worship service...** Dedication

Sunday for the stained glass "windows" hanging in the foyer, in Memory of Dan Bouza. It will take place after the worship service at approximately 10:45 AM.

### **Out of Office** Teresa will be out of the office this Thursday and Friday.

The bulletin will be printed by Wednesday for next Sunday. Please have any information you wish to have published to the office asap.

## COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

### Today, Sunday, May 2

9:30 AM Worship service in building and via: live stream  
10:45 AM Stained glass window dedication in the foyer

### Monday, May 3

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

### Tuesday, May 4

6:30 AM Small Group Meeting

### Wednesday, May 5

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class  
6:00 PM Anger Management Class  
7:30 PM Youth Group

### Friday, May 7

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class

### Next Sunday, May 9 - MOTHER'S DAY

9:30 AM Worship in building and live-stream  
Lay Leader—Janet Harris  
Open/close Building—Weins  
Deacons—Jean Prater  
HyVee Cards—Patty Stuelpnagel  
Ministry in Music—volunteers welcome

### LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday, May 9 - Exodus 14:15-31 1 Corinthians 10:1-4  
Sunday, May 16 - Exodus 15:1-18 Revelation 19:11-16

**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:

Apr. 4: Regular Offering - \$2640.00; Building - \$40.00; Missions \$50.00  
Apr. 11: Regular Offering - \$2655.48; Building - \$48.00  
Apr. 18: Regular Offering - \$2495.00  
Apr. 25: Regular Offering - \$2328.00; 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

**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.

**Help with live-stream/power point** Things are finally finding new routines with church after covid brought changes. One of those changes was streaming our Sunday services. Now that the changes made for streaming are stable for the long term, we are asking for volunteers to help with Streaming/Sound board and Powerpoint. If you are interested in helping or have questions with streaming and sound board, we ask you to please contact Pastor Jake, Dan Sanow, or Todd Carr. **If you are interested in helping with Powerpoint**, which is just pushing a button to move the slide forward, please put your name down on **the sign up sheet in the foyer.**

**Membership Class** If you would like to join us in exploring who we are and what we believe as Riverview Reformed Church in a membership class, dates are set. The plan is to meet Thursdays on May 6, 13, 20 and June 3 at 6 PM. The plan is for each class to be an hour only. Please let Pastor Jake or one of the Elders if you would like to participate.

**Opening/Closing Church building** We have gotten a couple more volunteers to help with opening/locking the building on Sunday mornings, but can always use a few more. The more we have, the fewer times a year everyone has to help. **If you are interested, please sign the sheet on the foyer table**, and we'll get you on the next rotation schedule. If you have questions, please talk with an Elder, Pastor Jake, or Teresa.

**Help appreciated with selling HyVee Cards** We are looking for volunteers to help sell HyVee cards again before/after church services. If you are willing to help do this, **please sign your name to the sheet in the foyer**, and we'll get a rotation schedule started.

**Ladies Night Out** Ladies Night Out is possibly going to start up again. Please sign up on the sheet in the foyer if you are interested in attending, and you may contact Jean Prater for the first event details.

**Graduations** May is the month for graduations. If you have any family members graduating this spring (high school, college, etc) please let the office know, and they will be posted in the bulletins  
**Graduating Sunday May 23 from Yankton High School** - Sara Carr  
**Graduating Sunday May 23 from Yankton High School** - Kloe Gall, Rod & Teresa Gall's granddaughter

**New Address for Sherry Oare** - 3621 Bluegill Dr., Lake Havasu City, AZ 86406. Phone 951-206-9078

**BOARD GAME ACTIVITY** Pastor Jake & Dan Sanow are hosting a board game activity at church in the basement. If you would like to join them, it will be May 22nd at 2 PM. Contact Jake or Dan if you have any questions. There is a sign up sheet on the foyer table if you would like to attend.