

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and Earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and buried. He descended into Hell. The third day He arose again from the dead. He ascended into Heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy universal Church; the Communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

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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PLEASE HAVE ALL BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

in to the office by Wednesday afternoon.

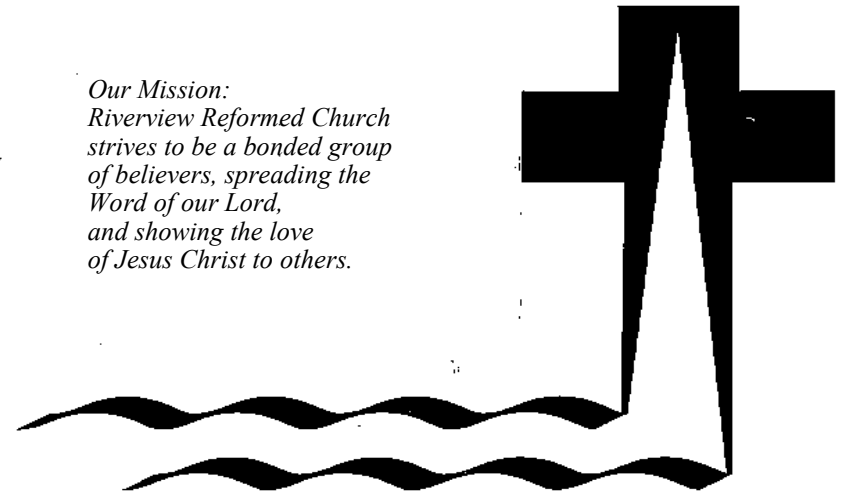
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SUNDAY, January 16, 2022

9:15 AM Pre-Service 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

(Please sign the attendance pads in the pews)

*Praise Song - "We Are So Blessed" (Pg 564 in Blue Hymnal to follow along with notes)
We are so blessed by the gifts from Your hand, I just can't understand why You've loved us so much. We are so blessed, we just can't find a way or the words that can say, Thank You, Lord, for Your touch. When we're empty— You fill us—'til we overflow, When we're hungry—You feed us—and cause us to know; We are so blessed, Take what we have to bring; Take it all, ev'ry-thing, Lord, we love You so much.

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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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*Praise Song - "You're Worthy of My Praise"

I will worship with all of my heart. I will praise You with all of my strength. I will seek You all of my days. I will follow all of Your ways.
REFRAIN: I will give You all my worship, I will give You all my praise. You alone I long to worship. You alone are worthy of my praise.
I will bow down and hail You as King. I will serve You, give You ev'rything. I will lift up my eyes to Your throne. I will trust You, trust You alone.
REFRAIN...

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*Opening Prayer

*Hymn #175 "Standing on the Promises" (Red Hymnal)

Scripture Lesson - Psalm 1:1-6

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Installation & Ordination of New Consistory

Ministry in Music - Janet Harris

HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Pastoral Prayer /Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson - Mark 2:1-17

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MESSAGE: "The Authority of a Messiah"

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" (Red Hymnal)

*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: Janet Harris

GREETERS: Egges & Haaks

HYVEE CARDS: Renae Bouza

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.

A nursery is available down the hallway past the water fountain for young children to use during the morning worship.

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 viruses if you feel uncomfortable with a handshake, please give a friendly wave to avoid spreading any unwanted germs, 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.

PRE-SERVICE PRAYER TIME

We have begun our pre-service prayer time again on Sunday mornings at 9:15 AM before the Worship Service, meeting in the Adult Sunday School Room area. All are welcome to join in prayer for the service, for those who help in the service, and for God's word to be heard.

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

You can see RRC Church Services broadcast on your Public Access Channels in Yankton on Saturday evenings at 7:00 PM.

Thank you to Janet Harris, for her Ministry in Music this morning.

THE CONGREGATIONAL FINANCIAL MEETING for the yearly budget will be held this morning, immediately following the worship service. There will be no Adult Sunday School.

New Church Directory - a New Church Directory will be printed soon. Please be sure the church office has your current address, phone number, or email address.

NEEDED: For the next session of Riverview Kids, Renae Bouza is looking for empty frozen juice cans. If you buy frozen juice, please save your cans for Renae. If you have questions, you may contact Renae.

Baby Bottle Boomerang Fundraiser for ZoeCare

We will be participating again in the Baby Bottle Boomerang Fundraiser for ZoeCare. Bottles will be available by next Sunday. Please pick up a bottle, take it home and start collecting your coins (or cash or checks), to help with the continued ministry of ZoeCare. Next Sunday is the Sanctity of Human Life Sunday. We will be collecting money in the baby bottles thru Sunday, February 27.

Inspiration Hills 2022 Sumer Camp Brochures are available on the foyer table. Registration opens February 1...save money by registering before April 15. Camps available for students entering 1st grade thru 12th grade, along with family camps. Check out what's available.

2021 Financial Giving Statements are in your church mailboxes. If you have given to RRC during 2021 thru the Sunday morning offerings in a way that they could be recorded, a statement has been printed for you. If you have given, even if you are NOT a member, we do have mailboxes out in the foyer for you, also. If you have given ONLINE thru our tithly offering, you will need to print off your own giving statements or contact a Deacon for assistance.

There are still 3 poinsettia plants that were donated for Christmas that have not been taken home yet (2 in the Fellowship Hall and 1 in the foyer). If you donated a plant and have not taken it home yet, please do so. If you donated and do NOT want to take it home, please let the office know, so we can offer it to someone who may want one.

Romans 8:28 And we know that in all things god works for the good of those who love hi, 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.

Isaiah 5:20 Woe to those who call evil good and good evil, who put darkness for light and light for darkness, who put bitter for sweet and sweet for bitter.

Jeremiah 29:11 For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.

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

INSTALLATION & ORDINATION OF NEW CONSISTORY TODAY:

Being installed as Elder—Terry Poelstra

Being ordained and installed as Elder—Dave Reck

Being installed as Deacon—Kevin DeJong

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

Calendars There are a limited amount of 2022 Calendars, courtesy of Opsahl-Kostel Funeral Home, available on the foyer counter.

Our Sympathy to Janice & Dale Van Gerpen and Kevin DeJong, on the death of their brother/uncle, Clarence Vanderlei

Our Sympathy to Barb & Mark Clayton, on the death of Barb's mother., Helen Linke.

COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, January 16

9:30 AM Worship service in building and via: live stream
10:45 AM Congregational Financial Meeting

Monday, January 17

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

Tuesday, January 18

7:00 PM Ministry Team Meeting

Wednesday, January 19

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Group
6:00 PM Anger Management Class
6:30 PM Family Night with Bunco (please bring snacks to share)

Thursday, January 20

7:00 PM Mystery Book Club

Friday, January 21

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Group

Next Sunday, January 23

9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time
9:30 AM Worship in building and live-stream
Lay Leader—Dave Reck
Open/close Building - Jean Prater
HyVee Cards—Gina Haak
Greeters—Lois Streyle & Harris'
10:50 AM Adult Sunday School

LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday, January 23 - Mark 3:13-35 2 Samuel 15:1-12
Sunday, January 30 - Mark 4:21-41 Jeremiah 16:14-21

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:

December 19: Regular Offering - \$2405.00; Building - \$240.00; Missions - \$100.00
December 26: Regular Offering - \$6888.00; Building - \$11.00
January 2: Regular Offering - \$2297.00; Building - \$40.00
January 9: Regular Offering - \$4318.79; Building - \$9.00

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.

HyVee Cards are available on Sunday mornings before the worship service in the Fellowship Hall

January Consistory meeting will be Monday, January 17 at 7:00 PM.

Sunday Refreshments after church We have started up the coffee and goodies after church service again. We do ask for VOLUNTEERS to bring treats or donations. There is a sign up sheet on the foyer table for anyone willing to bring treats, if you routinely stay for coffee and cookies, or would like to. We just ask that you bring the treats, serve them, and then clean up afterwards.

Please consider helping with the following:

****Help with live-stream/power point.** If you are interested in helping or have questions with streaming and sound board, we ask you to please contact Dan Sanow or Todd Carr.
****Opening/Closing Church building** 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. Please sign your name to the sheet in the foyer, and we'll get a rotation schedule started.

Next Ladies Night Out is scheduled for Tuesday, February 8 at 5:30 PM at Mexico Viejo. A sign up sheet is on the foyer table.

FAMILY NIGHT Plan to attend on Wednesday, January 19, 2022 at 6:30 PM. Bunco will be played, and please bring your favorite snacks to share.

Deacons News—NEW Funeral Policy for RRC. It was discussed and approved at the Consistory meeting, that for future funerals, RRC congregation will provide desserts and beverages for Funeral Luncheons, but if a family requires a "meal", catering arrangements will need to be made. **ALSO, we are looking for volunteers** who are willing to be on a committee to be the "contact" people when funerals occur, who will contact people to bring desserts and ask for serving helpers. It would be appreciated if we could have 2 or 3 people on this committee. If you would be able to help on this committee, please contact the church office or a Deacon.

Consistory update: For Consistory, Our devotion came from 1 Kings 12:25-33 which brought discussion around how do we leave the RCA well and not be led astray from following Jesus. Elders welcomed two new members to our congregation through transfer. The Deacons have been able to complete projects, such as carpets cleaned and parking lot repainted, while looking for ways to help and serve those in and out of our congregation, through the Soup Kitchen, Banquet, and how to do food at funerals going forward. The deacons discussed plans for the 2022 budget since we had a deficit so far this year and reported on current finances with our checking account being at \$25,070.15 and the mortgage loan being at \$18,959.83 left with begin on track to have things paid off by August 2022. Consistory discussed other things, such as looking forward to hospitality teams chili feed on Dec. 15, Missions Months with meals for Homeless Shelter in December, January United Way donation plans and January 16 being the next Congregational meeting and the installation and ordination service for the incoming Elders and Deacons. The Consistory voted and approved the separation agreement presented by Dakota Classis to finalize our move from the RCA to ARC. Please pray for wisdom and guidance for our church in this time of transition to a new denomination like Consistory discussed in its devotion, as we try to be intentional so not to be led astray from following Jesus.