

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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You may e-mail messages to the church office at rprc@iw.net

Check out our website at Riverviewreformed.org—

You can view the weekly bulletin and monthly calendar on our web page

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SUNDAY, April 3, 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 - "Ancient Words"

Holy words long preserved for our walk in this world, they resound with God's own heart, O let the ancient words impart.

Words of life, words of hope, give us strength, help us cope. In this world where're we roam—ancient words will guide us home.

*REFRAIN: Ancient words, ever true, changing me and changing you.
We have come with open hearts, O let the ancient words impart.*

Holy words of our faith handed down to this age came to us through sacrifice, O heed the faithful words of Christ.

Holy words long preserved for our walk in this world, they resound with God's own heart. O let the ancient words impart. *REFRAIN...*

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*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 - "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 #212 "Nothing But the Blood" (Red Hymnal)

Scripture Lesson - Genesis 3:1-12

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HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Pastoral Prayer /Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson - Luke 7:36-50

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MESSAGE: "Nothing Personal" By Bob Vander Schaaf

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERING, Our Response to God's Love

*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

*Offertory Prayer

GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

*Closing Hymn #310 "Whiter Than Snow" (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: Marcie Kruse PIANIST: Teresa Gall
LAY LEADER: Doyle Guthmiller GREETERS: Dixie Church & Baltzers
HYVEE CARDS: Gina Haak OPEN/CLOSE: Weins

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 our pre-service prayer time 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 Bob Vander Schaaf, for being our guest minister this morning.

LIVING LAST SUPPER AT RRC ON MONDAY, APRIL 11

Thirteen men from Centerville and surrounding communities have been rehearsing for upcoming performances of "The Living Last Supper", a drama written by Ernest K. Emurian, based on Jesus and his twelve apostles moments after Jesus declares that one of them will betray him. It has been four years since the production was last presented in Centerville and other area churches due to Covid, and these gentlemen are ready to take this ministry into various churches again. This year we have a wonderful mix of veteran performers and several new cast members that include Tim Ritter, Jim Nelson, Kevin Hecht, Tim Bjordal, Dave Stephenson, Jon Marohl, Pastor Maxwell Whiteheard, Justin Knutson, Dean Knutson, Steven Holmberg, Zech Stake, Matt Hybertson and Daniel Knutson. The Rev. Carroll Marohl, Pastor of Spirit of Hope Church in Scotland, will provide our narration, and area musicians will once again add various music selections. Performances are set for Holy Week, including Palm Sunday, Apr. 10, 5 PM at Scandia Lutheran Church in Centerville; **Monday, Apr. 11, 7 PM at Riverview Reformed Church in Yankton;** Tuesday, Apr. 12, 7 PM at Spring Valley Lutheran Church in rural Viborg; Wednesday, Apr. 13, 7 PM at Redeemer Free Lutheran church in Canton. There will be no admission charged, but a free will offering will be collected each night and given to a local charity of the groups' choosing. If you have questions regarding any of the performances, please contact Vonni Knutson at 605-563-2390. Make plans to attend this moving presentation!

MARCH 14 Consistory Update:

Our devotion at Consistory was from Acts 2:36-47. The passage helped us dig deeply in the question "what is church?" We had a very powerful discussion around the church in Acts and the church at RRC. Two of the biggest take-aways were around having testimonies be a part of the service and that only by having a deep desire to love and follow the resurrected Jesus can we be what a church is called to be. Seth, Class/Network Pastor, was able to join and explore with us Pastor Jake's responsibilities and what accountability can look like for members now that we have joined ARC. Discussion around the creation of a team of 6-8 member from church to be formed to discern with Seth the future of RRC. It was noted that in April we will only have communion once, on April 14 at the Maundy Thursday service, and NOT on the first Sunday of April. Deacons discussed current finances being: checking \$20,854.22, HyVee account balance \$12,503.01, Souplless Soup Kitchen \$2,566, Loan Balance \$12,608.06, and a donation of \$500 to be sent to help people in Ukraine.

PASTOR JAKE is out of the office all of this week for his Continuing Education week.

COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, April 3

9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time
9:30 AM Worship service in building and via: live stream
10:45 AM RIVERIVEW KIDS
10:50 AM Adult Sunday School

Monday, April 4

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

Wednesday, April 6

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

Thursday, April 7

6:00 PM Serve "The Banquet" at the UCC Building

Friday, April 8

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Group

Next Sunday, April 10 PALM SUNDAY

9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time
9:30 AM Worship in building and live-stream
Lay Leader—Rodney Gall
Open/close Building - Colleen Palmer
HyVee Cards—Colleen Palmer
Greeters—Schnabels & Haaks
Ministry in Music—Riverview Kids
10:45 AM RIVERIVEW KIDS
10:50 AM Adult Sunday School

LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday, April 10—Palm Sunday, Hebrews 11:1-11 Mark 11:1-11
Sunday, April 17—Easter Sunday, Mark 16:1-20

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:

March 6: Regular Offering - \$2687.35; Missions - \$180.00
March 13: Regular Offering - \$5263.23; Building - \$230.00; Missions - \$150.00
March 20: Regular Offering - \$2212.00; Building - \$40.00
March 27: Regular Offering - \$2204.00; Building - \$140.00; Missions - \$681.00

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

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.
****Serving treats/goodies after church** - sign up sheet on the foyer table.

NEW SCHEDULES FOR MAY—AUG. ARE IN YOUR CHURCH MAILBOXES

Next Ladies Night Out is scheduled for Wednesday, May 4th, at 5:30 PM at Toby's in Meckling. Meet at the church at 5:10 PM to carpool. A sign up sheet is on the foyer table.

Looking ahead: RRC will serve **the Banquet** at the UCC Building on Thursday, April 7. We will be serving taverns and will be requesting donations of hamburger. Also there is a sign up sheet on the foyer counter for volunteers for workers, and bar/cookie donations. If you have any questions, please talk with a Deacon..

LOOKING AHEAD RRC will be holding a Rummage sale here on Friday & Saturday, April 29-30. You may bring items, if you wish to donate them to the rummage sale.

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Baby Bottle Boomerang for ZoeCare! ZoeCare was blessed beyond belief by your generosity. Thirteen local churches participated and raised a total of \$11,322.50. RRC raised \$307.26. Thank you for being authentically Pro-Life and helping to shine the light of the gospel in this dark world.

VBS Planning Meeting There will be a VBS planning meeting on Monday, April 11 at 11 AM at Danielle Van Der Linden's house. Anyone who would like to be a part of the planning is welcome to join! The *tentative* date for VBS is Tuesday, May 24 from 8:30 to 3 PM, so please keep that date in mind.

PLEASE ENLIGHTEN US A couple of things have mysteriously "appeared" at church, much to the surprise of us in the office. If you know of where the following items came from, please enlighten the office, as we are still mystified: A ream of 11X17 paper in the secretary office (and if this belongs to you, please be sure to pick it up); Also, the HUGE brown stuffed bear in the nursery. We're just curious where these came from.

Looking ahead to Holy Week in April

Sunday, April 10—Palm Sunday 9:30 AM Worship - (Riverview Kids will provide special music)

Monday, April 11—7:00 PM The Living Last Supper

Thursday, April 14—7:00 PM Maundy Thursday Service—with COMMUNION

Sunday, April 17—EASTER Sunday, 9:30 AM Worship (Janet Harris will provide special music)

****NOTE for April:** We will NOT have Communion on the first Sunday of the month, which would be April 3. COMMUNION will be held on Maundy Thursday evening, April 14. ALSO: we will be requesting donations of Easter Lilies to help decorate the sanctuary for Easter morning.