

### 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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### MINISTRY TEAMS

Worship    Discipleship    Hospitality    Missions

### PLEASE HAVE ALL BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

in to the office by Wednesday afternoon.

**Check us out on Facebook:** [www.facebook.com/riverviewreformedchurch](http://www.facebook.com/riverviewreformedchurch)

**You may** e-mail messages to the church office at [rprc@iw.net](mailto:rprc@iw.net)

Check out our website at [Riverviewreformed.org](http://Riverviewreformed.org)—

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

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# Riverview Reformed Church

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# SUNDAY, August 28, 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 - "Let It Be Said of Us"  
Let it be said of us that the Lord was our passion, That with gladness we bore ev'ry cross we were given. That we fought the good fight, that we finished the course, Knowing within us the pow'r of the risen Lord.  
*REFRAIN: Let the cross be our glory, and the Lord be our song; By mercy made holy, by the Spirit made strong. Let the cross be our glory, and the Lord be our song; 'Til the likeness of Jesus be through us made known. Let the cross be our glory and the Lord be our song.*  
Let it be said of us, we were marked by forgiveness, W were known by our love, and delighted in meekness. We were ruled by His peace, heeding unity's call, Joined as one body that Christ would be seen by all. *REFRAIN...*

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\*Praise Song - "Lamb of God"  
Your only Son, no sin to hide, but You have sent Him from Your side, to walk upon this guilty sod, and to become the Lamb of God.  
*REFRAIN: O Lamb of God, sweet Lamb of God, I love the holy Lamb of God! O wash me in His precious blood my Jesus Christ, the Lamb of God.*  
Your gift of love, they crucified, they laughed and scorned Him as He died, the humble King they named a fraud and sacrificed the Lamb of God. *REFRAIN..*  
I was so lost, I should have died, but You have brought me to Your side, to be led by Your staff and rod, and to be called a lamb of God. *REFRAIN...*

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\*Praise Song - "Great Are You, Lord"  
Holy Lord, Most Holy Lord, You alone are worthy of my praise. O Holy Lord, Most Holy Lord, with all of my heart I sing: Great are You, Lord. Great are You, Lord. Great are You, Lord, Great are You, Lord, Most Holy Lord.

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\*Opening Prayer  
\*Hymn #452 "My Savior's Love" (Red Hymnal)  
Scripture Lesson - Matthew 20:29-34  
Ministry in Music - Janet Harris

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## HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Pastoral Prayer /Lord's Prayer  
Scripture Lesson - Judges 16:4-30  
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**MESSAGE :** "Blinded By Love"

## GIVE TO GOD

OFFERING, Our Response to God's Love  
\*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

\*Offertory Prayer

## GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

\*Closing Hymn #204 "Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" (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.  
Postlude

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*\*PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE*

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ORGANIST: Dixie Church  
LAY LEADER: Doyle Guthmiller  
HYVEE CARDS: Colleen Palmer  
PIANIST: Patty Stuelpnagel  
GREETERS: Gary & Doris Baltzer  
OPEN/CLOSE: Colleen Palmer  
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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.

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 Janet Harris for her Ministry in Music this morning.

**Praise Song Leaders** There is a sign up on the foyer table for Praise song leaders, to begin again on September 11. PLEASE prayerfully consider being a praise song leader. ALL are encouraged to be a praise song leader: men, women, children, young adults, young and old. If you like to sing, you can be a song leader. Sign up for the times that best fit your schedules.

**LOOKING AHEAD TO OCTOBER** **ERTH** will be meeting here at RRC on the following Saturdays in OCTOBER: 15, 22, 29. They meet from 1:00—2:00 PM each Saturday afternoon. We need volunteers to open the church at 12:30 PM, help make juice, and serve the treats they provide, clean up and lock up by 2:30 PM. If this is something you are willing to help with, please let the church know. You can request one, two, or all three Saturdays to help.

**Thank you** to everyone who donated for the Walk A Mile Fundraiser. There was \$184 collected from the congregation for the River City Domestic Violence Center, and the church added another \$100.

**Ladies:** interested in studying God's Word with other women from the Yankton area? Bible Study Fellowship will be meeting Tuesdays, starting 12:00 Noon, at Calvary Baptist Church. The start date is September 13. This is a 30 week study of Scripture with discussion time from 12:00– 12:50 PM, followed by a video from 12:50-1:20 PM. (You can also access the video on the website on your own time). Contact Jean Prater 605-760-3664 or Laura Weins 605-680-4683 for more information about the study.

**Key request from Deacons/Consistory** The Deacons would like to take inventory of who all has keys for the church building and what keys you have. PLEASE contact the church office if you have a key to the outside doors, to the offices, to the balcony, to the shed, etc. You can either call the office to let us know (605-665-9204), email the church (rprc@iw.net) or sign the sheet on the foyer table. Thanks for your cooperation in this request.

**REQUEST from the Counseling Center Counselor** If you are in the church building in the late afternoon or evening, and the lights are still on in the foyer, or down the south hallway, and you can hear the white noise sound machine on, the Counselor is still in session with a client. PLEASE do NOT turn off hallway/foyer lights, as she will turn them off and she will be sure the doors are locked when she is done with her clients. On occasion, she has come out of session with a client to a dark hallway, and they need to find the lights again. Counseling Center hours vary from day to day, but if the hallway lights are on, or the sound machine is on, she is still in session, or in the building, and she will turn off lights and lock up when counseling is done. THANK YOU!

**Family Education and Counseling Center Raffle Fundraiser.** This is a "reverse raffle", meaning the LAST ticket drawn is the big winner. Raffle tickets are \$20 each, with a chance to win prizes from \$50-\$500. Drawing will be held by December 1. FECC is no longer United Way supported, so this is just a way to help with expenses and payroll, so the counselors can provide low cost/no cost counseling to people who need it. Tickets are available from Kevin DeJong (an FECC Board member) or from the FECC office (Becky Frank or Michaela Miller). Thank you for your support.

## **Joys & Concerns in Our Church Family**

Megan (Haffner) Hansen —relative of Jane Haffner's, Kidney transplant surgery July 13 (Donor, Madison, also involved in the surgery)  
Keith DeJager —follicular lymphoma  
Bobbi Jo Carr - Knee replacement surgery July 12  
Garrett— friend of Gerald & Shirley Remp  
Jean Brown—Rebecca Sanow & Matthew Tjeerdsma's Aunt, cancer

### **SHUT INS**

Donna Mellem —moved to Bondurant, IA  
Charlie Gauker - in Viborg Nursing Home  
Betty Bender - at Freeman Nursing Home, Oakview Terrace  
Jannette Grass - at Wakonda Heritage manor  
Norma Palmer—Colleen's mother, at the Sisseton Nursing Home  
Jessie Heusinkveld —Kayleen Ehresmann's mother, in Majestic Bluffs, ChalkStone Rm 530

Each week, find a new scripture verse...take it home, memorize it, contemplate it. Each week we'll try to print a new verse to reflect on thru the week..

### **Scripture for the week:**

*Psalm 91:5-6 You will not fear the terror of night, nor the arrow that flies by day, nor the pestilence that stalks in the darkness, nor the plague that destroys at midday.*

**New Address:** BJ & Laura Weins, 101 Winter St., Yankton, SD

### **AUGUST 15 CONSISTORY**

For The August Consistory meeting, our devotions came from Ezra 8:21-36. We had a lively discussion about how much gold and silver was talked about in the passage, how important prayer is especially as they sought protection on their journey, and how glad we have Jesus' sacrifice and don't need animal sacrifices. We also discussed the roles as Christians and leaders being consecrated and that accountability is important as we seek to follow God's will and offer ourselves freely to his way. As Elders, we discussed things going on with members and how the most recent communions with feedback related to spacing between elders and making sure we are not missing people who remain seated. As Deacons, they reported a current checking balance of \$8,669.69, still collecting names of people with church keys, mission opportunities, such as Sack Pack and donations match with that, possibility of selling lighting equipment, fall work day working on landscaping and building work and changes with Pastor Jake retirement services. The rest of the Consistory focused on final edits for by-laws, possible changes in Pastor Jake's responsibilities with this Youth Group Partnership and his Alliance ordination transfer, next steps/direction on considering the future of our church and what is going on in Yankton Ministerial.

**Vacation** Pastor Jake will be out of the office for vacation, beginning tomorrow (Monday, August 29) and returning to the office Tuesday, Sept. 6.

## COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

### Today, Sunday, August 28

- 9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time
- 9:30 AM Worship service in building and via: live stream
- 10:45 AM Life Group at Church
- 6:00 PM Life Group at Van Der Linden's Home

### Monday, August 29

- Pastor Jake leaves on vacation—out of office for the week
- 9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class
- 7:00 PM Boy Scouts

### Wednesday, August 31

- 9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class

### Friday, September 2

- 9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class

### Next Sunday, September 4

- 9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time
- 9:30 AM Worship in building and live-stream
  - Pulpit Supply - Adam Hofer from Center of Hope in Sioux Falls
  - Lay Leader—Dorothea Hoebelheinrich
  - Open/close Building - Egges
  - HyVee Cards—Patty Stuelpnagel
  - Greeters—Schnabels & Haaks

### Next Monday, September 5

- Labor Day - Church Offices Closed

### LOOKING AHEAD:

- Sunday, September 4 - Pulpit Supply, Adam Hofer from Center of Hope
- Sunday, September 11 - Ruth 1:1-17

**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:

- July 31: Regular Offering - \$3819.00; Building - \$4.00
  - August 7: Regular Offering - \$4820.51; Building - \$40.00; Missions - \$50.00
  - August 14: Regular Offering - \$4621.00; Building - \$140.00
  - August 21: Regular Offering - \$2455.00; Missions - \$150.00
- To fully support the budget, offerings need to average \$4100 weekly**  
**(These amounts do NOT include offerings made thru on-line giving)**

**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 Foyer.

**Women's Afternoon Bible Study** will resume in September, meeting the 2nd Thursday of the months at 2:00 PM. (September 8)

### 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.

**RRC 60th Anniversary** Plans are being organized to celebrate our 60th Anniversary, with a potluck on Sunday, September 11, and various other things thru the month of September. Sunday, September 18, cake will be provided after worship during Fellowship time. Sunday, September 25, RRC Mission interests will speak during worship. Sunday, October 2, we will hold a special "mortgage" announcement, with Rev. Rod Veldhuizen possibly being present at the worship service.

## Beginning September 11!

**what:** Riverview Kids...sharing God's great love while having some fun!

**who:** For preschool and elementary students

**when:** Beginning September 11, 2022

**Leaders:** Patty Stuelpnagel, Danielle Van Der Linden, Renae Bouza and ???

We are trying out a new program by Group. What we need are **Crew Guides** who just show up and participate with the kids, focusing on relationships. (No prep, no stress for the Crew Guides) One leader directs the Crew Guides and kids. Interested in being a Crew Guide? Contact the church office or one of the leaders

**September Ladies Night Out** The next Ladies Night Out will be Thursday, September 8 at the Dam Fish Shack, on the Nebraska side of the Dam. Meet at church at 5:10 PM to carpool. A sign up sheet is available on the foyer table.

**Sack Pack** RRC is scheduled to pack the Sack Pack's at Calvary Baptist Church on Wednesday September 14 at 5:15 PM. There is a sign up sheet on the foyer table for those who can help. If you have questions, please talk with Sharon Egge.