

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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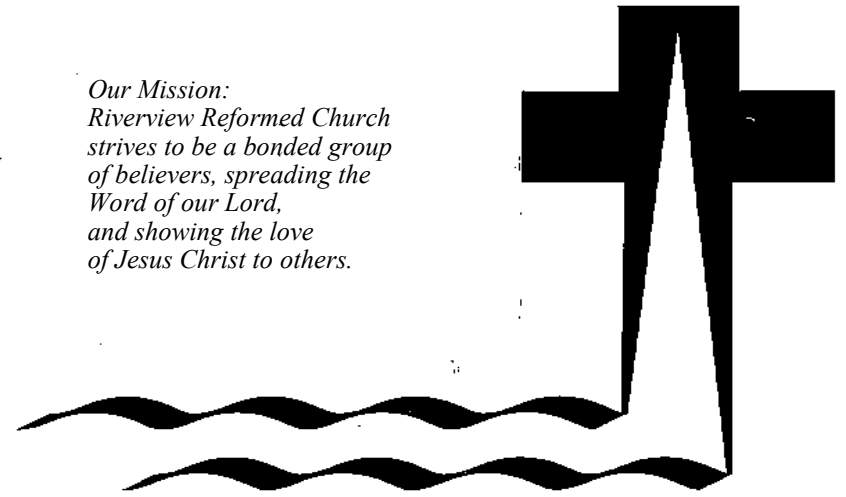
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Riverview Reformed Church

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SUNDAY, November 6, 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 - "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 - "O God, You Are My God"

O God, you are my God, and I will ever praise you. O God, you are my God, and I will ever praise you. I will seek you in the morning, and I will learn to walk in your ways. And step by step you'll lead me, and I will follow you all of my days (Repeat)

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*Opening Prayer

*Hymn (on insert) "God's Wonderful People"

Scripture Lesson - Matthew 25:1-13

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HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Pastoral Prayer /Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson - 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11

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MESSAGE: "Alive Together"

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERING, Our Response to God's Love

*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

*Offertory Prayer

GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

*Closing Hymn #439 "Work, for the Night Is Coming" (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
LAY LEADER: Janet Ries
HYVEE CARDS: Colleen Palmer

PIANIST: Teresa Gall
GREETERS: Egges
OPEN/CLOSE: Colleen Palmer

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, PLEASE deposit your offerings in the plates by the sanctuary doors on your way into the sanctuary at the beginning of the service, or 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 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.

November Family Night

We will be having a family night on Wednesday, November 9, beginning at 6 PM. From 6:00-6:30 PM we will be asking people to bring appetizers to share and enjoy. Following at 6:30 PM, we will be making decorations to decorate a Christmas Tree for the Mead Cultural Center for this Christmas Season.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: The Discipleship Team was encouraged to have the RRC Kids decorate and display a Christmas tree at the Mead Museum's Hall of Trees. Because our Sunday School is so small, the hospitality team decided to incorporate an ornament assembly program into our upcoming Family Night on November 9. There will be 4 stations with all of the how-to instructions and materials needed at each station. Each ornament will take 15 minutes or less to prepare. We are asking that as many as possible attend this fun evening. We especially would like to have the Sunday School children attend so they get to be part of the excitement and feel like they have helped make the tree beautiful. Trees will be on display at the Mead Museum from November 25—December 30.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD You can use your own shoe box, or the plastic shoe boxes you can purchase at Walmart (we do not have the OCC official boxes). Instructions on how to pack a shoebox, along with the labels, can be found in the Fellowship Hall. Collection dates are November 14-21 at Calvary Baptist Church. You can bring them to our church by Friday, November 18 and we will get them taken to Calvary. However, we do plan to PRAY over the ones that we do have here already by Sunday, November 13, so if you would like your box "blessed", please have it here by Sunday, November 13, but if not, you can still bring them thru that week. Thank you.

The Next Ministry Team Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 29 at 7:00 PM

The Yankton Community Holiday Feast would like to invite you and your family and friends to the Annual Yankton Community Holiday Feast, which will be held on Wednesday, November 23 from 4:30 –7:00 PM at the Calvary Baptist Church, 2407 Broadway. (This is a free holiday meal to the public). Also needed are volunteers to work, donations of turkeys, dressing and pies, as well as cash donations. Anyone wishing to volunteer or donate should contact Donna Madson (605-760-3170) . A free will donation box is available for those who would like to contribute at the Holiday Feast, but thanks to our generous contributors, the Feast is free of charge. Meal delivery is available ONLY for SHUT-INS, and must be called in to 605-760-3170 by 5:00 PM on Friday, November 18.

Taken from "A-to-Z Guide to Prophecy" by David Jeremiah:

Bowl Judgments The seven bowl judgments represent the world reclaimed by God and occur rapidly at the end of the Tribulation, perhaps in a matter of days. The final bowl judgment brings the Tribulation to a conclusion.

Read Revelation 16

Scripture for the week: Exodus 18:21 But select capable men from all the people—men who *fear God*, trustworthy men who hate dishonest gain—and appoint them as officials over thousands, hundreds, fifties and tens.

October 10 Consistory Update: Our devotions were from 1 Corinthians 12:4-14 where we talked about the various spiritual gifts that believers possess and how no believer is greater than the other, but we all need each other and the spiritual gifts they bring, to be the one body united in Jesus, as we seek to be his church. As elders we discussed new people at church, people we haven't seen in awhile, and others who have been visiting. There was also talk about future professions of faith, communion, sermon topics and a rep for the upcoming Network meeting. As Deacons, there was discussion around how many keys have been identified, a successful work day, Mission of the Month being Samaritan's Purse for Christmas Boxes, snow removal and other maintenance matters, such as toilets. Current finances for checking is at \$11,051.31, Hyvee is at \$17,000, with \$5000 to be moved to checking and mortgage loan completion. The rest of Consistory focused around Pastor Jake's responsibilities, Election and Nominations, the upcoming Congregational Meeting and Cub Scouts Group using some of our chairs and tables.

Special Offering this morning There is a special offering plate available for collecting a special offering for the Hamlin Reformed Church in Castlewood, SD, following their church fire. Donations received will be given to them on Friday, November 11 at the Dakota Network.

Dakota Network will meet at 1st Reformed Church in Sioux Falls on November 11-12

COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, November 6

9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time
9:30 AM Worship service in building and via: live stream
NO Riverview Kids
10:45 AM CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Monday, November 7

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

Tuesday, November 8

ELECTION DAY - GET OUT AND VOTE!!

Wednesday, November 9

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class
6:00 PM Family Night (Appetizers & Christmas Décor making)
7:00 PM Youth Group at RRC

Thursday, November 10

2:00 PM Women's Bible Study

Friday, November 11 - VETERAN'S DAY

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class

Next Sunday, November 13

9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time
9:30 AM Worship in building and live-stream
Lay Leader—Colleen Palmer
Open/close Building - Weins
HyVee Cards—Renae Bouza
Greeters—Lois Streyle & Lynette Goehring
10:45 AM Riverview Kids
10:50 AM Adult Sunday School

LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday, November 13 - 2 Thessalonians 2:1-17 Isaiah 11:1-5
Sunday, November 20 - Malachi 3:6—4:6

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:

October 9: Regular Offering - \$2884.73; Building - \$80.00
October 16: Regular Offering - \$2250.00; Building - \$36.00
October 23: Regular Offering - \$6790.97; Building - \$80.00
October 30: Regular Offering - \$2765.00; Building - \$20.00

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.

Mondays and Wednesdays, Teresa will only be in the office until 3:00 PM. (Maybe an occasional other day, also)

Praise Song Leaders There is a sign up on the foyer table for Praise song leaders. If this is something you would be interested in helping out with on Sunday mornings, please sign the sheet.

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.

Candidates for 2023 Consistory

For Elder: Janet Harris, Robert Palsma (we will be voting for one)

For Deacon: Rod Gall, Colleen Palmer, Dan Sanow

(we will be voting for two for the 3 year terms. The vacated 2 year term will be addressed at a later date). **Election is this morning after worship at our Congregational Meeting**

For the Congregation Meeting today:

We will be having our Congregational Meeting following the church service. On the Agenda for this meeting is the election of one Elder and two Deacons, vote to approve the By-Laws and a conversation on changing the time for our Christmas Eve service, due to Christmas Day being a Sunday. If you have questions, please contact a Consistory member.

2022 Christmas Information for Cornerstone Prison Church In partnership with the SD Prison Chaplains Assoc, Cornerstone Prison Church is accepting donations for the inmate Christmas sack program. Since policy changes this program replaces one that gave out fudge at Christmas with factory packaged Christmas goodies. For a little less than the average combo meal at a fast food restaurant, we can provide an inmate with a Christmas goody sack and the encouragement of knowing that there are people thinking of them and caring for them. Please send donations to Cornerstone Prison Church, Dave Vande Kamp, Treasurer; 801 So. Gordon Drive, Sioux Falls, SD 57110. Please put "Christmas Sacks" in memo line of your check and send by Friday, November 11, 2022.

LOOKING FOR: Empty Oatmeal containers or coffee cans. Needed for "drum materials" for the RIVERVIEW KIDS Christmas Program. Please bring to church by Thanksgiving, so there is time to construct them. If you have any questions on size, etc., please talk with Renae Bouza.

The Riverview Kids Christmas program will be Sunday, December 11 during the church service. If you would like your children in the program, please make sure they attend Riverview Kids beginning November 20 through December 4 so they can practice for the program.

Ladies Night Out Tuesday, November 15 at 5:30 PM at El Tapatio. A sign up sheet is available on the foyer table for those interested in attending.