

## 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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Worship    Discipleship    Hospitality    Missions

## PLEASE HAVE ALL BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

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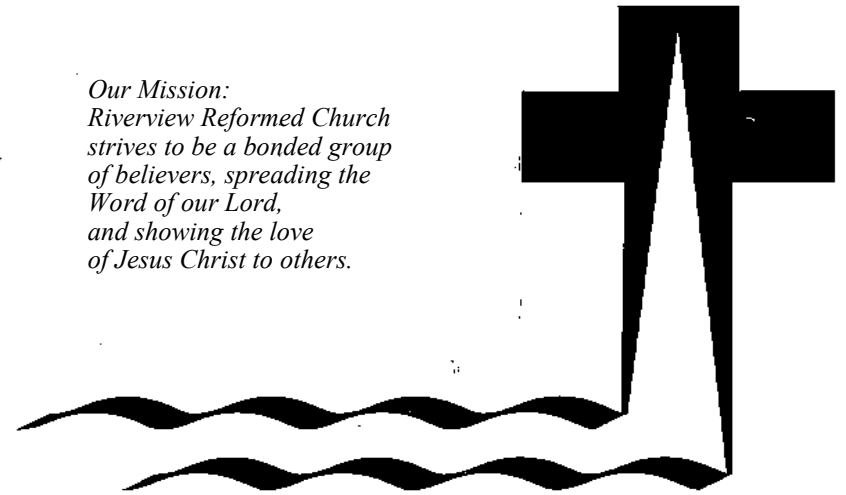
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**You may** e-mail messages to the church office at [rprc@iw.net](mailto:rprc@iw.net)

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, March 17, 2024

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 - "Who You Say I Am"  
Who am I that the highest King would welcome me? I was lost, but He brought me in. Oh, His love for me! Oh, His love for me! Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed. I'm a child of God, yes, I am. Free at last, He has ransomed me; His grace runs deep. While I was a slave to sin, Jesus died for me. Oh, His love for me! Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed. I'm a child of God, yes, I am. In my Father's house there's a place for me. I'm a child of God, yes, I am. I am chosen, not forsaken. I am who You say I am. You are for me, not against me. I am who I say I am. Who the Son sets free, oh, is free indeed. I'm a child of God, yes, I am. In my Father's house there's a place for me. I'm a child of God, yes, I am.

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\*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, We 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 - "My Peace"  
My peace I give unto you; it's a peace that the world cannot give. It's a peace that the world cannot understand; peace to know, peace to live, My peace I give unto you.  
My love I give unto you; it's a love that the world cannot give. It's a love that the world cannot understand; love to know, love to live, My love I give unto you.

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\*Opening Prayer  
\*Hymn #70 "Holy, Holy, Holy" (Red Hymnal)  
Scripture Lesson - Psalm 4:1-8

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## HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Pastoral Prayer /Lord's Prayer  
Scripture Lesson - John 11:5-27

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**MESSAGE "Jesus is the Resurrection & the Life"**

## GIVE TO GOD

OFFERING, Our Response to God's Love  
\*Doxology  
\*Offertory Prayer

## GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

\*Closing Hymn #368 "Have I Done My Best for Jesus? (Red Hymnal)  
\*Benediction  
\*Choral Benediction - "Go Now In Peace"  
God 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: Teresa Gall  
LAY LEADER: Dave Reck  
HYVEE CARDS: Sharon Egge  
NURSERY: Elaine Poelstra  
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PIANIST: Patty Stuelpnagel  
GREETERS: Dixie Church & Larsens  
OPEN/CLOSE: Egges

## *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.

**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

**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

*For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them. Matthew 18:20 (KJV)*

**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 across from the Library. All are welcome to join in prayer for the service.

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

**March 11 Consistory Report:** Our devotion this month was from Acts 1:1-11 where we discussed God's abundance, a call to appreciate what God has done, the confusion and uncertainty the disciples were feeling, the angels response, how God answers prayers in his timing and his way, and lastly its call to be witness to Jesus and to share it with all the world. It was decided to make Acts 1:7-8 our new verse to pray over, with a new time of 1:09 pm, along with other prayer opportunities. Consistory also covered an update of the work of the Next Steps team. The Alliance of Reformed Churches and Emergency Management and use of our facilities. As Elders we discussed those with health issues in need of prayer, filling Pulpit supply and Communion for April 7 and Maundy Thursday. Deacons reported on ongoing work and activities around the building, and finances: checking \$36,981; HyVee \$16,173; and Youth \$1193

**Dates Looking Ahead:**

Sunday, March 24 - Palm Sunday  
Thursday, March 28 - Maundy Thursday Service with Communion  
Sunday, March 31 - Easter Sunday  
Wednesday, April 3 - Next Ministry Team Meeting  
Thursday, April 4 - Serving the Banquet in the UCC Building  
Wednesday, April 17 - Family Night - BINGO (more details to follow)  
(For each new personal hygiene product you bring, you receive a Bingo card, one card per item, a limit of items will be set. Items will be donated to local charity)

**Yankton Area Women's Connection Presents** "March into Spring". Speaker Sharon Gries (Castana, IA) "My Book of Life!" Sharon, an Iowa county assessor who enjoys drag racing will share her interesting life story. Music by Sarah, Hailey & Natalie Konrad. Special Feature by Laura Larson "March Into Wellness!" Tuesday, March 19 at 6:30 PM. \$10 (includes meal and program) NEW LOCATION—River Rocks Event Center, 2901 Broadway. Reservations are required—cancellations are essential. Please RSVP by March 17 to 402-254-2102 or 605-660-0378.

**Bible Study Fellowship** , (known as BSF), will be starting a 4 week short study on the last chapters of the Gospel of John. We will start April 9, Tuesday evenings from 6:00—7:30 PM, with the last lesson on April 30. The host church will be Calvary Baptist. If interested, please contact 507-227-5244 for more information.

**ZoeCare Pregnancy Center** would like to invite you to "God, Mom, and Me Tea" for young girls ages 9-16 and their Mom or significant Mother figure. This will be a special Tea Party to focus on the joy of womanhood and the beauty of our bodies that God has meticulously created. The Tea Party will be held at Calvary Baptist church on April 6, from 2-4 PM. Registration is required, the cost is \$15.00 for each pair. Each participant will receive their own booklet and a tea luncheon. All are encouraged to dress in "Tea Party" apparel. To register go to God, Mom, & Me Tea (fundeasy.com). If you have problems, you can feel free to contact ZoeCare. There is also a flyer hanging in the foyer with a QR code.

**Cornerstone Prison Church** Council, Board and Congregation would like to invite you to our Annual Benefit Banquet, Monday, Apr. 1, at Trinity Christian Reformed Church in Rock Valley, IA. Doors open at 6 PM and the banquet begins at 6:30 PM. Save your spot by Sunday, March 24 by calling Trinity CRC at 712-476-5292 or go to the website at [www.cornerstonepcsd.org](http://www.cornerstonepcsd.org). A free will offering will be taken as an opportunity to financially support Cornerstone's ministry. We look forward to seeing you. If you are unable to attend, you can send donations to Cornerstone Prison Church, c/o Dave Vande Kamp, PO Box 88708, Sioux Falls, SD 57109 or donate online [www.cornerstonepcsd.org](http://www.cornerstonepcsd.org)

**PRAYER OPPORTUNITY:** There has been a document created to help focus our prayers for the future of RRC. If you would like a copy of the document that helps focus our prayers as RRC considers the future, please ask Pastor Jake for a copy. Here are some options for ways to pray:

\*If you would like to join a group of us to pray for the church, you are welcome to come March 18 at 6 PM. The plan is to pray for a half an hour.

\*Pray individually at home, at church, or walking around the church. This can be done with the prayer document mentioned above or however you feel led, but be encouraged to pray for our church.

\*Lastly a while back we invited people to pray at 3:05 based on a passage from John 15:5. The Consistory has decided to update the time we are praying and the verse we are praying over. This comes from the work that Consistory has been doing, we invite you to pray at 1:08 every day based on Acts 1:7-8 NIV, which says, "He said to them: 'It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth.'"

**March Calendars** for RRC events are available on the Fellowship table and the Foyer counter, for those wanting to take them home.

**Next Ministry Team Meeting:** Wednesday, April 3 at 6:00 PM

**Exciting opportunity for Riverview Kids** We are in need of several volunteers to lead a station for our Sunday School lesson on Palm Sunday (March 24) It's very simple, just reading! This is a great, easy opportunity to help disciple the kids of our church. Please contact Danielle (402-276-5039) if you are willing to help out.

## COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

### Today, Sunday, March 17

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

### Monday, March 18

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

### Wednesday, March 20

- 9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class
- 7:00 PM Youth Group at RRC

### Friday, March 22

- 9:30 AM Women's Exercise

### Next Sunday, March 24 PALM SUNDAY

- 9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time
- 9:30 AM Worship in building and live-stream
  - Riverview Kids helping to lead the beginning of the service
  - Lay Leader - Dorothea Hoebelheinrich
  - Open/close Building - Baltzers
  - HyVee Cards—Patty Stuelpnagel
  - Greeters—Colleen Palmer & Baltzers
  - Nursery—Michelle Cwach
- 10:45 AM Riverview Kids
- 10:50 AM Adult Sunday School Class (NO Adult 'Video' SS Class)

### LOOKING AHEAD:

- Sunday, March 24 - John 12:12-36
- Sunday, March 31 - John 20:1-18

## LIFE AT RRC

### WEEKLY OFFERINGS:

- February 18: Regular Offering - \$2690.00; Building - \$225.00
- February 21: Tithely - \$75.00
- February 25: Regular Offering - \$2647.00; Building - \$200.00
- February 27: Tithely - \$199.04
- March 3: Regular Offering - \$2632.00; Building - \$50.00
- March 5: Tithely - \$75.00
- March 10: Regular Offering - \$3042.50; Building - \$50.00
- March 12: Tithely - \$150.00

**To fully support the budget, offerings need to average \$3200 weekly**

**Don't forget—HyVee Cards**...a fundraiser for the Building fund. HyVee cards are available during the week when the office is open or on Sunday mornings before the worship service in the Foyer

**RIVERVIEW KIDS** There will be a 'special' Riverview Kids Sunday School time on Palm Sunday, March 24! Students, be sure to be here and see what it's all about!!

**Pizza Ranch Fundraiser**— RRC received a check from the Pizza Ranch Fundraiser for the percentage of sales, for \$300.50. Tips received that evening totaled \$273.55, for a grand total raised that evening of \$574.05. THANK YOU to all who came and worked and all who came and ate!! The Hospitality Team, who organized the event for missions, has used the amount to benefit 3 programs, with \$191.35 going to each program: RRC Youth Group, the Angel Fund at Yankton Public Schools, and LCBHS Care Club Bingo Fund.

**MARCH is the month of Easter (March 31)** Please start thinking of helping us decorate the sanctuary with **Easter Lilies**. Donations can be brought AFTER Palm Sunday. If you wish to donate plants in honor/memory of anyone, you can contact the church office and the list will be printed on Easter Sunday.

**English Cleric William Farrar wrote: "I am only one, but I am one; I cannot do everything, but I can do something; What I can do, I ought to do. And what I ought to do, by the grace of God, I will do"**

With that being said, please prayerfully consider where you can help out at RRC. It's a privilege to share your gifts with the family of God and RRC. There are so many opportunities to serve here at RRC—find a place where you are comfortable. From Lay leaders to organists, piano players, praise song leaders, greeters, Power point helpers, Sound System, teachers, Nursery sitters, opening/closing, Fellowship hosts, prayer warriors (including pre-service prayer time). Pray, and ask God where he would have you serve and be a blessing to others in the family of God at RRC. And if you aren't comfortable being on a rotation schedule, let us know if you are willing to be a substitute, to fill in here and there when needed. The more people involved, the lighter the load. When you choose where to share your gifts, the office or a Consistory member can connect you with a mentor.

**Volunteers for Ministry of Music & Fellowship Time Treats** If you are interested in volunteering to do a Ministry of Music, or to provide treats for after church fellowship time, there are sign up sheets on the foyer table.

**INSPIRATION HILLS SUMMER CAMP 2024** brochures are available in the rack by the foyer counter, for anyone wishing to send your child/children to summer Bible Camp. Camps are available for grades 1-12, with additional specialty camps and family camps

**RRC serving at the Banquet:** RRC will be serving the Banquet at the UCC building on Thursday, April 4...serving is from 6:00-7:00 PM, but we will be needing volunteers to help with some set up beginning at 5:30 and clean up after 7:00 PM. A sign up sheet is on the foyer table, please start signing up so we know we have enough volunteers. Donations of hamburger and bars/cookies are also needed. ***ALSO, donations of new underwear and socks*** are being collected to be given away the evening of the Banquet. There is a collection container in the Fellowship Hall

**2024 Directory** New directories are in your church mailboxes. Extras are on the foyer counter. Please pick them up, and check the information. If any changes still need to be made, please contact the church office, so they can be printed in the bulletins for everyone to change in their directory.