

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

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in to the office by Wednesday afternoon.

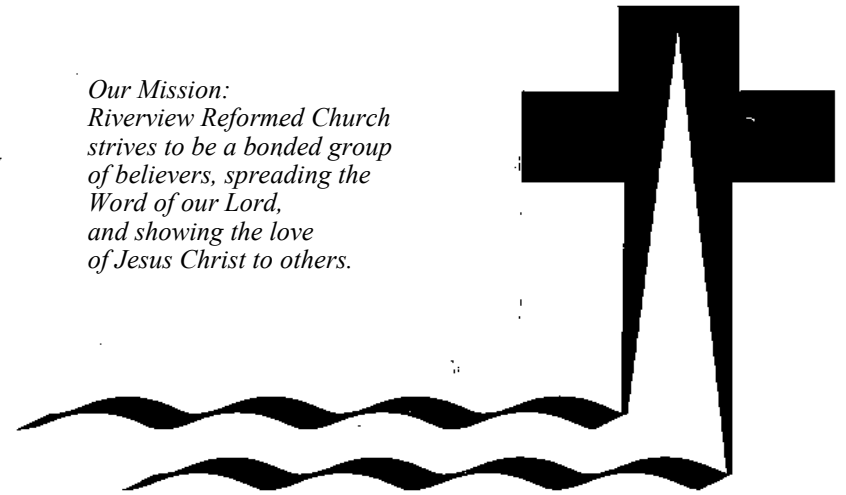
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You may e-mail messages to the church office at rprc@iw.net

Check out our website at Riverviewreformed.org—

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

*Our Mission:
Riverview Reformed Church
strives to be a bonded group
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SUNDAY, July 28, 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 - "Forever" Chris Tomlin

Give thanks to the Lord our God and king; his love endures forever. For he is good, he is above all things; his love endures forever. Sing praise, sing praise! With a mighty hand and outstretched arm; his love endures forever. For the life that's been reborn; his love endures forever. Sing praise, sing praise! Sing praise, sing praise!

REFRAIN: Forever God is faithful, forever God is strong, forever God is with us, forever.

From the rising to the setting sun his love endures forever. And by the grace of God we will carry on; his love endures forever. Sing praise, sing praise! Sing praise, sing praise!

REPEAT REFRAIN TWICE

(MUSIC INTERLUDE)

Sing praise, sing praise! (Repeat 4 times)

REPEAT REFRAIN...

Ending: Forever YOU are faithful, forever YOU are strong.

Forever YOU are with us, forever, forever.

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*Praise Song - "Open the Eyes of My Heart" Paul Baloche

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord; open the eyes of my heart. I want to see you, I want to see you. (Repeat 4 times)

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.

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord; open the eyes of my heart. I want to see you, I want to see you. (Repeat 2 times)

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. (Repeat 2 times)

Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. I want to see you. (Repeat 2 times)

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*Opening Prayer

*Hymn #40 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness" (Red Hymnal)

Scripture Lesson - 1 Samuel 24:1-13

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Ministry in Music - Janet Ries "In Jesus Name, God of Possible"

HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Pastoral Prayer /Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson - 2 Timothy 2:1-13

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MESSAGE

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERING, Our Response to God's Love

*Doxology

*Offertory Prayer

GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

*Closing Hymn #402 "Faith Is the Victory" (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: Teresa Gall

PIANIST: Patty Stuelpnagel

LAY LEADER: Rodney Gall

GREETERS: Stuelpnagels & Colleen Palmer

HYVEE CARDS: Jean Prater

OPEN/CLOSE: Jean Prater

NURSERY: Sharon Egge

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://tithel.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

Thank you to Janet Ries for her special music this morning.

Yankton Area Women's Connection From Drab to Fab

Speaker is Joyce Poggensee from Harlan, IA - "My Three Sons"

Special Feature is Thrift Shop Style Show - Fashion doesn't have to be expensive. TUESDAY, August 20 at 6:30 PM at the River Rock Event Center. Reservations are required—cancellations are essential. Please RSVP by August 18 to 402-254-2102 or 605-660-0378. \$15 includes meal and program.

Summer Office Hours Teresa's office hours on Mondays will be very limited for June—August. Best time to catch her in the office will be Tuesdays thru Thursdays.

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:

*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.

*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.'"

Praise songs We are looking at doing a different approach to our praise singing. If anyone has any suggestions of contemporary praise songs we can try, please feel free to contact the church office or a Worship Committee member. *If we use videos, we request videos that have lyrics included.*

DON'T FORGET ABOUT THE GIDEON DISPLAY

If you would like to buy and donate Gideon Bibles in Memory or in Honor of Someone, there are cards available on the display table in the foyer to send to the family.

Thank you for all the prayers and concerns for my daughter & family & friends, due to all the flooding at the Dakota Dunes & McCook Lake. It affected so many people, and many prayers are still needed. Thank you again.

~~Ruth Ann Dickman

COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, July 28

9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time

9:30 AM Worship service in building and via: live stream

Monday, July 29

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class

7:00 PM Boy Scouts

Wednesday, July 31

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class

Friday, August 2

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class

Next Sunday, August 4

9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time

9:30 AM Worship in building and live-stream

Communion Sunday

Pulpit Supply - Dave Reck

Lay Leader - Dorothea Hoebelheinrich

Ministry in Music - Syring Grandchildren

Open/close Building - Baltzers

HyVee Cards - Patty Stuelpnagel

Greeters— Haaks & Lynette Goehring

Nursery—Sharon Egge

Fellowship Treats - Syring

LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday, August 4 - Dave Reck preaching

Sunday, August 11 - 2 Timothy 3:14-4:8 Deuteronomy 6:1-9

LIFE AT RRC

WEEKLY OFFERINGS:

June 30: Regular Offering - \$3353.00; Building - \$100.00

July 2: Tithely - \$75.00

July 7: Regular Offering - \$2707.00; Building - \$50.00

July 9: Tithely - \$100.00

July 14: Regular Offering - \$3725.00; Building - \$200.00

July 16: Tithely - \$103.90

July 21: Regular Offering - \$3896.00 Building - \$200.00

July 23: Tithely - \$200.00

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

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

FYI FOR LADIES NIGHT OUT— There will be no Ladies Night Out in August. Plans are to resume a night in September.

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.

New schedules for September—December are in your church mailboxes, or have been sent out via: email. Please mark your scheduled days on your calendars at home. If you cannot be here on your scheduled day, don't hesitate to switch with someone or find a sub, or contact the church office for help. We try to be flexible to accommodate everyone's busy life styles and schedules. **NEW PEOPLE ARE ALWAYS WELCOME TO HELP OUT** in all of the volunteer positions, such as greeters, church openers, Lay leaders, selling HyVee cards, etc. If you have questions, don't hesitate to ask. The more people we have involved, the easier it is for everyone. Please prayerfully consider where you may be able to help out.

JULY 8 CONSISTORY REPORT: At the Consistory meeting this month, we began with reflection on a chapter from the "Anatomy of a Revived Church: Introduction Chapter." We had much discussion around how many churches struggle with people being too busy or comfortable to see God's will for his church. There was much discussion around the need for change because the world around us has changed and is changing constantly but the question for us is how do we meet those changes with the unchangeable truth like the Gospel of Jesus. We also discussed a powerful illustration used in the book between the choice many churches are facing to change or die, like someone who had a heart bypass where the Doctor says they could improve their situation by diet and exercise but choose not to, which may not feel like it is a choice to die. Elders discussed praises and prayer concerns in the church regarding members. Deacons reported current finances to be \$42,720, HyVee \$16,824, and Youth \$1,193. We also discussed ongoing projects or things they are keeping their eye on, a recent support for Adam Hoyt's mission work, things they are looking to get rid of, and proposals they are considering. Report on the Alliance of Reformed Churches was given with Tim Vink no longer in a leadership position and calls to pray and support many of our sister churches affected by flooding in NW Iowa, SD and MN. The Consistory considered a proposal from the Next Steps team. No decision was made but further discussion is planned at the next meeting.

FECC Future Many of you have been asking about the future of FECC. The board has officially dissolved and the Consistory currently wants to see if we can do what we can to keep things going. Currently we need to create a temporary board to keep things going and to find others to join this. If you are interested in seeing FECC continue, contact Pastor Jake.