

## 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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Discipleship

Hospitality

Missions

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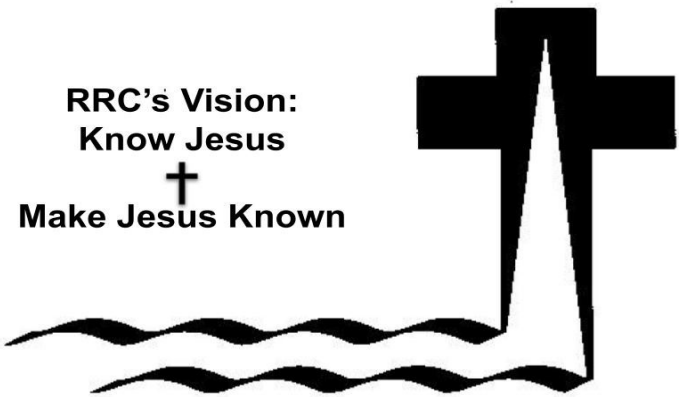
in to the office by Wednesday afternoon.

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

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



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SUNDAY, May 11, 2025

## Mother's Day

9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time - 9:30 AM Worship

### RRC MISSION STATEMENT:

Share Jesus in an uncertain world led by the Spirit.  
Acts 1:7-8 NIV

### PRAISE GOD

Prelude  
Welcome  
Life at RRC/Announcements  
(Please sign the attendance pads in the pews)

\*Greet One Another

\*Praise Song - "Morning Has Broken"

Morning has broken like the first morning, Blackbird has spoken like the first bird. Praise for the singing! Praise for the morning! Praise for them springing fresh from the Word!

Sweet the rain's new fall sunlit from heaven, Like the first dew fall on the first grass. Praise for the sweetness of the wet garden, Sprung in completeness where His feet pass

Mine is the sunlight! Mine is the morning. Born of the one light Eden saw play! Praise with elation, Praise ev'ry morning, God's recreation of the new day!.

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\*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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\*Opening Prayer

\*Hymn #525 "A Christian Home" (Red Hymnal)

Riverview Kids - Bible Verse presentations

Scripture Lesson - Psalm 119:169-176

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### HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Pastoral Prayer /Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson - 1 John 2:3-17

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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 #523 "Happy the Home When God Is There" (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*

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ORGANIST: Teresa Gall

PIANIST: Patty Stuelpnagel

LAY LEADER: Colleen Palmer

GREETERS: Gary & Geraldine Schnabel

HYVEE CARDS: Jean Prater

OPEN/CLOSE: Jean Prater

NURSERY: Elaine Poelstra

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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.

**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

**Praise Songs** Update—we haven't given up on the idea of YouTube/video praise songs. If there is a praise song video you would like us to try in worship, feel free to send us a link and we'll see what we can do.

# VBS Day Camp

Monday, May 19 from 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM

For children who have completed kindergarten thru 5th grade.

**“WHAT A MESS” (Sin is messy!!)**

**Jesus loves messy people! That’s good news for us, because we all have our own messes. What a Mess! VBS is about how Jesus deals with our messes: our sins, mistakes, and weaknesses.**

Come and enjoy a fun day, but MESSY day!

Plan to wear OLD clothes, because you probably will get messy!!

Children planning to attend, please give us your t-shirt sizes,  
as there will be tie-dyed t-shirts made.

You are welcome to bring friends! Just let us know.

Also needed are helpers for FOOD, SKITS, AND HELPERS for the day!

We are looking for high school and adult volunteers! If you can help a half day or the full day, please talk to Danielle Van Der Linden or Renae Bouza.

**MISSION for VBS:** One way to clean up messes is with a towel— we will be collecting gently used or new BATH towels to be donated to the Clothing Closet

**There are registration sheets on the foyer counter for those planning to attend.**

**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.’”

## **ATTENTION AFTERNOON WOMEN’S BIBLE STUDY:**

The Women’s Afternoon Bible Study will meet on the THIRD Thursday in May, May 15 at 2:00 PM, instead of the usual 2nd Thursday of the month.

**IF YOU MISSED** Dianne Selchert’s recent presentation on her trip to South America and Antarctica, and would like her to present it again, please contact Dianne & she’ll try to find another time to present it again, for those interested.

**Thank you** We are so thankful for your prayers and collection of Bibles and other items to be donated to Love Packages! What a haul! Your willingness to reach around the world to share God’s Good News to all—well, is inspired. You’re great!  
~Evan and Carol Borchard

## COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

### Today, Sunday, May 11 MOTHER'S DAY

9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time  
9:30 AM Worship service

### Monday, May 12

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

### Wednesday, May 14

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class

### Thursday, May 15

2:00 PM Women's Bible Study

### Friday, May 16

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class  
6:00 PM Church Fellowship Hall reserved

### Next Sunday, May 18

9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time  
9:30 AM Worship  
Lay Leader - Dorothea Hoebelheinrich  
Open/close Building - Egges  
HyVee Cards - Sharon Egge  
Greeters—Stuelpnagels & Lynette Goerhing  
Nursery—Sharon Egge

### **LOOKING AHEAD:**

Sunday, May 18 - 1 John 3:1-18 Psalm 119:1-16  
Sunday, May 25 - 1 John 4:1-21 1 Kings 22:10-28

## LIFE AT RRC

### WEEKLY OFFERINGS:

April 13: General Offering - \$2044.00  
April 15: Tithely - \$60.00 April 17: Tithely—\$700.00  
April 20: General Offering - \$7772.00  
April 22: Tithely - \$60.00  
April 27: General Offering - \$1772.00; Building - \$150.00  
April 29: Tithely - \$60.00  
May 4: General Offering - \$3342.00; Building - \$50.00  
May 6: Tithely - \$35.00

**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

**MAY CALENDARS** are available on the foyer and Fellowship Hall tables to take home.

**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.

**Graduations** Please let the office know of any high school or college graduations you will be celebrating this spring.

**Graduating from USD in Vermillion on May 10:** Anna Van Holland, Masters Degree in Literature, will be moving to Sioux Falls

**Graduated from AIT in December from Fort Carson, CO:** Cole Slowey, Grandson of Tom & Cheryl Slowey—currently employed in Sioux Falls

**Graduating from Battle Creek High School on May 17:** Jaxon Mettler, Grandson of Larry & Kathy Mettler

**Graduating from Tea High School on May 17:** Elizabeth Mehlbrech Granddaughter of Patty & Vic Stuelpnagel

**Graduating from Yankton High School on May 18:** Elizabeth Andrews, daughter of John & Michelle Andrews and Granddaughter of Dianne & Dave Selchert

**Graduating from Yankton High School on May 18:** Avery Anderson Granddaughter of Larry & Kathy Mettler

**Graduating from Jefferson High School in Sioux Falls on May 18:** Ashton Baltzer, Grandson of Daniel & Linda Ulmer

**Graduating from Brookings High School on May 25:** Adrian Anderson Grandson of Jean Prater

**Graduating from the "Apprentice Journeyman Program"** thru Western Iowa Tech and working as an electrician thru Thompson Electric: Christian Kleinschmit

**Community Volunteer Opportunity** On Thursdays, Pastor Jake delivers Meals on Wheels to local shut ins. If you are interested in possibly helping him out, please stay in contact with Pastor Jake as to when he will be doing this and if he is needing help

**HELP APPRECIATED:** Due to rotted posts and strong winds, the front church sign blew over and the posts broken this winter. Now that the weather has warmed up, the sign needs to be put back out. This will include new posts, and digging new holes to place posts, etc., and it is a fairly heavy sign. If this is something you are willing to help out with, please talk with Rod Gall.