

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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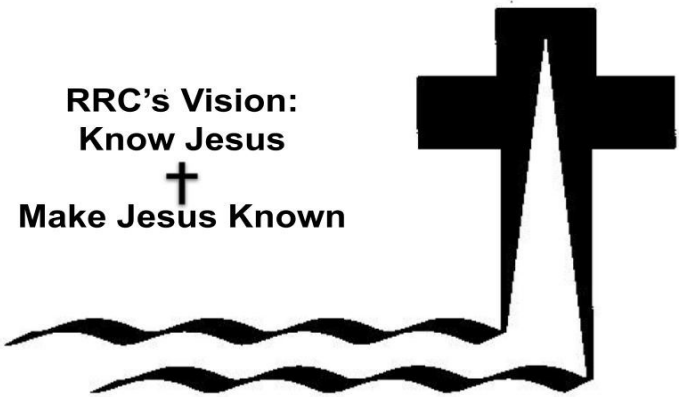
in to the office by Wednesday afternoon.

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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



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SUNDAY, October 5, 2025

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 - "To Be God's People"

Almighty Father—give us a vision of a dying world that needs Your love and care. We see the need, the yearning for a Savior, In Jesus' name, grant this our prayer.

REFRAIN: To be God's people—in this place, - live His goodness, - share His grace, - Proclaim God's mercy—through His Son, - be His love—to ev'rone.

And when we falter—be Thou our comfort; guide us as Your children that our lives may be—A beacon in this darkness that surrounds us, A light that others then may see. *REFRAIN...*

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*Praise Song - "Forever"

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, 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! *REFRAIN...*

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

Open the eyes of my heart, Lord; open the eyes of my heart. I want to see you, I want to see you. Open the eyes of my heart, Lord; open the eyes of my heart. I want to see you, I want to see you. 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. Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. I want to see you. Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. Holy, holy, holy. I want to see you.

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*Opening Prayer

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

Scripture Lesson - Nehemiah 1

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HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Pastoral Prayer /Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson - Mark 10:46-52

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MESSAGE "The Vision Thing" by Don Veldhouse

GIVE TO GOD

OFFERING, Our Response to God's Love

*Doxology

*Offertory Prayer

GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

*Closing Hymn #359 "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" (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: Colleen Palmer

GREETERS: Haaks & Doyle Guthmiller

HYVEE CARDS: Colleen Palmer

OPEN/CLOSE: Colleen Palmer

NURSERY: Alissa & Brianna Duke

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 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.

LIFE CHAIN Sponsored by the Yankton Area Right to Life. Sunday, October 5, from 2-3 PM, Meet at the Knights of Columbus Hall (2700 Broadway Ave) to pick up and return signs. The Life Chain will be on Broadway Ave from 2700 block, and going north. Prayer Vigil—join thousands on the sidewalk all across the USA and Canada for life.

Old Changing Table in Nursery The old changing table in the nursery (the lighter colored one right by the door) is available, if anyone would like to take it. It's wobbly, but if you have the means to brace it, or use it for other purposes, you are welcome to take it.

UPDATE FROM MINISTRY TEAM MEETINGS

Just a few items to be watching for and to think about:

FROM THE MISSION TEAM: October will be packing Sack Packs at Calvary Baptist, and we will be doing a Warm clothing drive for the Contact Shelter. Please bring gently used or new warm winter clothes of all sizes.

FROM THE EDUCATION TEAM: We will be doing a Christmas Tree at the Meade Building again for the Advent Season. More details to follow

FROM THE WORSHIP TEAM: For the Advent season beginning November 30, we are thinking of asking congregants to help with the Advent Wreath lighting each week. It can be one person, a couple, a family unit...each Sunday of Advent. We can help provide the readings that you can read and then you light the candle. Watch for sign up.

ERTH will be held at RRC on **October 11, 18, and 25.** We will be needing volunteers to help unlock the doors between 12:00-12:30 PM, help make juice/coffee and serve snacks when they meet from 1:00-2:00 PM, and then clean up and lock up by 2:30 PM each of those Saturdays. There is a sign up sheet on the foyer table if you can possibly help. (The 18th is already spoken for.) THANK YOU!! We do need someone for this coming Saturday, Oct. 11!! And again for the 25th.

Counseling Center - "Anew Haven of Hope"

Our counseling center has reopened with a new counselor. Diana Smallwood is our new counselor with "Anew Haven of Hope". The name was changed from Family Education and Counseling Center. Diana's office hours will be Tuesday thru Friday from 9 AM to 5 PM with seeing clients. The far south room, across from the Library, will be her client room. We ask that you please respect her counseling space. At times, the library may be used as a waiting room, so you are aware if you wish to access the library during the week. Please be in prayer for the success of the new counseling center.

Thank you to everyone for your prayers for Anew Haven of Hope. We did clear some major hurdles this week, and we ask for continued prayers moving forward.
~Diana

PRAYER OPPORTUNITY: *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.'"

Communion Sunday for October will be next Sunday on October 12

Thank you to Don Veldhouse for being our guest speaker this morning.

Consistory Notes from 9/9/25

Consistory met on September 9. We opened with prayer. Devotions were from Acts 20:22-38. Elders reported that nomination ballots are going out for upcoming elder/deacon elections. Deacons reported current finances: General \$36,365; Building \$13,546; Youth \$1,158. The remainder of the discussion centered on Pastor Jake's leaving. Jake reminded us that he is the point person for FECC, Boy Scouts, Youth Group, and Love Our City. We will need to find people to take those positions of leadership during this time of transition. Seth Sundstrom led the discussion on the next steps we need to take as we look for a new pastor.

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

COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, October 5

9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time
9:30 AM Worship service
10:45 AM Riverview Kids
10:50 AM Adult Sunday School
7:00 PM Community Bible Study

Monday, October 6

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

Wednesday, October 8

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class
6:00 PM Ministry Team Meetings

Friday, October 10

9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class

Saturday, October 11

1:00—2:00 PM EARTH here at RRC (doors unlocked Noon)
NEED VOLUNTEER TO HELP—SEE ANNOUNCEMENT

Next Sunday, October 12

9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time
9:30 AM Worship WITH COMMUNION
Pulpit Supply—Dan Ebbens
Lay Leader - Doyle Guthmiller
Open/close Building—Colleen Palmer
HyVee Cards - Colleen Palmer
Greeters - Janet Ries & Egges
Nursery—Danielle Van Der Linden (sub??)
Fellowship Treats - Volunteers welcome
10:45 AM Riverview Kids Sunday School
10:50 AM Adult Sunday School

LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday, October 12 - Pulpit Supply, Dan Ebbens
Sunday, October 19 - Pulpit Supply, Dave Reck

LIFE AT RRC

WEEKLY OFFERINGS:

September 7: General Offering - \$2873.00; Building - \$50.00
September 9: Tithely - \$60.00
September 14: General Offering - \$2496.00; Building - \$50.00
September 16: Tithely - \$60.00 September 18: Tithely - \$97.00
September 21: General Offering - \$2111.00; Building - \$50.00
September 23: Tithely - \$60.00
September 28: General Offering - \$2292.00; Building - \$300.00
September 30: 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

LOOKING AHEAD: Help pack Sack Packs at Calvary Baptist—Wednesday, Oct. 15 @ 5:15 PM— there is a sign up sheet on the foyer table.

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.

Adult Sunday School 'Video' Class Update: We will begin the David Jeremiah DVD series in October “The Promise of Heaven”, but it is a new release and won't be shipped until sometime in October. Until then, we will be finding various Videos to show each Sunday. In the meantime if anyone has a video they would like to suggest, or would like to review old DVD's we've already watched, please let us know.

Ministry Team Meetings this Wednesday, October 8, 6:00 PM
Please come and see where you can help be a part of RRC.

The Next Women's Afternoon Bible Study is scheduled for Thursday, **October 16** at 2:00 PM. (NOTE DATE CHANGE) Dianne Selchert will be the hostess for the afternoon.

Extra Water bottles There are still extra cases of water bottles that were purchased for the Riverboat Days Parade. If you would like to purchase any, we are asking for \$3.50 per case. You can talk to Renae Bouza or a deacon.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR In the Fellowship Hall by the kitchen window is a new “community calendar”. Please feel free to write on it any upcoming concerts, sporting events, performances, etc, that you, or a family member is involved in, so we can all know about and support. On the date, be sure to write the time, the event, where it is, and WHO is involved. (Example: upcoming Nutcracker performance, times, and who is performing). Let's support each other in our community.

NEXT MOVIE NIGHT WEDNESDAY, October 15 @ 6:00 PM “Sun Moon”.. Kelsey is running from failure, heartbreak, and humiliation. In an attempt to understand God's purpose for her life, she goes to Taiwan to teach English.
God works in all things good.