

Welcome to
First Christian Reformed Church



We welcome our visitors and hope that you enjoy worshipping with us. If you are presently seeking a church home, we welcome you to join our fellowship. You will find a visitor card in your pew, please fill one out and place it in the offering bag. If you would like further information about our church, check out our website at www.waupuncrc.com or contact the church office (324-2898).

Large-print bulletins and **children's bulletins** are available from an usher or in the back sanctuary rack.

You can listen to sermons from our website as well as view the bulletin. Website address is www.waupuncrc.com

Church Office Hours
Tuesday from 9:00 AM – 2:00 PM
Thursday from 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM
All announcements due in the office by 9:00 AM Thursday
Phone: 920-324-2898 email: waupuncrc@gmail.com

9:30 AM Worship Service
(*Please stand if you are able)

We Gather In Worship

Prelude

***Call to Worship**

***Opening:** When I Survey
Above All

***God's Greeting and We Greet One
Another**

We Are Renewed in God's Grace

Preparatory

Song: Seek Ye First

Congregational Prayer led by Brian

Offertory and Our Offerings: Local Budget

Children are dismissed for Walk Out Worship

God Speaks through His Word

***Scripture:** 2 Timothy 3:10-17

Sermon: Sola Scriptura!

We Respond to God's Word

***Song of Response:** Thy Word

We Leave to Serve God

***God's Parting Blessing**

***Closing:** Benediction

***Postlude**

Accompanist

Cara Schmitt

Children & Worship

Leader: Jenna Mulder

Helpers: Cassidy Ritzema
Mikayla Zonnefeld

Elder/Diacon Greeters

Merle Schouten

Joe Bresser

Fellowship Coffee

Michael & Danielle Jansma

Greeters

Jesse, Amanda, Jaxon &
Charlotte Buteyn

Nursery

Michelle Mulder
Andrea Buwalda
Megan Greenfield

Sound System

Pete Vander Werff

Ushers

Noah Mulder
Josh Schouten
Tyler Ten Pass
Zach Vander Werff

Video Projection

Lois Mulder

Missionary Letters

Luke L. to Daryl Pfantz
Howard L. to Neen
Marty M. to Chaplain Peter+

**Please pray especially for this
missionary family this week*

7:00 PM Worship Service @ Bethel CRC

Worship Notes

This morning we welcome Matt Hofman as he leads us in worship. And **this evening** we will worship at Bethel CRC.

Next Sunday we celebrate Communion and we welcome Chaplain Pat Hennen as he leads us in morning worship. We will be worshipping at 7PM at Bethel CRC in the evening.

Upcoming Special Service

11/4/2018	7:00 PM	Combined PM Service @ Bethel CRC
11/11/2018	9:30 AM	Communion
11/11/2018	7:00 PM	Combined PM Service @ Bethel CRC
11/18/2018	7:00 PM	Combined PM Service @ Bethel CRC
11/25/2018	9:30 AM	Baptism of Everett Homan

Council Report

- Council members met with a STM candidate this past Thursday.
- The Membership papers Of the Van Hills were sent to 1st CRC of Grand Rapids, MI at their request.
- The membership of Erin Homan was sent to Brookfield CRC at his request.
- The Transportation Committee is looking for new members to help pick up people for church in the morning.
- Congratulations to Scott Ritzema who was granted a license to exhort by Classis.

Deacons Report

November Cause: Waupun Food Pantry

Thanksgiving offering envelopes are out in the narthex for you to pick up.

Last Weeks Offering

Local Budget	\$2,857.00
Bethany Christian Services	\$ 125.00

Our Family

Please remember to contact your Elder for any concerns that arise. The new listing of Elders and Deacons per Care Group are listed at the bottom of the bulletin. If you would like the Prayer Chain please contact Gladys @ 920-210-5329.

<u>Birthdays</u>	<u>November</u>		<u>November</u>
Elise Ritzema	4	Norm Jansma	5
Winnojean Scheuers	5	Todd Schouten	5
Silas Mulder	6	Greg Root	7
Trix Daane	9	Leanne Johnson	9
Kim Greenfield	9	Jake Vander Werff	10

The entire family of Randy Ver Hage would like to thank the church family for all the condolences and acts of kindness in the passing of our loved one.

Sandy returned home on Wednesday after a week in the hospital for pneumonia & receiving two more upper heart stents (five total) & an in home heart monitoring & blood pressure machine. Praise for modern medicine & continued prayers for healing. Thank you for cards, prayers, phone calls, special thanks for Elder Kevin Buwalda and Al Venhuizen. **Glen & Sandy Greenfield**

As you pray this week please remember these people in your prayers:

- Congratulations to Noah & Mackenzie in the birth of their daughter Hazel. Please keep them in prayer as Hazel is at Childrens Hospital in Madison undergoing testing.
- Karen Venhuizen as she recovers from shoulder replacement surgery.
- Carlie Jansen as she recovers from surgery, may she have a quick recovery.
- Travis & Jessica Mulder, pray that treatments continue to be successful.
- Eden Homan as she continues to heal.
- Laura Ten Pass as she continues with cancer treatments.
- Leanne Johnson continue to pray for healing.
- Morris & Bea as Morris continues with treatments. Pray for strength and for the treatments to work.

It can be easy to forget about those that we don't see every week so we are including a list of shut-ins within our congregation. We hope that you will take some time to visit, send cards, and pray for these members of our family. As Romans 12:10 says, "Be devoted to one another in brotherly love. Honor one another above yourselves."

- Joyce Haan
- Wilma Navis

If at any time you would like your name added to or taken off the prayer list, please contact Gladys.

Church News

If your group is planning to use the church for any event please make sure that you have reserved it through the church secretary in advance. Thank you.

We need volunteers for transportation. Due to health issues, etc we need to replenish this list, so won't you prayerfully consider helping out? Please let Gladys know if you are available to be put on the list.

Looking for Volunteers to be **Bell Ringers for the Salvation Army** on Friday, **December 14 from 10 AM – 6 PM**. Please contact Arky Navis at 920-210-3016 if you are able to help out.

Salute to Veterans: Celebrate the contributions to freedom of our veterans, as Central Wisconsin Christian hosts its annual 'Salute to Veterans' on **Friday, November 9th at 2:00 PM** in the Crusader Centre. All veterans in attendance will be individually recognized and honored for their service, as together we pause to remember that freedom isn't free!

Information/Q&A Session regarding the proposed CWC Capital Campaign will be held in the Cornerstone on Thursday November 8 at 6:30 PM. Please use Door #1 (North Entrance).

For more than 70 years, Central Wisconsin Christian has been a partner with families in preparing kids to glorify God and serve His world. The CWC Board is excited to announce the next steps in our history of meeting the needs of all of our students. Don't miss **Forward CWC!** on Thursday, November 15th at 6:30pm, as we discuss this vision and determine the direction for generations to come. Childcare and activities provided for kids 5th grade and younger. More details are available online at cwcbuildingcommunity.com or by calling 920.324.4233. Let's see where God can lead us for the next generations of His Kingdom!

Community Happenings

5-stones presents: Not In Our Town: The Face of Trafficking in Rural Areas. November 8th at 6:30 PM. See the flyer in the narthex for more information or contact Kathy Westra @ 920-284-2030 or kgwestra@gmail.com.

Youth for Christ is holding their Comedy Café Fundraiser for 2 nights in November. Don't miss this unforgettable evening of desserts, student testimony, and comedian Taylor Mason, helping raise money and awareness for the ministry of YFC throughout the area. There are two great nights to choose from! November 12 in Fond du Lac, and Nov 13th in Waupun. Admission is free but reservations are required. For more information or to make reservations call toll 920-923-1416 or visit www.badgerlandyfc.org.

Brandon Community Blood Drive Tuesday, November 20, 2018 1:00-6:00 at Bethel Reformed Church, 305 W Main St, Brandon

An Invitation for Thanksgiving Day Dinner from Pella Lutheran Church
A special invitation is extended to singles, couples and/or families who are alone or unable to prepare the traditional Thanksgiving Day dinner. Pella's 29th annual Thanksgiving Day meal will be served at 12 noon on Thursday, November 22nd in the church fellowship hall. Please phone a reservation in to Jan Harmsen (920-642-3732) or Lora Huizenga (324-3321 ext. 10) by

Friday, November 16th in order for the proper amount of food to be prepared. Persons needing transportation in Waupun may also indicate this. There is no charge for attending, just bring a hearty appetite.

Calendar

Today:	9:30 AM	AM Worship Service @ 1 st CRC
	10:45 AM	Sunday School & Catechism
	7:00 PM	PM Combined Worship Service @ Bethel CRC
Monday:	6:00 PM	First Place 4 Health @ 1 st CRC
Tuesday:	8:00 AM	Prayer Meeting @ 1 st CRC
	9:00 AM	First Place 4 Health @ 1 st CRC
Wednesday:	9:00 AM	Coffee Break @ Bethel CRC
	10:00 AM	Mens Bible Study @ Mike VB
	6:30 PM	Cadets @ the Union
	6:30 PM	GEMS @ Bethel CRC
	7:00 PM	Youth Group @ the Union
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Next Week

Accompanist

Laura Ten Pass

Children & Worship

Leader: Emily Mulder

Helpers: Shirley Otto
Jolie Schouten

Elder/Deacon Greeters

Kevin Buwalda
Andy Schlieve

Fellowship Coffee

Pete & Tabbie Vander Werff

Greeters

Keith & Sue Buwalda

Nursery

Bonnie Vander Berg
Kim Greenfield
Reagan Aylesworth

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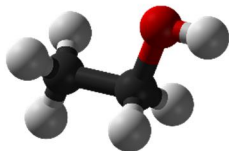
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Beth Schlieve

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THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

Water Into Wine



This beginning of miracles did Jesus in Cana of Galilee, and manifested forth his glory; and his disciples believed on him. – John 2:11

John records in his Gospel that the first miracle of Jesus was performed at the wedding at Cana in Galilee. During the course of the celebrations, they were found to have run out of wine. Jesus instructed the servants to fill six 20-gallon stone jars with water, and He turned this 120 gallons of water into wine.

I have watched people carry out conjuring tricks, where a glass of water is stirred with a wand, on which has been glued a crystal of potassium permanganate, which colors the water a deep red. Jesus did not do anything like this because the wine was tasted and found to be just that – wine.

Today's wines might be just over 10% ethanol. Even if we allow that wines in biblical times were weaker, we can still assume that more than 5% of the water was turned into ethanol. That would be 6 gallons of ethanol.

Molecules of water are very different from molecules of the alcohol ethanol. Jesus had turned H_2O into C_2H_5OH . This shows Jesus' creative power. He must have made the carbon atoms in the wine from nothing. But then, He did create the whole universe at the beginning!

But there is more. The master of the feast declared that this was good wine. Good wine is that which has aged. The aging process involves some ethanol reacting with organic acids from the fruit to form delicately flavored and fragrant compounds called esters. But this process of esterification takes time; often several years. So Jesus was also showing that He is in control of the timing of things as well as their actual creation.

Ref: John Gill's Exposition of the Bible, accessed 10/31/2017. Image: Public Domain drawing.

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<u>Group</u>	<u>Elder</u>	<u>Deacon</u>
1	Don Pausma	Jon Mulder
2	Merle Schouten	Joe Bresser
3	Bob Mulder	
4	Gary DeJager	Eric Homan
5	Norm Buwalda	Ben Mulder
6	Tom Jonker	Randall Greenfield
7	Steve Homan	
8	Kevin Buwalda	Andy Schlieve

Sola Scriptura ~ 2 Timothy 3:10-17
Worship Notes