



First Christian Reformed Church

Waupun, Wisconsin

*“Enter into His gates with thanksgiving,
and into His courts with praise.”
Psalm 100:4*

Welcome

In Christ we welcome all who need comfort, friendship, and hope. Our worship is designed to honor God as well as encourage and feed His people. We hope and pray that God will speak to you today.

If you are presently seeking a church home, we welcome you to join our fellowship. If you would like further information about our church, there are care cards located on the back inside cover of the gray songbook. Please fill in the information, place it in the offering bag, and we will be in touch with you.

Our Vision

With the help and presence of our living Lord, we seek to energize and transform lives and maintain the essence of the historic Reformed faith in our worship, service, and fellowship; and to pass on our faith to others.

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Office hours: Tuesday and Thursday 10 AM – 3 PM

Bulletin announcements deadline: Thursday noon

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9:30 AM Worship

Prelude

*Call to Worship

***Opening Song of Praise:** "God of Wonders"
(see screen)

*God's Greeting

*We Greet Each Other

God's Will For Our Lives: Isaiah 6:5

Assurance of Pardon: Isaiah 1:18

Song of Dedication: "Praise Him All Ye Little Children" R188 vs.1-2
(Children may come forward for the Children's Message during the song.)

Children's Message led by Dominique Van Hill
(Afterwards, children aged 3-6 may leave for Children's Worship in the basement.)

Song of Preparation: "Safe Within Your Arms"
sung by Lexi De Jager

***Scripture:** Matthew 10:24-33

Sermon: "Facing & Conquering Fears"

Prayer of Application

***Song of Response:** "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" R539

Congregational Prayer

Offering: MOPS

*Benediction

***Doxology:** "The Power of Your Love" (see screen)

*Postlude

Accompanist

Laura Ten Pass

Children & Worship

Teacher: Kelli Durant

Helpers: Becca Smits
Lucas Vander Berg

Greeters

Byron & Kathy Kamphuis

Library

Rose Homan
Marcia Buteyn
Jan Scheuers

Nursery

The Stahmann family

Sound System

Glen Greenfield

Transportation

Glen Greenfield (346-5152)
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Norm Buwalda
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Dan Montsma

Video Projection

Lois Mulder

Missionary Letters

Dorothy Tobak to Daryl Pfantz
Minnie Tobak to Brother Bob
Craig Van Hill to Chaplain Peter⁺

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

**Please stand if you are able*

7:00 PM Worship

Prelude

Call to Worship

Time of Praise: Praise Team 2

Pastoral Prayer: Led by Al Venhuizen

***Scripture: Joshua 4:1-24**

Message: “Standing Stones”

Prayer of Application

***Song of Response:** “Let it Be Said of Us” (see screen)

***Affirmation of Faith:** Apostle’s Creed G813

Offertory Prayer

Offering: The Christian Home

***Benediction**

***Doxology:** “Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow” G637

***Postlude**

**Please stand if you are able*

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Arky & Helene Navis

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Welcome

We welcome our visitors and hope that you enjoy worshipping with us. Please fill out a “Care Card” found in the back of the gray Psalter Hymnal and drop it in the offering bag. The red Celebration Hymnals are located under the pew in front of you. Inform an usher if you prefer a large print bulletin, and feel free to check one of the “Visitor” mailslots in the narthex for additional materials.

Worship Notes

This Memorial Day weekend we honor those who have given their lives while defending the freedoms of others. May we always “learn to do right! Seek justice, encourage the oppressed. Defend the cause of the fatherless, plead the case of the widow.” Isaiah 1:17

This morning’s offering for MOPS will be used to offset some of the ever-increasing cost of Bible study materials. Our church is one of the founding churches for this very important outreach. MOPS is hopeful that the increase in help will enable more members

to join, allowing God's word to reach more. Anyone wanting to support this ministry can place a donation in an envelope marked for MOPS at any time.

Welcome to members of Bethel CRC & Alto CRC as you worship with us this evening. May the Lord be praised through our combined worship.

Verses of the Week: Matthew 10:29-31 "Are not two sparrows sold for a penny? Yet not one of them will fall to the ground apart from the will of your Father. And even the very hairs of your head are all numbered. So don't be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows."

Church Family

Congratulations to Chaplain Peter Hofman who successfully completed Army Ranger training and graduated this past Friday. May the Lord richly bless your ministry wherever he leads you – stateside or abroad.

We have received word that **Casey Derksen** is currently on night patrol in Iraq. Please continue to remember him and the rest of our military in your prayers.

Liz Van Zanen arrived in Washington after a difficult trip. She wears a brace during the day and, with the use of a hospital bed and lift chair, she is able to get good sleep at night and get out of bed during the day. She has been told it will be a 5 to 6 week recovery period. Please remember Liz in your prayers. If you would like to send a word of encouragement, her son's address is 22426 262nd Ave. S.E., Maple Valley, WA 98038. Phone: 425-432-2213.

We extend our sympathies to the Pete Montsma family in the passing of Pete's sister, Shirley Terpstra, of Delavan. May the Lord comfort you during your loss.

"Thank you to the entire congregation for your prayers for healing for Tyler's back over the past seven months. Tyler received the good news that the fractures have healed properly, and he has been given the 'green light' to resume normal activities. Praise God!" – The Dale & Jean Jansen family

We rejoice with the following who will celebrate an anniversary or birthday this week:

Anniversary:

Dale & Beth Andrew
Craig & Dominique Van Hill

May

24
26

Wayne & Faith Miedema

May

27

Birthdays:

Grace Kamphuis
Sandy Greenfield
Marjorie Vande Streek

May

25
27
28

Nick Klein
Orlene Smits

May

30
30

Congratulations

Church News

Please pick up your funeral bowls/containers from the kitchen counter. After today, they will be donated to Bargains Galore.



Crocodile Dock VBS

A lot of work has been taking place to get ready for Crocodile Dock. We need to get the word out to the community, so if you have signed up to be in the **Memorial Day parade** please meet at St. Joseph's Catholic church at 8:30 tomorrow morning dressed in jeans or khakis and straw hats. If you have fishing equipment, bring it along. If you have any questions please call Dominique Van Hill at 324-2249

CD's are available for \$4.00. We are using a new company for VBS, and we are not able to burn CD's for the kids this year. If you would like to purchase a CD, contact Bonnie Vander Berg at 324-0801.

Last week the **donation list** was sent out, please look around your house for any items that you can donate. Help us make the church look like a southern bayou. We need the paint and sheets as soon as possible so we can begin painting the back drop.

Can't make it the week of VBS? **Come help paint the backdrop** we will be using. We will be painting at the parsonage on Thursday, June 4, at 10:00-11:30 AM; Wednesday, June 10 at 10:00-11:30; and Tuesday, June 16 at 10:00-11:30. Please come and join in the fun. If you have questions please call Dominique at 324-2249.

A lady in Guiuan Philippines has a rather severe hearing problem, and she asked for help in getting a hearing aid. If you have a hearing aid you are no longer using and it works, please contact Pastor Norman Haan. He would like to send it to her.



Revised Office Hours: Tuesday and Wednesday, 10:00 AM – 3:00 PM. **Please submit all bulletin announcements by Wednesday noon** as Marla has been summoned for jury duty on Thursday.

Youth Group will meet this Wednesday at 7:00 PM by Gary & Katie's. Bring a lawn chair



The annual Cadet Campout will be this Friday and Saturday. We will meet at the CWC Elementary Campus at 6:00 PM Friday and will go to Josh Bos's farm to camp. We will return at 3:00 PM Saturday. If you plan to attend, you must call your leader by this Tuesday. Fathers are encouraged to join the fun. Please pray for good weather.

The Youth Group will be having a fund raiser at the Pizza Ranch on Monday, June 8. The proceeds will go toward the cost of their service trip scheduled for June 13-20 in Cedar Rapids, IA. Thanks in advance for your support!



On June 13 our Youth Group is heading out to Cedar Rapids, IA, where we will assist people still struggling from flood. We will be renting vans but will have very little space for luggage. If you have a trailer that we could borrow for the trip please let one of

the youth leaders know. We would greatly appreciate being able to ride without having luggage on our laps.

Community News



The Memorial Day tradition continues, as the Crusader Athletic Booster Club will host its annual **Memorial Day Breakfast** on Monday. Serving will run from 7:30–9:30, with pancakes, two kinds of eggs, and all the fixings for the cost of your freewill donation. Whether you're biking in to enjoy the day or catching breakfast before the big parade, stop by the CWC Gymnasium to start your holiday out right!! For more information, call 324.4233.

Change is a fact of life! That means it may be time to update your estate plan. Your plan should reflect your current family and financial circumstances. Don Long, a Christian attorney from Barnabas Foundation, will come alongside you to help review your current plan. This confidential Estate Planning review is available to you at no charge and with no obligation. Don Long will be meeting with Christian families in this area from May 26-May 29. Call Barnabas Foundation toll-free at 888-448-3040 to set up an appointment to meet with Don Long.



The **Waupun Area High School Senior Class** will hold their annual baccalaureate service this Friday at 7:30 PM in the high school gym. The service will include praise singing, special music, a drama, and messages from God's Word. Come and support our seniors and send them out with God's blessings! The entire community is invited to attend.



The graduation ceremony will be at 1:00 PM this Saturday in the high school gym.

You're invited to an **Open House at The Christian Home and Rehab Center**. Come and see the changes that have happened and check out the new **Transitional Care Unit!** Enjoy refreshments, door prizes, free blood pressure checks, Therapy Department demonstrations and tours of the facility on Sunday, June 14, 1:00-3:00 PM.

Faith Christian School of Randolph is hosting their 4th annual 10K/5K/1 Mile Fun Run/Walk Classic on Saturday, August 1. Registration forms and more information are available on their website at www.randolphcs.org



Miscellaneous

World Missions—Preparing for Pentecost: Next Sunday is Pentecost, a time to celebrate the Holy Spirit. On the first Pentecost, God made clear His desire to extend the Good News about Jesus to people all over the world. To prepare your hearts for Pentecost we have created an email devotional that starts today. Order it online at www.crw.org/membership. Next Sunday you'll see a bulletin insert with examples of how your gift of just \$10 to World Missions is making a difference around the world.

New from Faith Alive: Want your business to be your mission? Find out how entrepreneurs are fighting poverty: www.FaithAliveResources.org/My-Business-My-Mission.

Volunteer Dairy Farm Training Manager needed for Uganda: Christian Reformed World Missions is looking for a volunteer to help establish a dairy farm for a Theological College in Mbale, Uganda. A mature Christian with experience in dairy farming and/or farm management are essential to this position, plus a willingness to serve for a minimum of 6 months. If this is of interest to you, please contact Kathryn Shane at kshane@crcna.org or 800-346-0075. Visit www.crwm.org for further information.

Church Calendar

Today:	8:45 AM	First Fellowship
	7:00 PM	Evening Combined Worship Service
Wed:	12:00 PM	Revised bulletin announcement deadline
	7:00 PM	Youth Group @ Gary & Katie's
Fri:	6:00 PM	Co-ed Softball @ Edgewood
Fri-Sat:		Cadet Campout

Next Week

Accompanist

AM – Cara Aylesworth
PM – Brenda Hofman

Children's Message

(You will be contacted.)

Children & Worship

Teacher: Nancy Vande Berg
Helpers: Den Vande Berg
Hollie Ten Pass

Greeters

AM – Nick & Carol Klein
PM – Percy & Jan De Vries

Library

Jan De Vries
Winnojean Scheuers
Dorothy Schouten

Nursery

AM – Katie & Lexi De Jager
Cody Zonnefeld
PM – Brenda Hofman
Breanna Smits

Offering

AM – Education Fund
PM – Denominational Ministry Shares

Pastoral Prayer

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Prayer Requests

Shut-Ins

Gerald Bossenbroek
Delia Buteyn
Ruby Buteyn
Hazel Buwalda
Bea Heideman
Junice Kamphuis
Eugene Kikkert
Millie Kuiper

Josie Looman
Bud Navis
Wilma Navis
Marion Scheuers
Howard Te Beest
Jerry & Jeanette Tjepkema
Minnie Tobak



Health Concerns

Jeanette Decker as she receives speech and physical therapy at the Christian Home.
Gene Hofman's mother, Kathryn, and her husband, Don, as they struggle with cancer.
Conrad Rens as he struggles with his Tourette's syndrome.
Marion Scheuers is experiencing severe pain in both legs.
Healing for **Tyler Ten Pass's** leg fracture.
Healing for **Liz Van Zanen's** broken back.

Military

Wiebe & Ruth Buwalda's grandson, Peter Woreck (Afghanistan)
Larry & Trix Daane's granddaughter, Holly Daane (Beal AFB, CA), and **grandson, Jeff Daane** (Iraq)
Sam Daane (Beal AFB, CA)
Jack & Marla De Jager's nephew, Jonathan Sturing (Mosul, Iraq)
Casey Derksen (Iraq)
Chaplain Peter Hofman
Louie & Nancy Wierenga's grandson, Devin Terry (Baghdad, Iraq)

Requests

Good weather for the Cadet Campout on May 29-30.
Pray for **those desiring to be parents.**
Pray for the Lord's blessings on the "seeds" that were planted through the **pastoral training in the Philippines** provided by Pastor Haan and Evangelist Dave Katsma.
Pray that the **Van Hill's house** in Holland, MI, will be sold.
Pray for those working on **VBS** and that the Lord will send many children who will be blessed by that week.



The Union Update

May 2009

Our Calendar

Campus Life Cookout/Bonfire – June 1st
High School Hang Out: Saturday Nights @ 7pm
Brat Fry @ Piggly Wiggly – June 12-13th
Mission Group Coming – June 18-28th

We are still in need of a few items. Please help us make the Union a better place!

- Volunteers to Help Staff
- Skating Helmets
- Cookie Dough
- Nacho Cheese Dispenser
- Baked Goods
- Door Stops
- Couches (New or Used)
- New or Used Sporting Equipment

Prayer Requests

- Pray for our family that we may continue to share the loving message of Jesus
- Praise God for continued faithfulness and blessings
- Pray for the preparations of the upcoming Colorado Trip
- Pray that the mission group coming in June will be able to make a positive impact on the Union facilities

Check us out on the Web: www.fdlyfc.org/theunion.cfm

The Union is a local youth center located in the old middle school building in Waupun. It is a part of the Fond du Lac Area chapter of Youth For Christ. Campus Life, Campus Life JV, Middle School dances, and High School Hang Out are a few of the events that take place at The Union. On any give week The Union could have between 50 to 500 teens walk through its doors.

For more information or to fulfill a need:

Scott: 920-948-8185

Randy: 920-344-9608

<http://www.fdlyfc.org/theunion.cfm>

Thank you for your prayers and support!