



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, log onto the church website or contact Pastor Craig or the church office.

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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Secretary Office Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 10 AM–3 PM

Bulletin announcements deadline: Thursday noon

CCLI License 1865451

9:30 AM Worship

*(*Please stand if you are able)*

Prelude

*Call to Worship

Songs of Praise led by Praise Team 2

*God's Greeting

*We Greet Each Other

God's Will: Responsive Reading of the Law, G1013

You shall have no other gods before me.

It is written: "Worship the Lord your God, and serve him only."

You shall not make for yourself an idol.

God is spirit, and his worshipers must worship in spirit and in truth.

You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God.

"Do not swear at all: either by heaven, for it is God's throne; or by the earth, for it is his footstool. . . . Let your 'Yes' be 'Yes', and your 'No,' 'No'; anything beyond this comes from the evil one."

Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy.

The Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath. So the Son of Man is Lord even of the Sabbath.

Honor your father and your mother.

For God said, "Anyone who curses his father or mother must be put to death."

You shall not murder.

Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, that you may be sons of your Father in heaven.

You shall not commit adultery.

Anyone who looks at a woman lustfully has already committed adultery with her in his heart.

You shall not steal.

For out of the heart come evil thoughts, murder, adultery . . . theft . . . These are what make a man "unclean."

You shall not give false testimony.

For out of the overflow of the heart the mouth speaks. . . . For by your words you will be acquitted, and by your words you will be condemned.

You shall not covet.

Watch out! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; a man's life does not consist in the abundance of his possessions.

Song: "Praise Him, All Ye Little Children" R188 vs. 1-2

(Children aged 3 years through 4th grade 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 upstairs Youth Room.)

Song: "Praise Him, All Ye Little Children" R188 vs. 3

***Scripture:** John 2:1-11

We Study God's Word: "It's a Miracle"

Prayer

***Response in Song:** "In Cana at a Wedding Feast" (see screen)

Congregational and Offertory Prayer

Offering for Local Budget

***Benediction**

***Doxology:** "He is Lord" G633

***Postlude**

Accompanist

Junice Rens

Children & Worship

Teacher: Nancy Vande Berg

Helpers: Austin Huizenga
Den Vande Berg

Fellowship Coffee

Gregg & Kristi Zonnefeld

Greeters

Pastor Norman & Joyce Haan

Nursery

Steve & Melissa Wierenga

Breanna Smits

Sound System

Dan Scheuers

Transportation

Randy K. (324-2160)

Morris T.G. (539-1246)

Ushers

Keith Buwalda

Jordan De Jager

Ray Hofman

Ben Homan

Video Projection

Katie De Jager

Missionary Letters

Alice R. to Daryl Pfantz

Jenelle R. to Brother Bob⁺

Bob R. to Chaplain Peter

⁺Please pray especially for this missionary family this week.

7:00 PM Worship

(*Please stand if you are able)

Prelude

*Call to Worship

*God's Greeting

Songs of Praise led by Gene Hofman

Prayers of the People led by Al Venhuizen

Offering for the Building Fund

***We Study God's Word:** Nehemiah 4

Prayer

***Song of Response:** "Ancient Words" vs.1-2 (see screen)

***Affirmation of Our Faith:** "Our World Belongs to God" articles 5-6, G1020
responsively

God holds this world in sovereign love. He kept his promise, sending Jesus into the world. He poured out his Spirit and broadcast his news that sinners who repent and believe in Jesus can live and breathe and move again as members of the family of God.

We rejoice in the goodness of God, renounce the works of darkness, and dedicate ourselves to holy living.

As covenant partners, called to faithful obedience, and set free for joyful praise, we offer our hearts and lives to do God's work in his world. With tempered impatience, eager to see injustice ended, we expect the Day of the Lord.

And we are confident that the light that shines in the present darkness will fill the earth when Christ appears. Come, Lord Jesus! Our world belongs to you.

*Benediction

***Doxology:** "Humble Praises, Holy Jesus" G484 vs. 2

*Postlude

Accompanist

Laura Ten Pass

Greeters

Dick & Barb Heeringa

Video Projection

Katie De Jager

Library

Sandy Greenfield

Jan De Vries

Angela Buwalda

Sound System

Dan Scheuers

Nursery

Tabbie Vander Werff

Anna Hofman

Transportation

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Welcome

We welcome our visitors and hope that you enjoy worshipping with us. The red Celebration Hymnals are located under the pew in front of you. Large-print bulletins and children's bulletins are available in the back sanctuary rack

Please feel free to check one of the **“Visitor” mailslots** in the narthex for additional materials.



Worship Notes

This morning’s offering is for the Local Budget—to pay the church’s operating expenses.

This evening’s offering will be for the Building Fund—to pay for upkeep on the church building.

Verse of the Week: John 2:11 “This, the first of his miraculous signs, Jesus performed in Cana of Galilee. He thus revealed his glory, and his disciples put their faith in him.”

Next Sunday morning we will celebrate the Public Professions of Faith of Tyler Jansen and Becca Smits.

Next Sunday evening Pastor Wick Hubers will lead our worship as Pastor Craig enjoys his monthly respite.

Our Family

We rejoice with the Keren Derksen family that **Casey** has returned safely from Iraq; and with the **Wiebe & Ruth Buwalda family** that their grandson and nephew, **Peter Woreck**, has returned safely from Afghanistan and is back with his family.

“I would like to thank the entire congregation for your contributions to last week’s special offering to help defray the costs of my Regional Team training. Thank you for partnering with me in this important ministry.” – **Scott Ritzema**

Continue to uplift Keith Buwalda in the trauma of his accident this past week. We give thanks to God that he was not injured.

Please remember our youth as they return from Winter Retreat today. May they be refreshed both spiritually and physically.

We rejoice with the following who will celebrate a birthday this week:

<u>Birthdays:</u>	<u>Jan</u>		<u>Jan</u>
Rhonda Schouten	24	Heather Hoekstra	25
Delia Buteyn	25	Jeanette Tjepkema	27

Church News

Items not claimed from the narthex table today will be donated to Bargains Galore.

Adult Choir will resume practices today. New members are always welcome!

It is the season for singing! The annual Easter cantata practices will start today at 5:30 PM at 1st Randolph Reformed Church. We will be revisiting the cantata "Once and For All," so check your files to see if you have this cantata book. Invite your friends. We would love to have you join us in celebrating Christ's death and resurrection through song. If you have questions, call Chris Geleyne at 326-3691.



Pastor Craig will be attending the Worship Symposium at Calvin College this Wednesday through Saturday. Please contact your elder if a need arises during his absence.

Youth Group will meet this Wednesday at 7:00 PM at the Union. Lunch: Joe Bresser.



FREE movie night this Friday. We will be showing the movie "Come What May"—a vivid reminder that choosing what's right is never easy...but it's always worth the cost. The movie will begin at 7:00 PM with refreshments to follow. We are hoping for a great turnout so invite your friends, family and neighbors. There will be a nursery and an alternate movie for the younger kids. To learn more, see our website at www.waupuncrc.com.

We are looking for people to help out with the kids' movie and/or nursery during the movie night on Friday. If everyone takes a turn, then we will not end up having the same volunteers each time we show a movie at our church. If you are willing to help out with this, please talk to Bonnie Vander Berg.

There is a new sign-up sheet for the **Senior Supper**, which has been rescheduled for Wednesday, February 17. The food and fun begin at 6:30 PM, so please let us know if you will be able to attend. You can also call Scott & Jen Ritzema at 324-0714. The sheet is in the narthex, so please sign up as soon as possible.

Community Happenings

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 will be meeting with Christian families in our area Monday through Thursday. Call Barnabas Foundation toll-free at 888-448-3040 to set up an appointment.

**FIRST PLACE 4 HEALTH:
Seeing ourselves through God's eyes.**

A Bible-based weight loss/weight control program.

Have you tried to lose weight over and over only to yo-yo back and perhaps add a little more? Well, FIRST PLACE 4 HEALTH may be your answer. There are many facets to the program: prayer partners, daily bible study, weekly memory verses that help you stay on track, a food & prayer journal, exercise of your choice, giving and receiving encouragement, and attending weekly meetings. With God on your side, you can release the weight and develop good eating habits.

Orientation is at 5:00 PM tomorrow at First Reformed Church, with the session beginning at 5:00 PM on February 9. Please contact Toni Hofman for more information, or to reserve your place for this session. Toni's phone number is 920-960-2748, or her email is toni@vzrealestate.com.



Are you looking for a Christ-centered option for your child's education? Would you like to learn more about CWC's high-quality education? Join us this Saturday at **Central Wisconsin Christian** for our **Open House** event from 10:00 AM-1:00 PM. It's your chance to tour both campuses, meet the teachers, and hear all about our top-notch learning environment that is academically challenging and spiritually enriched. We would love to partner with your Christian family to share in training godly kids to see today's world through God's eyes!! To find out more, log on to our webpage at www.centralwisconsinchristian.org, or call the Advancement Office at 920-318-1349.

Kingdom Kids 4K Pre-School at Central Wisconsin Christian will be offering three sessions for the 2010-2011 school year. Three-day and two-day options are available in either our morning or afternoon programs. Sign-up for Kingdom Kids will begin on February 15. Prospective parents who attend our Open House event on January 30 can take advantage of an early enrollment option and obtain priority placement in the section of your choice. To find out more, call the school office at 324-2721 or find more details online at www.centralwisconsinchristian.org.

Around the World

www.crcna.org/Haiti - This CRC "Help Haiti" page has the latest news, donation links, and background about our 30+ years of ministry as a denomination in Haiti. You can also follow developments at www.facebook.com/crcna or www.twitter.com/crcna.

The next **Calvin College Festival of Faith and Writing** will take place on April 15-17. Speakers include Eugene Peterson, Parker Palmer, Kate DiCamillo, Mary Karr, Stephen Carter, Avi, Wally Lamb, and many, many others. Group discounts are available for book clubs and church-affiliated groups. Reserve your spot today by registering online at www.calvin.edu/festival. For more information, contact the Festival office by phone at 616-526-6770 or by e-mail at ffw@calvin.edu.

Calendar

Today:	8:45 AM	First Fellowship
	9:30 AM	Morning Worship
	10:45 AM	Sunday School/Catechism
	10:45 AM	Choir Rehearsal
	5:30 PM	Easter Cantata Rehearsal @ 1 st Randolph Reformed
	7:00 PM	Evening Worship
Wed:	7:00 PM	Youth Group @ The Union
Fri:	7:00 PM	Move Night – “Come What May”
Next Sun:	8:15 AM	11 th /12 th Catechism
	8:45 AM	First Fellowship

Next Week

Accompanist

AM – Lois Mulder

PM – Lois Mulder

Children’s Message

Laura Venhuizen

Children & Worship

Teacher: Tabbie Vander Werff

Helpers: Becca Smits

Adam Venhuizen

Fellowship Coffee

Mike & Bonnie Vander Berg

Greeters

AM – Lee Heideman

Ben Homan

PM – Kathryn Hinkes

Jenna Hofman

Library

Marcia Buteyn

Winnnojean Scheuers

Allegra Bossenbroek

Musical Praise

Praise Team 1

Nursery

AM – Brad & Rhonda Schouten

Mikayla Zonnefeld

PM – Michelle Mulder

Lexi De Jager

Offering

AM – Classical Ministry Shares

PM – Crossroad Bible Institute

Pastoral Prayer

Gregg Zonnefeld

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Glen Greenfield

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Prayer List



Shut-Ins

**Gerald Bossenbroek
Ruby Buteyn
Bea Heideman
Eugene Kikkert
Josie Looman
Wilma Navis
Minnie Tobak**

**Delia Buteyn
Hazel Buwalda
Junice Kamphuis
Millie Kuiper
Bud Navis
Howard Te Beest**

Military

**Larry & Trix Daane's grandson, Jeff Daane (NAS Pensacola, FL)
Sam Daane (Beal AFB, CA)
Jack & Marla De Jager's nephew, Jonathan Sturing (Fort Carson, CO)
Chaplain Peter Hofman (Fort Bragg, NC)
Louie & Nancy Wierenga's grandson, Devin Terry (Baghdad, Iraq)**

Thanks

Thank the Lord for **faith-based relief agencies (such as CRCWRC and CRWM)** that provide material and spiritual help for those in need.

**To add or remove a prayer request, please inform Marla.
All requests will remain on the prayer list until notified otherwise.**