

5/21/2017

Welcome to
First Christian Reformed Church



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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 Pastor Craig (920-539-3848) or the church office (324-2898).

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

You can tune in to AM 1170 every Sunday morning at 8:30 to hear last week's sermon. You are also able to 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:** Led by Praise Team

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

We Are Renewed in God's Grace

Confession and Assurance

Song: The Lord Bless You and Keep You –
R236 (End with optional ending)

Congregational Prayer

Offertory and Our Offerings: Local Budget

Children are dismissed for Walk Out Worship

God Speaks through His Word

***Scripture:** Malachi 1:6-14; Exodus 34:29-35; 2 Corinthians 3:13-18

Sermon: Be Authentic

We Respond to God's Word

***Song of Response:** Let It Be Said of Us

We Leave to Serve God

***God's Parting Blessing**

***Closing:** Lord of the Universe

***Postlude**

Accompanist

Laura Ten Pass

Children & Worship

Leader: Emily Mulder

Helpers: Cassidy Ritzema
Kaytlin Smits

Fellowship Coffee

Denny & Nancy Vande Berg

Greeters

John, Shelly & Will
Bronkhorst

Nursery

Lori Venhuizen
Bonnie Vander Berg
Zach Vander Werff

Sound System

Eric Homan

Transportation

Percy De Vries (324-4678)
Glen Greenfield (346-5152)

Ushers

Keith Buwalda
Noah Mulder
Josh Schouten

Video Projection

Mike Vander Berg

Missionary Letters

Dan R. to Daryl Pfantz
Greg R. to Neen
Ryan R. to Chaplain Peter+

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

**6:00 PM Worship Service
Led by New G's**

Worship Notes

Tonight we welcome the New G's as they lead our worship through singing. Join us as we celebrate how good God is through music.

Next Sunday morning we are privileged to have Chaplain Peter Hofman leading us in worship as Pastor Craig fills the pulpit in 1st CRC of Randolph. Come and hear the message that he brings from God and from his experience serving as a chaplain.

Next Sunday evening we are joining with Bethel CRC for our combined Memorial Day service.

Verses of the Week: Many will say to me on that day, "Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in your name, and in your name driv3 out demons and perform miracles?" Then I will tell them plainly, "I never knew you. Away from me, you evil-doers!" Matthew 7:22-23

This week be in prayer for:

- Our president and the federal government
- Police officers
- Those affected by the flooding down south
- City Reformed Church in Milwaukee

Give thanks to God for:

- The African Children's Choir and the New G's
- The many volunteers in our church
- Access to medical care

Upcoming Special Service

May 21	6:00 PM	New G's
May 25	7:00 PM	Ascension Day Service @ Alto CRC
May 28	9:30 AM	Peter Hofman
May 28	7:00 PM	Combined Memorial Day Service @ Bethel CRC

The Council has released the following names for nomination of Elder and Deacon. Nominations for Elder: Steve Homan, Dale Jansen, Tom Jonker, Merlin Schouten, Dave Rens. Nominations for Deacon: Joe Bresser, Randall Greenfield, Tyler Jansen, Brian Van Herwaarden.

Congregational meeting will be held on Monday, June 26, 2017 at 7:00 PM.

Last Week's Offerings

Local Budget	\$4,729.00
Cary Christian Center	\$ 75.00

All loose offering will go toward Local Budget

If you are making a donation to the maintenance and remodeling project, please label the envelope or check Capital Improvements. This will help the deacons. Thank you!

May cause: Cary Christian Center in Mississippi which works to break the cycle of poverty by building serious and significant relationships that are based on biblical principles. Their Mission Statement is to actively proclaim and demonstrate the Gospel of Jesus Christian in order to enable individuals to reach their full potential in Christ.

Our Family

Birthdays

	<u>May</u>		<u>May</u>
Trevor Zonnefeld	21	Lois Groenewold	21
Marilyn Mulder	22	Nate Scheuers	23
Gardie Ten Pas	23	Taylor Sweetman	25
Sandy Greenfield	27		

Anniversaries

	<u>May</u>		<u>May</u>
Dave & Gloria Rens	21	Eric & Stacy Schaver	21
Al & Grace Bruins	24	Pastor Craig & Dominique	26
Wayne & Faith Miedema	27	Adam & Megan Venhuizen	27

Are you looking for an intimate group within our church like Pastor Craig spoke about a few weeks ago? Why not check out the Tuesday morning prayer group? We meet for one hour in the large classroom upstairs on **Tuesday mornings at 8:00am**. Come just once to check us out!

Celebrate with us the marriages of Troy Aalsma to Taylor Sweetman and Breanna Smits to Drew Buitter. Help us bless them as they start this journey together by placing donated household goods in the boxes in the narthex. Cleaning supplies, popcorn, kitchen utensils, and whatever else you can think up would show these couples that they are loved.

Attention grads and parents of grads! Gladys needs information from each of you. For those graduating college please get me the school and date of your graduation, degree, and your future plans. Those graduating high school please get me school graduating from and what your future plans include. It is also appreciated if you can send a picture to the church email: waupuncrc@gmail.com. **We will be celebrating our grads on Sunday, June 4, 2017. Please get me the information this week if possible!** Thank you!

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



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
- Winnie Kuiper
- Wilma Navis
- Jeanette Tjepkema
- Howard Loomans
- Lee Heideman

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

Church News

Books that once were in the church library will be available TODAY in the basement for members to take. **Any unclaimed books after today will be donated to Bargains Galore.**

With the recent renovation and shuffling of things around our building, **there is an upright piano available.** It is located in the upstairs classroom along the north wall. If you are interested, **talk to Brian Bresser.**

Upcoming Coffee Chats - Voice of the Martyrs: Our church council would like to put on a series of short, educational sessions on Sunday mornings called Coffee Chats. These chats will begin and 8:45 AM in our church basement and will last 15-30 minutes long. The goal is to educate our members in various topics of interest. Our first set of coffee chats will center around the topic of Persecuted Christians. Our schedule for these Coffee Chats is:

- June 4: Persecuted Christians - Sacrifice
- July 16: Persecuted Christians - Faithfulness
- August 13: Persecuted Christians - Perseverance

If you would like to attend and need nursery services, please send an email to Mike at mike@dis-solutions.com. Please join us for one, two or all three of these sessions!

You are invited to the **graduation exercises for the 8th grade class** of Central Wisconsin Christian on **May 24, 2017** at 6:30pm in the Crusader Centre. Current teacher, Renae Venhuizen, will encourage our students using Psalm 18:2. "The Lord is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my

God is my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield and the horn of my salvation, my stronghold.”

The CWC Board will present the **high school class of 2017 at 6:30pm** in the Crusader Centre on **May 26th**. Barb Thomson, CWC parent, will address the seniors and encourage them as they prepare to begin the next chapter of their life, thanking God for his faithfulness and ask Him for continued guidance. Our students appreciate your support!

The CWC Athletic Booster Club would like you to join us as we celebrate Memorial Day with **the Annual Pancake Breakfast**. We will be serving from **7:00am – 9:30am on May 29th** in the CWC commons area. Traditional pancakes, eggs, beverages, etc. will be served. Donations will go to support CWC athletics. Come join us before enjoying your holiday activities.

Baccalaureate will take place in the LGI at the high school at 7pm on Friday, June 2nd. Everyone is welcome to join us in celebrating the Class of 2017 and thanking God for them and asking for Him to direct their lives as they start a new chapter in their lives.

For the month of May Wendy's in Beaver Dam will be donating 20% of orders to OH4F! Vouchers are available from OH4F board members and in your mailboxes or during May just mention you are supporting OH4F and they will mark your order. It is a great way to help the Myan, Haiti school and OH4F!

Camp Calvin 2017 Registration is now open! Please register online today! Camp Calvin is a Christian camp for all youth entering grades 4-9 in the Fall of 2017. Camp Calvin will be held on June 19-24, 2017. For Registrations, please visit www.CampCalvin.com. Brochures can be found by the information center in the basement.

Calendar

Today:	9:30 AM	AM Worship Service @ 1 st CRC
	6:00 PM	PM Worship Service @ 1 st CRC
Monday:	6:00 PM	First Place 4 Health @ 1 st CRC
Tuesday:	8:00 AM	Prayer Meeting
	9:00 AM	First Place 4 Health @ 1 st CRC
Thursday:	7:00 PM	Ascension Day Service @ Alto CRC
Next Sunday:	9:30 AM	AM Worship Service @ 1 st CRC
	7:00 PM	Combined PM Worship Service @ Bethel CRC

Next Week

Accompanist

Cara Aylesworth

Children & Worship

Leader: Jenna Mulder

Helpers: Elizabeth Jonker

Josie Venhuizen

Fellowship Coffee

Al & LeAnne Holden

Greeters

Al & Grace Bruins

Musical Praise

Ben Homan

Nursery

Danielle & Marissa Jansma

Heather Hoekstra

Offering: Local Budget

May Cause: Cary Christian Center

Prayer

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Katie De Jager

<u>Group</u>	<u>Elder</u>	<u>Deacon</u>
1	Don Pausma	Jon Venhuizen
2	Denny Vande Berg	
3	Bob Mulder	
4	Scott Ritzema	Eric Homan
5	Norm Buwalda	Ben Mulder
6	Mike Vander Berg	Brad Schouten
7	Gregg Zonnefeld	Dave Venhuizen
8	Al Venhuizen	Brian O'Donovan

CREATION MOMENTS

Proclaiming Evidence for Truth
THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

Young Blood



His heart is as firm as a stone; yea, as hard as a piece of the nether millstone. – Job 41:24

As dinosaur bones containing blood vessels and blood cells are continually being found, more and more laboratories are assigning dates to these bones in the thousands, not millions, of years. This makes evolutionists just like the patient who

goes to his doctor, convinced that he is dead. After failing to convince the patient he is alive, the doctor pricks the man's finger, causing it to bleed. "See?" the doctor says. You must be alive because dead men don't bleed." And the patient replies: "Imagine that! Dead men do bleed after all!"

Evolutionists know full well that dinosaur bones that are millions of years old should not have blood and blood vessels in them. To defend their position, they usually say the bones were contaminated, throwing off the dating. But North Carolina State University said that their researchers "have confirmed that blood vessel-like structures found in an 80 million-year-old hadrosaur fossil are original to the animal, and not biofilm or other contaminants."

But like the patient who kept thinking he was dead, the university went on to say that their findings "add to the growing body of evidence that structures like blood vessels and cells can persist over millions of years."

Evolutionists just won't admit that their evolutionary dating of dinosaurs has finally been falsified. After all, that would be like admitting that the Bible is right, and this is something that atheistic evolutionists will never do.

Ref: "Researchers Confirm Original Blood Vessels in 80 Million-Year-Old Fossil," NC State News, 12/1/15. Photo: Blood vessels found in a supposedly 80-million-year-old hadrosaur fossil. Courtesy of North Carolina State University. (Fair Use)

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