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First Christian Reformed Church



Our worship services are broadcast on our YouTube channel. Regular, large-print, and children's bulletins are available from an usher. Contact Lois Mulder in the office (waupuncrc@gmail.com) or Pastor Greg Schuringa (pastorgreg@waupuncrc.com) for anything else related to First CRC, including membership, our ministries, as well as what we believe and practice. Please join us for coffee and conversation near our main entrance each Sunday before and after worship.

Office hours: Thursdays, 10 AM to 2 PM

All announcements are due in the office by noon Thursday

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9:30 AM Worship Service

* Please stand if you are able.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Song of Worship: "You Are My Hiding Place" R700

*God's Greeting

*Song of Praise: "Amid the Thronging Worshipers" G239

*Songs of Worship: "Holy Forever" "O Come to the Altar"
"Sovereign Over Us"

Children Singing for Mother's Day

Profession of Our Faith: Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 50

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Congregational Prayer

*Song of Worship: "Let All Things Now Living" G453

Offertory and Our Offerings for the Local Budget and Elim

Children ages 3 through 4K are invited to Children's Worship

*Scripture Reading: Matthew 6:25-34

Message: "Praying 'Give Us Today Our Daily Bread'"

Prayer

*Song of Response: "Seek Ye First" R713

*Benediction

*Doxology: "Come, Thou Almighty King" G246:4

*Postlude

Taking part in worship today:

- Worship Leader and Sermon: Pastor Greg Schuringa
- Accompanist: Cara Schmitt
- Worship Team: Pastor Greg; Glen Navis (guitar); Cara Schmitt (piano); Rachel Hoffman, Cayden Ruis, Abby Vree (vocalists)
- Coffee: Randall and Kim Greenfield
- Media Team: Tyler Ten Pass, Kim Greenfield, Mike Vander Berg
- Children's Worship: Stacy Schaver, Elliana Mulder
- Nursery: Hollie Ganz, Jen Ritzema, Jules Mulder
- Transportation: Bob Mulder
- Ushers: Noah Mulder, Brian O'Donovan

Missionary Letters

E Holden to Neen/Angel

K Homan to Chaplain Pete*

*Pray especially for this missionary family this week.

Giving to First CRC

If you feel led to give to our church's ministry, please place your donation in the offering bags passed by the deacons during the service. All loose cash offerings will go to the Faith Promise Fund the first Sunday of the month and the month's special offering (Elim for May) the remaining Sundays, while any loose and undesignated checks will go to the local budget. Budget envelopes will go to the designated funds. Online giving is also available, just scan the QR code here. Please talk to a deacon if you want more information about giving to First CRC.



Our Family

As you pray this week, please remember the following:

- **Jim Groenewold**, in hospice care.
- **Brenda Hofman**, surgery recovery.
- **Nancy Wierenga**, surgery scheduled for May 21 to hopefully help with her pain.

Church News

Upcoming Worship Highlights

- May 17, Ascension Day Worship and Welcome of New Members
- May 24, Pentecost Worship
- June 7 – Lord's Supper in Worship, start of sermon series on Proverbs

There will be no office hours this week.

Camp Calvin registration will be opening soon. The dates for Camp Calvin are August 3 – 8. Camp Calvin will be held at The Woods in Fredonia, WI. More information will be made available when we receive it.

Summer Bag Lunch Program: If you would like to see First CRC participate in this program again this summer, and are willing to lead it, please talk to Lois Mulder in the office.

We are looking for information on our recent graduates. We have no high school seniors, but we know we have some who have graduated from college or other programs. Please share your graduation information and future plans, including a picture, with Lois in the office.

If you brought food for a **recent funeral or for the Community Table**, please stop down in the kitchen and **pick up your bowls and/or containers**.



There are three weddings coming up in the next few months. Joelle Hanke and Todd Van Herwaarden, Emma De Vries and Nick Schumacher, and Reegan Aylesworth and Kade Gerritson will be getting married soon. Help us celebrate these couples by placing donated household goods or gift cards in the totes starting next week: cleaning supplies, popcorn, kitchen utensils, and whatever else you can think of to show they are loved. The totes will be available until June 7.

Community News

The CWC Music and Arts Departments will present its annual Celebration Concert **Wednesday, May 13**. The concert will begin at 6:30 PM in the Crusader Centre and includes the high school choirs, band, and New Generation Singers. Come out and enjoy a time of musical praise!

You are invited to a ***Concert of Praise in Celebration of God's Great Faithfulness*** on Thursday, May 14, 2026, at 7:00 PM at Calvin CRC, 2313 Saemann Avenue, Sheboygan, WI. *Pine Haven Men's Chorus* of Sheboygan, WI and *The Singing Hims* of Grand Rapids, MI, will perform a benefit concert for Tesoros de Dios.

You can still sign up for the **Women's Conference on May 16** by calling Bethel Church at 920-346-5810. Please let us also know if you would like to pot a plant (need to bring your own pot and the cost is \$10.00).

Emanuel's Brat Fry: Friday, May 15, from 9:30 AM –5:00 PM and Saturday, May 16, from 9:30 AM – 2:00 PM at the Brandon Depot Park Shelter, 117 S Commercial Street, Brandon, WI (Across From Brandon Meats) Funded By Thrivent Financial.

The **United Men of Praise Spring Concert** is on Sunday, May 17, at 6:00 PM at First Reformed Church, 422 W Franklin Street, Waupun.

High School Commencement: The CWC Board will present the high school class of 2026 at 7:00 PM in the Crusader Centre on **May 22**. Mr. Bryce Lanser will address the seniors and encourage them as they prepare to begin the next chapter of their life, thanking God for his faithfulness and asking Him for continued guidance. Our students appreciate your support!

Memorial Day Pancake Breakfast: The Central Wisconsin Christian Booster Club invites you to join in as we celebrate the start of summer with our annual Memorial Day Pancake Breakfast on Monday, May 25. The menu includes pancakes, your choice of regular or loaded scrambled eggs, sausage links, beverages and more. We are serving from 7-9:30 AM at CWC in the Commons and Crusader Centre (please use Event Entrance). The Booster Club has donated over \$25,000 to the new weight room and we hope to pledge more through this event's proceeds. Get your holiday started off right! GO CRUSADERS!

The Nutrition Program through the ADRC of Fond du Lac County is in need of help. We need volunteers for our Senior Dining Program. The volunteer will help with serving and clean up at the meal site. We are looking for anyone 18 or older who enjoys being around and helping others. They must be available from 10:00am-12:00pm. A schedule is created based on your availability. A meal is served to you on the day you volunteer. You can get started today by calling the ADRC at 920-929-3466. If you have any questions, feel free to call!

Calendar

Today: 9:30 AM Worship Service
Wednesday: 6:30 PM Elders Meeting
Sunday: 9:30 AM Worship Service

Next Week

Accompanist

Lois Mulder

Livestream

Brad Mulder

Coffee

Bob and Michelle Mulder

PPT

Jessica Van Herwaarden

Children's Worship

Sarah Schuringa, Jules Mulder

Sound System

Scott Ritzema

Nursery

Mackenzie Mulder, Phyliscia Coda,
Rynn Aalsma

Transportation

Bob Mulder

Ushers

Owen Mulder and Brad Schouten

Holy Forever

Verse 1: A thousand generations falling down in worship

To sing the song of ages to the Lamb - And all who've gone before us

And all who will believe - Will sing the song of ages to the Lamb

Pre-Chorus: (Jesus) Your name is the highest - Your name is the greatest

Your name stands above them all - All thrones and dominions
All powers and positions - Your name stands above them all

Chorus 1: And the angels cry Holy - All creation cries Holy
You are lifted high Holy - Holy forever

Verse 2: If you've been forgiven and if you've been redeemed - Sing the
song forever to the Lamb - If you walk in freedom and if you bear His name
Sing the song forever to the Lamb - We'll sing the song forever and amen

Chorus 2: Hear Your people sing Holy - To the King of Kings Holy
You will always be Holy - Holy forever

Tag: You will always be Holy - Holy forever

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O Come To The Altar

Verse 1: Are you hurting and broken within - Overwhelmed by the weight of
your sin - Jesus is calling - Have you come to the end of yourself
Do you thirst for a drink from the well - Jesus is calling

Chorus: O, come to the altar - The Father's arms are open wide
Forgiveness was bought with - The precious blood of Jesus Christ

Verse 2: Leave behind your regrets and mistakes
Come today there's no reason to wait - Jesus is calling
Bring your sorrows and trade them for joy
From the ashes a new life is born - Jesus is calling

Bridge: Oh, what a Savior - Isn't he wonderful
Sing alleluia Christ is risen - Bow down before him
For he is Lord of all - Sing alleluia Christ is risen

Verse 3: Bear your cross as you wait for the crown
Tell the world of the treasure you've found

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Sovereign Over Us

Verse 1: There is strength within the sorrow - There is beauty in our tears
And You meet us in our mourning - With a love that casts out fear

Verse 2: You are working in our waiting - Sanctifying us
When beyond our understanding - You're teaching us to trust

Chorus: Your plans are still to prosper - You've not forgotten us
You're with us in the fire and the flood - Faithful forever perfect in love
You are sov'reign over us

Verse 3: You are wisdom unimagined - Who could understand Your ways
Reigning high above the heavens - Reaching down in endless grace

Verse 4: You're the lifter of the lowly - Compassionate and kind
You surround and You uphold me - And Your promises are my delight

Bridge: Even what the enemy means for evil - You turn it for our good
You turn it for our good - And for Your glory
Even in the valley You are faithful - You're working for our good
You're working for our good - And for Your glory (REPEAT)

Ending: Faithful forever perfect in love - You are sov'reign over us

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Sermon Notes

Care Group	Elder	Deacon
1	Ken Homan (2028)	Adam Franken (2027)
2	Brian O'Donovan (2026)	Cayden Ruis (2028)
3	Joe Durant (2028)	Mike Hoffman (2026)
4	Mike Vander Berg (2027)	Eric Schaver (2028)
5	Steve Homan (2028)	Andy Schlieve (2027)
6	Al Venhuizen (2026)	Mike Hoffman (2026)
7	Brad Schouten (2026)	Kirk Van Buren (2026)
8	Darrall Schaver (2027)	Andy Schlieve (2027)

Who We Are

Welcome to First CRC! We're glad you're here to worship with us today! By God's grace, we're a family of believers that has been gathering to worship God and serve others for some 100 years. We were established out of nearby Alto CRC, in 1921, and later in 1961, Bethel CRC in Waupun, started from members of First.

At First CRC, in Sunday worship and during the week, you'll find many historic and biblical practices of the Christian faith. Our leadership, elders and deacons and pastor, seek to keep these vibrant and relevant to Christians living in today's world.

Child Care and Student Ministries on Sunday Mornings

During worship, we have nursery care for children ages 0-2, and Children's Worship for children ages 3 through 4K. Children's Worship kids are dismissed halfway through the worship service. After worship parents should pick up their children on the upper level where these ministries take place. If you need to take a child out of the worship service for a bit, you may go to our Lower Level where there are two couches and a nearby bathroom. By the couches a TV is playing the service live.

Sunday School and Catechism classes for K – 12th graders meet after the morning worship service.

What We Believe

We subscribe to the historic Christian faith; the Bible is our final authority in faith and life; we also look by grace through faith alone to Christ alone for our salvation. For more details about what we believe and how we live out the faith, please visit our website (waupunrc.com) or our denomination's website (crcna.org).