

5/19/2019

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 rack at the back of the sanctuary.

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

Vision Statement: 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.

Church Office Hours

Tuesday from 9:00 – 11:30 AM

All announcements due in the office by 12:00 noon Thursday

Phone: 920-324-2898 email: waupuncrc@gmail.com

Pastor Harv: 616-402-1342

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

We Gather In Worship

*Call to Worship and Greeting

*Song: There is Joy in the Lord
Leader: Shout with joy to God, all the earth! Sing to the glory of His name; offer Him glory and praise!
All: Father, we give You glory and praise!
Say to God, "How awesome are Your deeds!"
Father, how awesome are Your deeds!"
All the earth bows down to You; they sing praise to Your name.
We sing praise to Your name.

*Song: Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee

*Song: Rejoice the Lord is King

We Are Renewed in God's Grace

Confession/Assurance

Merciful God, for he things we have done that we regret,
forgive us;
for the things we have failed to do that we regret,
forgive us;
for all the times we have acted without love,
forgive us;
for all the times we have reacted without thought,
forgive us;
for all the times we have withdrawn care,
forgive us;
for all the times we have failed to forgive,
forgive us.

For hurtful words said and helpful words unsaid, for unfinished tasks and unfulfilled hopes,

Accompanist

Cara Schmitt

Children & Worship

Leader: Emily Mulder

Helpers: Zach Vander Werff
Aubryn De Jager

Elder/Deacon Greeters

Merle Schouten
Joe Bresser

Fellowship Coffee

Pete & Tabbie Vander Werff

Greeters

Bob and Michelle Mulder

Nursery

Ben and Alyssa Homan
Mikayla Zonnefeld

Sound System

Eric Homan

Transportation

Bob Mulder (382-0926)

Ushers

Noah Mulder
Josh Schouten
Tyler Ten Pass

Video Projection

Beth Schlieve

Missionary Letters

G Greenfield to Daryl Pfantz
T Greenfield to Neen+
J Groenewold to Chaplain Pete

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

God of all time, forgive us and help us to lay down our burden of regret. Amen.

Song: Be Still, for the Presence of the Lord

Congregational Prayer- Bob Mulder

Offertory and Our Offerings: OH4F and the Local Budget

Children are dismissed for Walk Out Worship

God Speaks through His Word

*Scripture: Ephesians 4: 1-16

Sermon: Serving in Unity

We Respond to God's Word

*Song of Response: The Servant Song

We Leave to Serve God

*God's Parting Blessing

*Doxology: Praise God, from whom all Blessing Flow

*Postlude

6:00 PM Worship Service to be led by the New Generation Singers

Worship Notes

This morning, Pastor Harv's message will focus on how we can serve in unity by using and valuing the gifts God has given us. This evening, the New Generation Singers of Central Wisconsin Christian will be presenting a concert of praise at 1st CRC at 6:00 PM. We hope you join us.

There will be a special offering today for the building fund to cover the cost of the concrete and asphalt replacement.

Ascension Day Service: Alto Christian Reformed Church invites First CRC of Waupun to worship on Thursday, May 30, at 7 PM. Ascension Day marks the time when Jesus Christ was raised to heaven and seated at the right hand of God the Father. From there Jesus rules as King of Heaven and earth!

Upcoming Special Service

5/19/2019	6:00 PM	New Generation Singers at 1 st CRC
5/26/2019	7:00 PM	PM Service at Bethel CRC
5/30/2019	7:00 PM	Ascension Day Services at Alto CRC

Deacons Report

All loose cash offerings will go to the month's special offering, while any loose and undesignated checks will go to the local budget.

May Cause: OH4F (Open Hands for the Fatherless)

Last Week's Offering

Local Budget: \$4,635

OH4F: \$470

Council Notes

1. We look forward to witnessing the profession of faith of Hailey Buteyn and Claire Jansen on June 10, 2019.
2. We heard a report from the newly formed Transition Team.
3. Congregational meeting will be Monday, June 17, 2019.
4. We will have an outdoor service followed by a picnic on June 23, 2019.
5. Serve week with Bethel will be July 29-Aug. 3, 2019.

Our Family

Please remember to contact your Elder for any concerns that arise. The Elders and Deacons by Care Group are listed at the bottom of the bulletin. Office hours for the time being will be on Tuesdays from 9:00-11:30 AM.

May Birthdays

Mary Nell Hofman	20	Lois Groenewold	21
Marilyn Mulder	22	Nate Scheuers	23
Gardie Ten Pas	23	Taylor Aalsma	25

May Anniversary

Dave and Gloria Rens	21	Eric and Stacy Schaver	21
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As you pray this week, please remember these people:

- Carol Navis as she undergoes cancer treatment.
- Travis & Jessica Mulder as Travis continues with chemo and is waiting for a bone marrow transplant.
- Janet Ver Hage has gone off hospice and she is trying some new treatment.
- Margaret Miedema as she continues to seek answers for the weakness and pain in her legs.
- Carlie Jansen, that everything goes good with her pregnancy and further care.

- Laura Ten Pass as she continues with cancer treatments.
- Leanne Johnson continue to pray for healing.
- Sandy Greenfield as she recovers from a fractured right shoulder and arm and other bruises.

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
- Jeanette Tjepkema

Parents and Graduates: If you or your child is graduating from 8th grade, high school, or any kind of post high school program or college, please submit a picture to the church office. If graduating from high school or post high school, please include a write up about future plans. **Please submit TODAY if you haven't already.**

Church News

PRAYER: Prayer groups continue with the main purpose of praying for the interim time at First CRC. Prayer times are **before the AM service from 8:45-9:15**, led by Gary De Jager in the basement, and **after the AM service from 11-11:30**, led by Tom Jonker in the sanctuary. These prayer groups are held weekly. We encourage you to come out and pray with other church members for this exciting time in our church.

The Transition Team has been set and they have started meeting. Team members are Alvin Venhuizen (chair), Laura Venhuizen, Stacie Schaver, Greg Zonnefeld, Ben Homan, Beth Schlieve, Tyler Ten Pass, Kaitlyn Smits, and Jon Mulder.

Looking for someone to take over and set up the schedule for mobile meals for the month of July. I will help you get started. Contact Faith Miedema.

Attention parents of children attending Camp Calvin: Please contact Keren to get your reimbursement for registration. She will need to know how much was paid.

The school year is wrapping up as well as another fun filled SWaT year. This week Thursday, May 23, will be our end of year celebration. SWaT kids need to meet at Bethel parking lot at 4:30 to load up and carpool to Funset Blvd in Appleton. We hope to wrap things up at Funset Blvd around 8:30 PM. The 6th & 7th grade kids will then head back to Waupun and you can pick them up at Bethel around 9:30. The 8th graders will continue on with their fun night of activities and a lock-in at school. They will conclude their lock in with breakfast on Friday morning



and can be picked up at 7:00 AM. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask.

COMMUNITY NEWS

There are several dates open for serving the meal at the Community Table. If you have a group that would like to provide a meal, let Allegra or Lois know and we will get you signed up. Open dates: 6/28, 7/12, 8/2, 8/9, 8/23 and 8/30.

The CWC Board will present the high school class of 2019 at 6:30 PM in the Crusader Centre on **May 24**. Jolene DeHeer 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 7:00-9:30 AM on May 27 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.

Looking for a volunteer position? Dodge County Aging and Disability Resource Center is looking for you. Volunteer as little or as much as your schedule allows. We have a variety of positions open at this time. Please call Jackie Wendlandt at 920-386-3580 to hear about an opportunity that may be right for you!

Healing Service: On May 29 at 7 PM, Immanuel Lutheran church, 525 W. Main Street in Waupun, will hold a service including The Order for Healing. This will focus on those who sense a need for healing in any aspect of their lives. All present will join in prayer for others and themselves. There will be an opportunity to come forward for a laying on of hands, if desired. Wednesday evening services are held weekly at 7 PM. All are welcome!

Calendar

Today:

8:45 AM	Prayer Meeting in church basement
9:30 AM	AM Worship Service @ 1 st CRC
11:00 AM	Prayer meeting in Sanctuary
6:00 PM	PM Worship with the New Gs at 1 st CRC

Tuesday:

8:00 AM	Prayer Meeting
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Sunday:

8:45 AM	Prayer Meeting in church basement
9:30 AM	AM Worship Service @ 1 st CRC
11:00 AM	Prayer Meeting in Sanctuary

Next Week

Accompanist

Laura Ten Pass

Children & Worship

Leader: Lois Groenewold

Helpers: Elise Ritzema
Gretchen Hoekstra

Elder/Deacon Greeters

Kevin Buwalda
Andy Schlieve

Fellowship Coffee

Bob and Michelle Mulder

Greeters

Jon and Jenna Mulder

Nursery

Sue Buwalda
Annie Lemmenes
Josie Venhuizen

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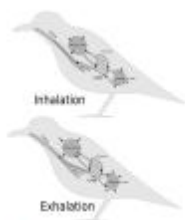
Group	Elder	Deacon
1	Don Pausma (2019)	Jon Mulder (2021)
2	Merle Schouten (2020)	Joe Bresser (2020)
3	Bob Mulder (2019)	
4	Gary DeJager (2021)	Eric Homan (2019)
5	Norm Buwalda (2019)	Ben Mulder (2019)
6	Tom Jonker (2020)	Randall Greenfield (2020)
7	Steve Homan (2020)	
8	Kevin Buwalda (2021)	Andy Schlieve (2021)

CREATION MOMENTS

Proclaiming Evidence for Truth

THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

Did Birds' Lungs Evolve?



Doth the hawk fly by thy wisdom, and stretch her wings toward the south? Doth the eagle mount up at thy command, and make her nest on high? (Job 39:26-27)

This writer remembers buying a foot pump to inflate the tires on his first car. His choice was between two pumps. On the cheaper model, the foot operated a piston entering a cylinder in which the air would be compressed and forced through a tube into the tire. When the foot was lifted, valves prevented air getting back into the cylinder from the tire, and, instead, dragged air in from the outside. Each depression of the foot repeated this operation. In a sense, the lungs of mammals and reptiles would resemble two such pumps side by side.

The second model featured two pistons and cylinders angled in opposite directions. Pressing with the foot began the first stage of tire compression as before, but on releasing the foot, the second cylinder pushed air into the tire while the first refilled with external air. The next foot depression allowed cylinder 2 to refill while cylinder 1 pumped. Thus, there was air pumped into the tire on both depression and release of the foot. The two cylinders worked in tandem, in opposite directions. This second continuous pump is like the two lungs in a bird.

Even some well-known evolutionary scientists have pointed out how impossible it would be for one mechanism to evolve into the other because the transitional form would not be able to process air for breathing at all, and would suffocate. So bird lungs could not have evolved from dinosaurs, but, instead, are designed by God for exactly their purpose.

Ref: Quick, D.E and Ruben, J.A., Cardio-Pulmonary Anatomy in Theropod Dinosaurs: Implications From Extant Archosaurs, *JOURNAL OF MORPHOLOGY* 270:1232-1246 (2009), pp. 1232-1246. Image: Public Domain.

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