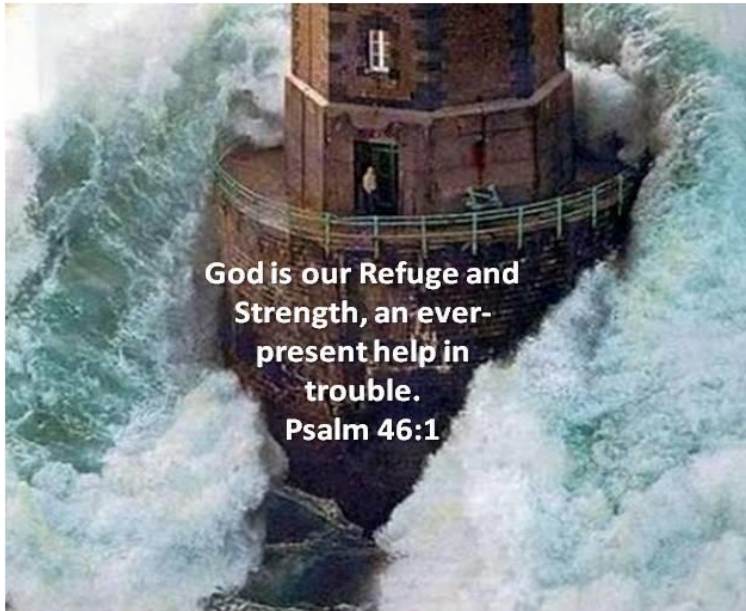


Welcome to
First Christian Reformed Church



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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 in the back sanctuary rack.

You can 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:**

Here I Am to Worship
Lord Most High
Jesus Draw Me Close

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

We Are Renewed in God's Grace

Profession of Faith: Elizabeth Jonker &
Arent Venhuizen

Song: In Christ Alone

Congregational Prayer

Offertory and Our Offerings: Local

Children are dismissed for Walk Out Worship

God Speaks through His Word

***Scripture:** Psalm 46

Sermon: Be Still and Know

We Respond to God's Word

***Song of Response:** It is Well – R705 vs 1-3

We Leave to Serve God

***God's Parting Blessing**

***Closing:** It is Well – R705 vs 4

***Postlude**

Accompanist

Laura Ten Pass

Children & Worship

Leader: Stacy Schaver

Helpers: Cody VH
Miranda VB

Elder/Deacon Greeters

Norm Buwalda
Ben Mulder

Fellowship Coffee

Bob & Michelle Mulder

Greeters

Ken & Gardie Ten Pas

Nursery

Eric & Stacy Schaver
Josh Schouten

Sound System

Scott Ritzema

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Louie Wierenga (324-3683)
Jim Groenewold (210-8069)

Ushers

Jesse Buteyn
Glen Greenfield
Noah Mulder
Josh Schouten

Video Projection

Lois Mulder

Missionary Letters

Pete VW. to Daryl Pfantz+
Al V. to Neen
Dave V. to Chaplain Peter

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

7:00 PM Combined Worship Service @ Bethel CRC

Worship Notes

This morning we hear the professions of faith of Arent Venhuizen and Elizabeth Jonker. Praise God for their commitment to our LORD and Savior. Please support them in their faith-walk.

Tonight we meet at Bethel for our Memorial Day service starting at 7:00pm.

Next Sunday Al Venhuizen will be leading our worship in the morning and we will be joining Bethel in the evening at 7:00pm.

Verses of the week: "Be still, and know that I am God; I will be exalted among the nations, I will be exalted in the earth." The Lord Almighty is with us; the God of Jacob is our fortress. Psalm 46:10-11

Upcoming Special Service

5/27/2018	7:00 PM	Combined Memorial Day Service @ Bethel CRC
6/3/2018	7:00 PM	Combined PM Service @ Bethel CRC
6/10/2018	7:00 PM	Combined PM Service @ Bethel CRC
6/17/2018	7:00 PM	Combined PM Service @ Bethel CRC
6/24/2018	9:30 AM	Pastor Craig's last Service @ 1 st CRC

Deacons Report

At any time, you may donate to the cause of your choice by writing the name of the cause in the memo line of your check or on the donation envelope. **Please make all checks payable to First CRC.**

Electronic giving is now available. If you would like to get setup send an email to Jon Venhuizen at jvnhzn@gmail.com

May cause: Youth Ministry Fund: This fund offers supplemental support for various groups from nursery age through youth group where there is a need such as SWaT, Mission Trips, Camp Calvin, Winter Retreat, or any other youth ministry group. This fund is in need of support, please consider giving by placing your offering in the evening offering plate or designating it on the donation envelope or in the memo line on your check.

Last Week's Offerings

Local Budget	\$4,387.00
Youth Ministry Fund	\$ 380.00
Heartbeat International	\$ 790.00

Our Family

Sunday School is in need of a teacher for the 4/5th grade class for this fall. Please contact Brian O'Donovan if you are willing to help.

Birthdays

Sandy Greenfield
Lennette Aalsma
Ryan Root
Olivia Vander Werff

May/June

27
30
2
2

May/June

Marge Vande Streek
Jenna Schouten
Tom Root
28
30
2

Anniversaries

Wayne & Faith Miedema

May

27



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

- Travis & Jessica Mulder as Travis has been diagnosed with Leukemia and is going through treatments and Jessica as she recovers from gallbladder surgery.
- Ben & Alyssa Homan and Eden as she recovers from surgery.
- Laura Ten Pass as she goes through treatments for the spots that were found.
- Leanne Johnson as she waits for results from her treatments.
- Bob Decker who is experiencing health issues due to bleeding on the liver. Pray that he can get a liver transplant.
- Morris & Bea as Morris goes through chemo treatments. May these treatments shrink or remove the cancer. We do give thanks that his brain scans returned normal.
- Nina Te Beest as she recovers from stent placement and awaits surgery to replace a valve.

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

Church News

If your group is planning to use the church for any events please make sure that you have reserved it through the church secretary in advance. Thank you.

There are a few CD's of the **New G's service** on the shelf in the basement, please help yourself. If they are gone and you would like one please let Gladys know, she would be happy to make one for you.

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 28th** 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.

ATTENTION YOUTH GROUP PARENTS: There will be an informational meeting regarding the Texas serve trip this coming Wednesday, June 30th, at 6 pm at the Union here in Waupun. Thanks – Youth Group Leaders

Baccalaureate - We would like to welcome all seniors, their families, and community members wanting to support the WAHS graduates to join us in the High School Commons on Friday, June 1 at 6:30pm for a potluck dinner, followed by a blessing service at 7:00pm. You are invited to attend any part of the evening you are able to. We ask that you bring a dish to pass. Drinks and tableware will be provided.

VBS this year is June 25-28 the theme is Shipwrecked Rescued By Jesus. Becca Vree will now be the contact person for VBS and she will have the CD's. VBS is June 25-28 at Bethel CRC. You will be able to register and sign up this coming week.

Calendar

Today:	9:30 AM	AM Worship Service
	7:00 PM	PM Combined Worship Service @ Bethel CRC
Tuesday:	8:00 AM	Prayer Meeting @ 1 st CRC
	9:00 AM	First Place for Health @ 1 st CRC
Next Sunday:	9:30 AM	AM Worship Service
	7:00 PM	PM Combined Worship Service @ Bethel CRC

Next Week

Accompanist

Lois Mulder

Children & Worship

Leader: Kim Greenfield

Helpers: Cassidy Ritzema
Zach Vander Werff

Elder/Deacon Greeters

Merle Schouten
Randall Greenfield

Fellowship Coffee

Jim & Lois Groenewold

Greeters

Brian & Laura Ten Pass

Nursery

Jen Ritzema
Marilyn Mulder
Gretchen Hoekstra

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<u>Group</u>	<u>Elder</u>	<u>Deacon</u>
1	Don Pausma	Jon Venhuizen
2	Merle Schouten	Joe Bresser
3	Bob Mulder	
4	Scott Ritzema	Eric Homan
5	Norm Buwalda	Ben Mulder
6	Tom Jonker	Randall Greenfield
7	Steve Homan	
8	Al Venhuizen	Brian O'Donovan

CREATION MOMENTS

Proclaiming Evidence for Truth
THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

Abandoned at Coldwater



The LORD is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. – Psalm 23:1-2

Coldwater Lake in Washington State looks so pretty, nestled between the mountains. This scene of tranquility is very popular among the fishing community. A better view of Coldwater

Lake can be had by climbing the steep trail up to Coldwater Ridge. As you reach the top, you look back at the magnificent views of Mount St Helens with its gaping crater, forever marred by having lost such a large portion of itself in the violent eruption of May 1980. In the other direction, you see the lake, which didn't even exist before the eruption.

The devastation caused by the volcano blocked Coldwater Creek so that the valley filled with water. So you keep walking along the ridge, and you espy a different sort of devastation. Huge pieces of rusting machinery can be seen. This machinery was there to aid with logging processes because this ridge used to be covered with forest before the eruption. The blast from the volcano had a speed of up to 350 mph as it hit the ridge, knocking down the trees and sending the logging machinery into a spin so that it landed in its current position. If the eruption had occurred on the Monday or the Saturday, one can imagine that this machinery would have been operated by many loggers, causing far more deaths than actually occurred on that Sunday morning.

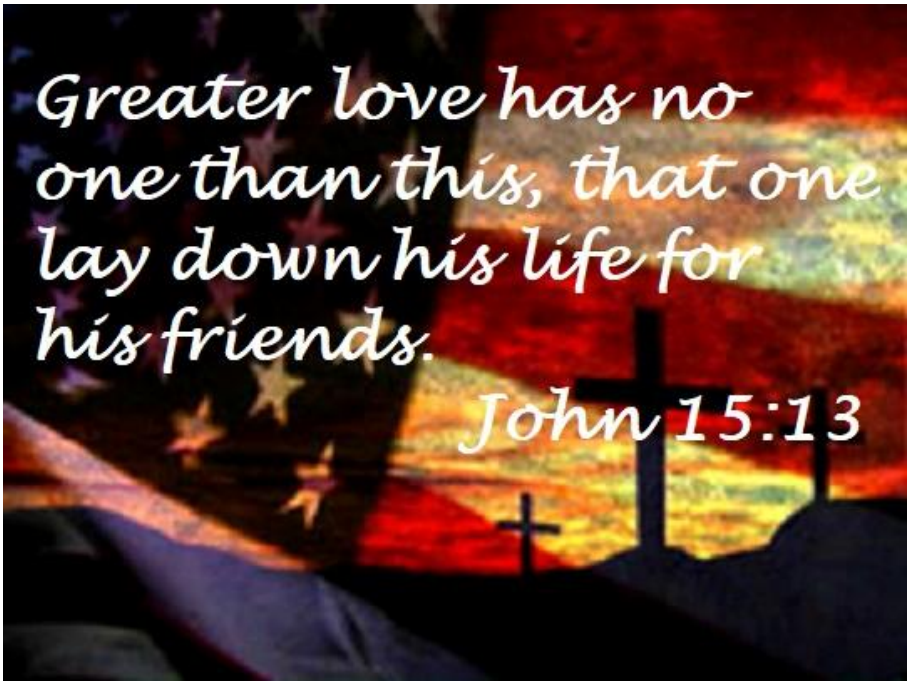
Out of that violence has come the tranquility of the lake scenery, just as out of the violence of the worldwide Flood, God brought a message of hope and mercy to a world reborn.

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*Greater love has no
one than this, that one
lay down his life for
his friends.*

John 15:13