

6/10/2018

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 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:**

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name – G470
Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing – G486

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

We Are Renewed in God's Grace

Confession & Assurance

Special Music by Tami & Tara Bossenbroeck & Nikki Durni

Congregational Prayer

Offertory and Our Offerings (LeAnne Holden will address the Week of Service in Waupun): Local

Children are dismissed for Walk Out Worship

God Speaks through His Word

***Scripture:** Judges 11

Sermon: "Jephthah the Judge?"

We Respond to God's Word

***Song of Response:** Your Grace is Enough

We Leave to Serve God

***God's Parting Blessing**

***Closing:** Bless His Holy Name – G627

***Postlude**

Accompanist

Brenda Hofman

Children & Worship

Leader: Jessica Ten Pass

Helpers: Elise Ritzema
Arent Venhuizen

Elder/Diacon Greeters

Tom Jonker
Joe Bresser

Fellowship Coffee

Steve & Heidi Smits

Greeters

Tyler & Jessica Ten Pass

Nursery

Jenna Mulder
Dominique Van Hill
Megan Greenfield

Sound System

Eric Homan

Transportation

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

Ushers

Ray Hofman
Al Holden
Andy Schlieve
Thomas Venhuizen

Video Projection

Beth Schlieve

Missionary Letters

Thomas V. to Daryl Pfantz
Randy VH. to Neen
Mitch V. to Chaplain Peter+

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

7:00 PM Combined Worship Service @ Bethel CRC

Worship Notes

Today we welcome Rev. Peter Hofman who will be leading our worship in the morning and we will be joining Bethel in the evening at 7:00pm.

Next Week Sunday morning Pastor Doug Vrieland will be leading our morning worship and we will be joining Bethel in the evening at 7:00pm.

Upcoming Special Service

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

June 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	\$7,124.00
Youth Ministry Fund	\$ 475.00

Our Family

The church will be wishing the Van Hills the best with a farewell potluck after church on June 24th, Pastor Craig's last service. We will be doing this in the basement of church. The church will be providing ham buns, lemonade, and dessert. We ask that families provide one side dish to share and their own table service.

At the potluck we would like to present the Van Hills with a little piece of 1st CRC to take with them. In the foyer is a journal that we encourage members to write words of encouragement, positive memories, or thoughts/quotes for the VanHills to remember 1st CRC

Waupun. There will also be a basket for personal cards or monetary gifts as well. The journal will be in the foyer for two Sundays, June 11 and 17th.

As a reminder: Council has set Monday June 18,2018 as the next congregational meeting. Nominees for elder are Dave Rens, Gary De Jager, Kevin Buwalda, and Keith Venhuizen. Nominees for deacon are Ben Homan, Andy Schlieve, Jon Mulder and Brian Van Herwaarden.

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.

<u>Birthdays</u>	<u>June</u>		<u>June</u>
Jessica Ten Pass	10	Jaina Venhuizen	11
Ben Mulder	12	Kim Venhuizen	13

<u>Anniversaries</u>	<u>June</u>
Eric & Casey Homan	11
Mike & Bonnie Vander Berg	13
Gary & Katie DeJager	15



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.
- 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.
- The family of Nina Te Beest as they mourn her passing this past Monday.

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

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.

Those who have children enrolling in CWC in the coming school year are asked to meet in the sanctuary after the morning service for an informational meeting regarding the Covenantal Education Plan.

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

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. Information for registration is on the back of the bulletin.

Kiwanis will host a **Red Cross blood drive on Thursday, June 28, 2018 from 11:30 A.M. to 4:30 P.M. at Edgewood Community Church** located at 201 Edgewood Dr., Waupun, WI. Please come and roll up your sleeve and make a difference in someone's life.

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

Cara Aylesworth

Children & Worship

Leader: Kim Greenfield

Helpers: Ethan Schulz
Neil Venhuizen

Elder/Deacon Greeters

Al Venhuizen

Brian O'Donovan

Fellowship Coffee

Gregg & Kristi Zonnefeld

Greeters

Brian, Jessica, Cody & Jacob

Van Herwaarden

Nursery

Ben & Emily Mulder

Megan Greenfield

Offering: Local Budget

June Cause: Youth Ministry Fund

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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

Bears and Arctic Ice



While the earth remaineth, seedtime and harvest, and cold and heat, and summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease. – Genesis 8:22

Think of the Arctic and you probably think about polar bears. The Arctic is the realm of the bear, and this is reflected in its name. The word "Arctic" is derived from the Greek word *arktos*, meaning bear. There are layers of meaning here. Certainly, the Arctic is home to the polar bear, but also the constellation Ursa Minor, the Little Bear, contains the star Polaris, which is the Pole Star, being directly above the North Pole, so if you were traveling "towards the Bear", or Bearwards, you would be traveling North.

Perhaps the most iconic pictures of polar bears published have been those showing one or two bears clinging precariously to tiny icebergs barely able to support them. The implication of such images is that the habitat of the bears is disappearing. What would be the culprit that is melting the ice? Presumably, it would be our old friend Climate Change. So what would a bear do if the ice under its feet melted away? It would have to swim! Fortunately, polar bears are strong swimmers. Some bears have been tracked swimming up to ten days.

Contrary to popular opinion, recent research has shown that many polar bear populations increased during times of receding ice. In the last couple of years, ice sheets have expanded again. Climate Change Alarmists notwithstanding, conditions continue to underline that "while the earth remains, seedtime and harvest, cold and heat, summer and winter, day and night, shall not cease."

Ref: Crockford, S. (2015), *The Arctic Fallacy*, (London: Global Warming Policy Foundation).
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Shipwrecked: Rescued by Jesus

VBS 2018 – June 25-28 9:00-11:30



*Parents we ask that you register your kids on-line at <http://www.waupuncrc.com/outreach/vbs.cfm>

*We Need YOU!!! – we are in need of lots of volunteers to help take kids 4K-5th from station to station. We are also in need of food and supply donations. This sign up can be found at: <https://www.signpgenius.com/go/20F0A48A8A72AA6FB6-vbs2018>
(Each one of these links can also be found Waupun CRC facebook page)

Offering:

Food Pantry – we will be collecting summer items for the food pantry to pass out. For example: bug spray, sunscreen, aloe, beach towels, sidewalk chalk, etc. Please NO floaties or sand pails – someone else has already donated those items!

Money donations will also be collected for Beautiful Response and OH4F.