First Christian Reformed Church



We welcome our guests and hope that you will be blessed by worshiping the Lord together with us today. If you are presently seeking a church home, we welcome you to join us here at First CRC! You will find a guest card in your pew. Please fill one out and place it in the offering basket on the table on the way out, so we can reach out to you. If you would like further information about our church, please visit us at www.waupuncrc.com or call or email the church office at 920-324-2898. Pastor Greg Schuringa would be happy to connect with you after the service or during the week as well: pastorgreg@waupuncrc.com.

Large-print bulletins and children's bulletins are available from an usher.

You can watch our services live on Facebook and later from our website as well as view the bulletin there. Website address is www.waupuncrc.com

Our Core Values: We show Christ's love through continual learning and discipleship, compassionate fellowship, dynamic public worship, and impactful service and outreach.



Office hours: Thursdays, 10 AM to 2 PM All announcements due in the office by noon Thursday Phone: 920-324-2898 email: <u>waupuncrc@gmail.com</u> PO Box 32, Waupun 9:30 AM Worship Service

* Please stand if you are able.

Prelude

*Welcome & God's Greeting

*Songs of Worship: "Jesus Messiah" "Come Thou Fount" G486 "As We Gather"

Congregational Prayer

*Scripture: Joshua 3:6-17

Sermon: "Where He Leads, We Will Follow #4: Into the

Unknown, Part II"

Prayer

*Song of Worship: "There is a Redeemer" R308

Preparation for Communion

Celebration of Communion

Song of Response: "Behold the Lamb"

*Benediction

*Closing Song: "Step by Step"

*Postlude

Taking part in worship today:

- Worship Leader and Sermon: Pastor Greg Schuringa
- Worship Team Leader and Accompanist: Laura Ten Pass
- Worship Team: Aubryn DeJager, Hollie Ganz, Joshua Schouten, Neil Venhuizen, Jaxon Buteyn
- Media Team: Joe Bresser, Lois Mulder, Mike Vander Berg
- Nursery: Noah & Mackenzie Mulder, Kolten Buwalda
 Missionary Letters
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 Jon Mulder to Neen
 Jo Mulder to Chaplain Pete+

⁺Pray especially for this missionary family this week.

Offering: Local budget; the special cause for July is Mission Backpack.

Offerings from June 28-July 11, 2021:

General Fund: \$10,255 G Fund/Most Needed: \$1,540 Classical: \$495 Denominational: \$865 Mission Backpack: \$803 Christian Home Chaplain: \$325

Council Notes

Executive Committee:

- Council President: Keith Venhuizen
- Clerk: Ben Homan
- Vice President: Steve Smits
- Deacon Chairman: Pete Vander Werff
- Deacon Secretary: Noah Mulder

Committee Assignments:

- Building Committee: George Aalsma, Ray Hofman
- Education Committee: Joe Durant
- Worship Committee: Pastor Greg Schuringa
- Outreach Committee: Dan Montsma
- Operations Committee: Denny Vande Berg

Care Group Assignment Changes (See below)

Church Moving In: At their recent meeting, the elders decided to worship indoors starting this Sunday, July 18, and going forward, with perhaps having occasional special outdoor services. In the meantime, our church remains deeply committed to reaching our neighbors in various ways. This past Wednesday was an opportunity to invite and include our neighborhood children at Kidz Zone and that will be happening again the next two Wednesday nights. Also, on Saturday, August 21, we're planning a neighborhood block party with a hog roast, bounce house, lawn games, hayrides, DJ and music, etc. There are invitation cards in the narthex that you can use to spread the word. Let's work together to be an increasingly outreaching church so we can share the blessing of knowing the Lord with others so they can experience that blessing too, for today and all eternity.

Our Family

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July Birthdays					
Braeden Aylesworth	18		Shelby Fry	22	
Jim Groenewold	20		Marlyce Mulder	23	
Liam Huizenga	21				
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July Anniversaries					
Ben & Alyssa Homan		18	Norm & Shirley Jansm	a	22
AI & Renae Venhuizer	۱	18	Darrall & Gretchen Sc	haver	24
Tyler & Jessica Ten Pass		19			

As you pray this week, please remember these people:

- Laura Ten Pass, as she starts new cancer treatments.
- Brenda Merhalski, as she is dealing with lung cancer.
- Harold Greenfield, as he is receiving cancer treatments.
- Kathy Bille, as her health continues to decline.
- Kathy Kamphuis, as she is having cancer treatments.
- Peter & Kristi Hofman, as he is assigned to Egypt for one year.
- Sam Vander Galien, as he gives thanks and praise for his recent doctor's report.
- Marty Miedema, for stable health after his stroke.

It can be easy to forget about those 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."

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Rev. Peter Hofman is scheduled to leave for Egypt for a year on Monday, July 19. He is assigned as the Task Force Sinai Force Chaplain for the Multinational Forces and Observers. Pastor Greg can share with anyone interested the Google Maps location of where he will be. His address:

CH (MAJ) Peter Hofman HHC TFS-MFO Unit 31530 APO, AE 09904

Later this week Pastor Greg Schuringa will be starting two weeks of vacation in Michigan with family. He plans to return on Wednesday, August 4. During that time, please contact your district elder for any pastoral care needs you may have.

Church News

Did you know that services in Dutch came to end in 1945?

Mark your calendars for Kidz Zone! You won't want to miss out on the fun. This is **for kids ages 4-12** from 6:30-8 PM on the following dates. Please invite friends and grandkids! Watch your church mailboxes in a few weeks for additional information. The themes for the nights are:

- Wednesday, July 21: Campfire Stories
- Wednesday, July 28: Olympics

Please take a minute or two after the service to stop at the tables to decorate a few bags that will be used for the bag lunches. Adults and kids are encouraged to write and/or draw a cheery message.

Totes have been placed in church to place **<u>bag lunch items</u>**. Thanks again for helping with this service project.

Reserve August 14 and 15 for our Centennial Celebration. A schedule has been placed in your mailbox of the events that will be taking place. A link to RSVP for the catered Centennial Dinner is on the church website or contact Kristi Zonnefeld (210-9302). Please do so by July 24.

Save the date for Tuesday, August 10 (Note the change in date!), as the youth group will going to watch a Dock Spiders baseball game. We will assume that all high schoolers (incoming freshman-incoming seniors). are coming unless you contact Noah and say otherwise. We plan to arrive at 6:00, eat there, then watch the game. More details on rides to come.

Encourage, Equip & Inspire: You're Invited to a one-day workshop on August 21, 9 AM - 4 PM at Delavan CRC.

Who: Pastors, Staff, Lay-leaders, Ministry Leaders, Parents & Volunteers **What**: One-day workshop full of encouragement and practical ideas brought to you by denominational staff in the areas of Worship, Children & Youth, Leadership and Evangelism

Where: Delavan CRC, (850 Oak St, Delavan, WI)

When: Saturday, August 21, 8:30 AM-4:00 PM (Lunch will be provided.) **Why**: To be encouraged, equipped and inspired for service in all areas of congregational life

How: Register online (www.delavancrc.com/events/leadershiptraining/). Registration opens July 19 and closes August 11.

This is a day dedicated to encouraging, equipping and inspiring leaders and volunteers who serve the church, serve your families, and serve your schools. For more information and workshop descriptions see the website. For questions please contact Trudy Ash (tash@crcna.org) or Mimi Larson (mlarson@crcna.org).

Community News

26th Annual RCS Golf Outing: Get some friends together for some fun in the sun at the 26th Annual RCS Golf Outing on August 13 at the Fox Lake Golf Club. Registration starts at 8 AM with a full day of golfing, food and fun! Cost of entry is \$80/person or \$320/foursome and all proceeds go to the Randolph Christian School. Hope to see you there!

We are looking for **ultrasound technicians to volunteer at Pregnancy Support Center of Dodge County**! Ideal candidates will be pro-life women with a heart to serve young women and their babies. Applicants who are already certified ultrasound technicians are preferred. This position will be **volunteer only.** You may volunteer any time that is convenient for you during our center hours: Monday 9 AM-5 PM, and Wednesday and Thursday from 12-8 PM. Those interested in the position may come to our center at 108 Parallel St. in Beaver Dam to pick up an application or call us at 920-219-9305.

<u>Calendar</u>

Today:	9:30 AM	Worship Service
Wednesday:	6:30 PM	Kidz Zone: Campfire Stories
Sunday:	9:30 AM	Worship Service

Next Week

Accompanist Laura Ten Pass Livestream Gladys Montsma

Nursery

Mitch & Becca Vree, Elliana Mulder

Beth Schlieve

PPT

Sound System

Tyler Ten Pass

Group	<u>Elder</u>	Deacon	
1	Joe Durant (2022)	Todd Schouten (2024)	
2	Denny Vande Berg (2023)		
3	Keith Venhuizen (2022)		
4	George Aalsma (2024)	Brian Van Herwaarden (2022)	
5	Dan Montsma (2022)	Eric Schaver (2022)	
6	Steve Smits (2023)	Noah Mulder (2023)	
7	Ben Homan (2023)	Pete Vander Werff (2023)	
8	Ray Hofman (2024)	Tyler Ten Pass (2024)	