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 basket on the table in the narthex. 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.

You can listen to sermons from our website as well as view the bulletin. 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 to noon 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.

A Time to Gather

Prelude *Call to Worship *Opening Songs: "Everlasting God" "You Are My All in All" R583 *God's Greeting

A Time of Confession and Assurance

Song of Assurance: "The Power of the Cross"

A Time of Prayer

A Time to Listen

*Scripture: Isaiah 40:21-31 Sermon: "As Christians Let Us Soar"

A Time to Respond

*Song of Response: "It Is Well" R705 *Benediction *Closing Song: "Salvation Belongs to Our God" *Postlude

Taking part in worship today:

- Music: Laura Ten Pass
- Media Team: Pete Vander Werff, Katie DeJager, Mike Vander Berg

Missionary Letters

H Venhuizen to Daryl Pfantz K Venhuizen to Neen T Venhuizen to Chaplain Pete+

⁺Pray especially for this missionary family this week.

Today we welcome Bill Zuhlke to the pulpit. Next Sunday we will hear from Matt Hofman.

Offering: Special cause for February is REACH Waupun.

Church office hours this will be Thursday from 10-11:30 a.m.

Our Family February Birthdays

Eilleen Vant Hoff	23
Jessica Van Herwaarden	25
Megan Greenfield	29

Louie & Nancy Wierenga 23

As you pray this week, please remember these people:

- Laura Ten Pass, as she continues with cancer treatments.
- Brenda Merhalski, as she is dealing with lung cancer.
- Bob and Kathy Bille: They are in Alabama and she suffered a stroke.
- The Jansen and Huizenga families as they mourn Carlie's passing.
- Prayer of praise for Harry Venhuizen's successful surgery.

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."

Wilma Navis

Jeanette Tjepkema

Church News

Congregation, In light of the fact that many of you are receiving the COVID vaccine and many have already had COVID, we have been trending up in the number of people coming in person to our services. Council has decided to increase our seating capacity starting today. The right side of church and the balcony will remain the same with socially distanced seating. The left side of church will be for those who have had COVID or the vaccine and are not as concerned about the spacing. We will use all the benches on the left side. We will, however, keep the mask requirement for everyone. Thank you for your cooperation and we will continue to monitor how things progress.

The **Anniversary Committee** will meet Tuesday evening, Feb. 23, at 6:00 in the church basement.

We would like to open the **nursery** but need your help! If you are a family that uses the nursery and would be willing to help, please reach out to Emily Mulder. Currently we are only looking for those who use the nursery, to keep the circle of people in contact with each other small. Emily can be reached by phone/text 920-369-6934 or email emilyeve34@gmail.com. If interested, contact by Feb 28 as we are looking to start the schedule the first Sunday in March. Thank you!

Classis Wisconsin meets this Tuesday in Appleton. Our delegates are Steve Smits, Ben Homan, and Noah Mulder.

Thank you to everyone who remembered us with Steve's dad passing with cards, texts, phone calls, visits or food! We are so blessed by our church family! Steve & Heidi Smits family

Lenten devotionals from Kids Corner are available on the tables in entry.

Community News

The elderly in our community desire your help! There is a significant need in and around Waupun for a variety of services for the elderly. Some of these services include house cleaning, moving/downsizing, lawn and landscaping services, home repairs, snow removal, technology help and more. To that end, the ONE Waupun ministry is organizing the ongoing efforts to connect those in need with those who are able to donate some of their time. We plan to start offering these services to the seniors in Waupun soon; however, we first need to generate a list of people who are willing to serve. Even if you can only help occasionally, it all helps. We need both men and women volunteers. Also, we realize that some of you may be reluctant to serve right now because of COVID, but please fill out this survey with the idea that this virus should be less of a concern in the coming months. To learn more about this service and to sign up as a volunteer, please go to www.onewaupun.com and click on the "Service" link at the top of the page. If you have questions, feel free to talk to Mike Vander Berg.

Randolph Christian School is accepting applications for the following positions for the 2021-22 school year: four-year-old kindergarten (mornings, part-time, but could be mixed with other open positions to become full time); 4K Wrap Around Director (afternoons, part-time); 1st/2nd Grade multi-age teacher (full-time); Middle School Bible and other subjects (will be a full-time position); Music, Choir and Band (part-time, but could be mixed with other open positions to become full time). Visit randolphchristian.org/employment or contact Dr. Hoogeveen at jhoogeveen@randolphchristian for more information.

<u>Calendar</u>

Today:	9:30 AM	Worship Service
Tuesday:	8:00 AM	Prayer Meeting
	6:00 PM	Anniversary Committee
Sunday:	9:30 AM	Worship Service

Next Week Accompanist Lois Mulder

Livestream Gregg Zonnefeld Sound System Joe Bresser

Video Projection Randall Greenfield