

10/25/2020

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.

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.



All announcements due in the office by 12:00 noon Thursday
Phone: 920-324-2898 email: waupuncrc@gmail.com

9:30 AM Worship Service

* Please stand if you are able.

(Words to the songs can be found in the back of the bulletin.)

Prelude

Gathering Time

*How Can I Keep from Singing

*Tell Your Children, G588

Reflection and Refreshment

Confession and Assurance

Pastoral Prayer

*Scripture: Deut. 6:1-9; II Timothy 3:14-17

Sermon: "Will Our Faith Have Children?"

Response and Release

*Song of Response: Speak, O Lord

*Benediction

Postlude

Taking part in our worship today:

- Accompanist: Cara Schmitt
- Sound System: Glen Greenfield
- Video Projection: Mike Vander Berg

Missionary Letters

N Jansma to Daryl Pfantz

T Jonker to Neen+

K Kamphuis to Chaplain Pete

+Please pray especially for this missionary family this week

Offerings

Special cause for October is **Randolph Christian School**.

Special cause for November is Waupun Food Pantry.

NOTE: There are no church office hours during this time, but please call Allegra (318-1265) or Lois (318-1723) if you have a question.

Our Family

October Birthdays

Will Bronkhorst	25	Kathy Kamphuis	30
Luke Jonker	28	Jan Scheuers	30
Gary DeJager	29	Kathy Bille	31
Luke Ganz	29	Nancy Wierenga	31
Kevin Buwalda	30		

As you pray this week, please remember these people:

- Janet Ver Hage, as she is on a new trial drug.
- Carlie Jansen, as she continues with cancer treatment.
- Laura Ten Pass, as she continues with cancer treatments.
- Leanne Johnson, continue to pray for healing.
- Carol Navis, as she continues to deal with her cancer.
- Brenda Merhalski, as she is dealing with lung cancer.
- Harold Mulder, as he is on hospice with congestive heart failure.

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

Help us celebrate the marriage Phylcia Bronkhorst and Nathan Coda

by placing donated household goods in the box in the narthex **TODAY**.

Cleaning supplies, popcorn, kitchen utensils, and whatever else you can think up would show this couple that they are loved.

Thank you so much for the great send off that you gave us last Sunday. We thank you for the gift that you gave us as a church and also for the many individual gifts and cards that you blessed us with. We were blessed to serve in Waupun and we will miss you all greatly. Also, as of November 14, our new address will be, 10220 W 93rd Ave., Saint John, IN, 46373.

- Harv and Kathy

Thank you to First CRC for your recent gift to the ministry of Church Health Services, Inc. Since its inception in 1993, Church Health Services has served many individuals and families by providing care through our volunteer staffed clinics. Your gift will help us continue to address the needs of the underserved and to carry forth the message of faith and health. Thank you for being an important part of our continued commitment to serve. Thanks for your support of the Rock River Project.

Church News

Search Team Update: The Search Team is excited to share that we have a minister visiting First CRC the first week of November. He will be touring Waupun and CWC and sharing a meal with the Search Team and Council. We have been speaking with him for several months and are looking forward to his visit! The Search Team has not met formally since we were made aware of the in-person visit, although we continue to read potential profiles. We ask for your prayers on this upcoming visit and the team's continued work.

We are looking to hire a part-time **Worship Coordinator/Leader**. You can see the position description on our website at http://www.waupuncrc.com/editoruploads/files/Worship_Leader_Job_Description.pdf. If you are interested, please contact Gary DeJager.

GEMS Club is doing a virtual Tastefully Simple fundraiser!! Email Annie Syens for a link to the party at anniesyens@yahoo.com or go to the Tastefully Simple website and search party name Annie Syens in Wisconsin. Thank you for your support!

We will be collecting items for **Operation Christmas Child**. The Outreach team will be organizing this ministry this year since SWaT is not meeting right now. There will be information in your mailboxes soon. The last day to bring items to church will be **Sunday, November 8**. If you prefer to give a monetary donation, please place it in Mike and Bonnies' mailbox. Thanks for your continued support!

Community News

Blood Drive, Thurs. Oct 29: CWC is having their annual blood drive! Schedule an appointment at redcrossblood.org enter sponsor code: Waupun, or call 1800-REDCROSS. Walk-ins are also welcome. Come to the Crusader Centre and donate! Every donation can help save 3 lives, and the need for blood is high. The blood drive is on October 29th from 10 AM to 4 PM. NEW! All blood donations are now tested for COVID-19 antibodies. redcrossblood.org/antibodytesting Results can be seen on the app. Plus all

donors will receive a \$5 Amazon gift card via email and youth donors (ages 16-24) will receive a \$10 gift card via email.

CWC Servathon: The CWC High School students are looking to help those in need within our communities with the annual **Servathon**. This year we will only be doing outside work. If you or someone you know has yard work, leaf raking, or anything else to be completed outside, please give us a call. We would love to help you out. It will take place on **Friday, October 30, AM only**. Please send an email with your request to serve@wearecwc.org OR call 920.324.4233 ext 310.

Brandon Community Blood Drive will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 17, from 1-6 PM at Bethel Church, 305 W Main St, Brandon. For appointments, call Judith Henker at 920-346-2966.

The organizers of the Pella Lutheran Thanksgiving Day meal have made the difficult decision to cancel this year due to the increasing numbers of COVID-19 and considering the best interests of our workers and guests.

Calendar

Today: 9:30 AM Worship Service
Tuesday: 8:00 AM Prayer Meeting
Sunday: 9:30 AM Worship Service

Next Week

Accompanist

Brenda Hofman

Sound System

Joe Bresser

Offering: Local Budget

November Cause: Waupun Food Pantry

Video Projection

Beth Schlieve

<u>Group</u>	<u>Elder</u>	<u>Deacon</u>
1	Joe Durant (2022)	Jon Mulder (2021)
2	Denny Vande Berg (2023)	
3	Keith Venhuizen (2022)	
4	Gary De Jager (2021)	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	Kevin Buwalda (2021)	Andy Schlieve (2021)

How Can I Keep From Singing

There is an endless song, echoes in my soul, I hear the music ring. And though the storms may come I am holding on, to the rock I cling.

Chorus: How can I keep from singing Your praise?
How can I ever say enough, How amazing is Your love!
How can I keep from shouting Your name?
I know I am loved by the King, and it makes my heart want to sing!

I will lift my eyes in the darkest night, for I know my Savior lives. And I will walk with You, knowing You'll see me through, And sing the songs You give.

(Chorus)

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Tell Your Children

God the Father, God of glory, miracles and mystery;
Generations all adore Him, God the same through history

Chorus: Parents, tell your children, age to age the same.
Glorify the living Lord above, magnify His holy name,
Magnify His holy name.

Awe inspiring deeds of splendor—these proclaim his mighty power; Interwoven with compassion is His strength for every hour.

(Chorus)

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Speak, O Lord

Speak, O Lord, as we come to You,
To receive the food of your holy word.
Take Your truth, plant it deep in us;
Shape and fashion us in Your likeness,
That the light of Christ might be seen today,
In our acts of love and our deeds of faith.
Speak, O Lord, and fulfil in us,
All Your purposes, for Your glory.

Teach us Lord full obedience,
Holy reverence, true humility.
Test our thoughts and our attitudes,
In the radiance of Your purity.
Cause our faith to rise, Cause our eyes to see,
Your majestic love and authority.
Words of power that can never fail;
Let their truth prevail over unbelief.

Speak, O Lord, and renew our minds;
Help us grasp the heights of Your plans for us.
Truths unchanged from the dawn of time,
That will echo down through eternity.
And by grace we'll stand on Your promises;
And by faith we'll walk as You walk with us.
Speak, O Lord, 'til your church is built
And the earth is filled with Your glory



WILL OUR FAITH HAVE CHILDREN?

Deuteronomy 6:1-9, II Timothy 3:14-17

Gregg Zonnefeld - Waupun I CRC

25-October-2020 - AM

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Conclusion