

First Christian Reformed Church



All announcements due in the office by 12:00 noon Thursday
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Last Week's Offerings

General Fund: \$2,050

June's cause is Church Health Services.

While we are unable to worship together, please remember that most of our **financial needs continue**. The deacons ask that you use one of the following methods to ensure that your gifts are still received in a timely manner:

- Mail in your gifts to church - PO Box 32, Waupun, WI 53963
- Use your bank's online bill-paying utility
- Use church's online giving software (if you're not already signed up, contact Randall Greenfield to do so)

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

Congregational meeting is scheduled for June 22. Nominated for Elder are Ben Homan, Dave Rens, Darrall Schaver, Brad Schouten, Steve Smits, and Dennis Vande Berg. Nominated for Deacon are Jesse Buteyn, Noah Mulder, Todd Schouten, and Pete Vander Werff.

Our Family

June Birthdays

Olivia Vander Werff	2
Neil Venhuizen	4
Larry Pluim	5

June Anniversaries

Brian & Jessica Van Herwaarden	3
Brian & Lorna O'Donovan	5

As you pray this week, please remember these people:

- Janet Ver Hage as she is on a new trial drug.
- Carlie Jansen, as she recovers from surgery.
- Laura Ten Pass as she continues with cancer treatments.
- Leanne Johnson, continue to pray for healing.
- Paul Vande Kolk as he is receiving treatment for lung cancer.
- Carol Navis, as she is now on hospice.
- Kathy Kamphuis, as she recovers from 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

We have been able to convert the video of the Sunday services to an audio file and CD. If you would like to receive a CD of the services during this time of social distancing, please contact Allegra at 318-1265.

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 Steve Homan.

If you still have a "**How It Ends**" sign on your yard, you are welcome to keep it up as long as you like. However, when you are done using it, please bring it to church and push the stakes in the ground between the parsonage and church. Thank you for participating! --Outreach Team

Camp Calvin COVID-19 Update: It is with heavy hearts that we must inform you that Camp Calvin 2020 has been cancelled due to the current COVID-19 pandemic. While there is no possible way to recreate the Camp Calvin experience online, we are working on plans for a possible online event during the week of June 22 to be able to worship and connect with you, so please watch for an email and/or Facebook post that will communicate more information about this. We rejoice and continue to give thanks to God, knowing that He is sovereign through this all, and we trust fully in His perfect plan for Camp Calvin.

--Camp Calvin Board of Directors

<u>Group</u>	<u>Elder</u>	<u>Deacon</u>
1	Joe Durant (2022)	Jon Mulder (2021)
2	Merle Schouten (2020)	Joe Bresser (2020)
3	Keith Venhuizen (2022)	
4	Gary De Jager (2021)	Brian Van Herwaarden (2022)
5	Dan Montsma (2022)	Eric Schaver (2022)
6	Tom Jonker (2020)	Randall Greenfield (2020)
7	Steve Homan (2020)	
8	Kevin Buwalda (2021)	Andy Schlieve (2021)

CREATION MOMENTS

Proclaiming Evidence for Truth

THIS WEEK'S CREATION MOMENT

The Deceptive Eye



I will praise thee; for I am fearfully [and] wonderfully made: marvellous [are] thy works; and [that] my soul knoweth right well. (Psalm 139:14)

Do your eyes ever play tricks on you? Our eyes regularly play tricks on us with the help of our brains. Repeated research has shown that the images we see are not exactly what our eyes see. Our eyes and brains work together to construct the images we call sight.

It's not that our eyes are out to deceive or hoodwink us. Most of the time our eyes are working to help us. Working together, our brain and eyes add logical details to the images we see. Each of us has a blind spot in our vision because there are no vision cells where the optic nerve is. Instead of showing us a spot of nothing at the blind point in our field of vision, our brain invents an image from surrounding details. Your brain pulls the same trick on you when you proofread your completed manuscript. While others can still find typos, you may not. Your brain knows what you are saying and so it automatically shows you a repaired version, making many of your typing errors invisible.

Your pupils can reveal your thoughts. Studies show that when seeing unpleasant scenes the pupils retract. Pleasant or interesting scenes cause the pupils to open wider. Charles Darwin wrote, "To suppose that the eye, with all of its inimitable contrivances for adjusting the focus to different distances, for admitting different amounts of light, and for correction of spherical and chromatic aberration, could have been formed by natural selection, seems, I freely confess, absurd in the highest possible degree." We don't often agree with Charles Darwin, but this time we do!

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