

1/9/2022

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 are due in the office by noon Thursday

Phone: 920-324-2898 email: waupuncrc@gmail.com

PO Box 32, Waupun

9:30 AM Worship Service

* Please stand if you are able.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Let us worship God.

“He is our refuge and our fortress, our God, in whom we trust.”

Let us confess with our mouths, “Jesus is Lord,” and believe in our hearts that God raised him from the dead.

“Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.”

Let us call upon our true God, believing him in our hearts, confessing him with our mouths, worshipping him in spirit and in truth.

*God’s Greeting

*Song of Praise: “O Worship the King” G428:1-2, 4-5

*Songs of Worship: “Whom Shall I Fear (God of Angel Armies)”

“Jesus Take All of Me (Just As I Am)”

God’s Will for Our Lives

I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of Egypt, out of the land of slavery. You shall have no other gods before me.

I sincerely acknowledge the only true God, trust him alone, look to him for every good thing, humbly and patiently, and love him, fear him, and honor him with all my heart. In short, I will give up anything rather than go against God’s will in any way.

You shall not make for yourself an idol in the form of anything in heaven above or on the earth beneath or in the waters below.

I will in no way make any image of God nor worship him in any other way than he has commanded in his Word.

You shall not misuse the name of the Lord your God, for the Lord will not hold anyone guiltless who misuses his name.

I will use the holy name of God only with reverence and awe, so that I may properly confess him, pray to him, and praise him in everything I do and say.

Remember the Sabbath day by keeping it holy.

I will regularly attend the assembly of God’s people to learn what God’s Word teaches, to participate in the sacraments, to pray to God publicly, and to bring my tithes and offerings for those in need and for the ministry of the gospel. Every day of my life I will rest from my evil ways, let the Lord work in me through his Spirit, and so begin already in this life the eternal Sabbath.

Honor your father and your mother.

I will honor, love, and be loyal to my father and mother and all those in authority over me. I will obey and submit to them, as is

proper, when they correct and punish me; and I will be patient with their failings— for through them God chooses to rule us.

You shall not murder.

I will not belittle, insult, hate, or kill my neighbor— not by my thoughts, my words, my look or gesture, and certainly not by actual deeds— and I will not be party to this in others; rather, I will put away all desire for revenge. I will not harm or recklessly endanger myself either.

You shall not commit adultery.

God condemns all unchastity. I therefore thoroughly detest it and will live a decent and chaste life.

You shall not steal.

I will do whatever I can for my neighbor's good, treating others as I would like them to treat me, and I will work faithfully so that I may share with those in need.

You shall not give false testimony against your neighbor.

I will love the truth, speak it candidly, and openly acknowledge it. And I will do what I can to guard and advance my neighbor's good name.

You shall not covet anything that belongs to your neighbor.

With all my heart I will always hate sin and take pleasure in whatever is right.

Congregational Prayer

Children ages 3-6 are dismissed for Children's Worship

*Scripture: Joshua 14:6-15

Message: "Where He Leads, We Will Follow #16—Caleb: Whole-Hearted Devotion to the Lord"

*Song of Response: "Whole-Hearted Thanksgiving to Thee I Will Bring" BP14:1-3

*Blessing

*Closing Song: "Step by Step"

*Postlude

Taking part in worship today:

- Worship Leader and Sermon: Pastor Greg Schuringa
- Accompanist: Marlyce Mulder
- Guitar: Craig Slings
- Vocalists: Kim Greenfield, Josh Schouten, Josie Venhuizen

- Media Team: Tyler Ten Pass, Cody Van Herwaarden, Lois Mulder, Mike Vander Berg
- Coffee: Bob & Michelle Mulder
- Children's Worship: Stacy Schaver, Charlotte Buteyn
- Nursery: Beth Schlieve, Jenna Mulder, Kolten Buwalda

Missionary Letters

H Ganz to Daryl Pfantz

G Greenfield to Neen*

H Greenfield to Chaplain Pete

+Pray especially for this
missionary family this week.

Giving to First CRC

If you feel led to give to our church's ministry, please leave your donation in the basket on the table in the narthex. All loose cash offerings will go to the month's special offering (REACH Waupun for January), while any loose and undesignated checks will go to the local budget. Budget envelopes will go to the designated funds. On-line giving is also available, just go to our website and click on "Give" at the top of the page. Please talk to a deacon if you want more information about giving to First CRC.

Our Family

January Birthday

Brenda Hofman

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As you pray this week, please remember these people:

- Keren Derksen, in recovery from back surgery.
- Harold Greenfield, dealing with cancer.
- Brenda Merhalski, dealing with cancer.
- Wilma Navis, as she is unable to attend worship services.
- Larry Pluim, dealing with cancer.
- Laura Ten Pass, dealing with cancer. Prayer of thanks that Laura was able to return home without having any surgery.
- Sam Vander Galien, recovery from surgery.
- Nancy Wierenga, doing physical therapy for back pain.

We extend our deepest sympathy to John & Arlene De Jager and Gary & Katie De Jager, on the death of their daughter- and sister-in-law, Marla De Jager.

Church News

Reminder to everyone that if you are having **meetings or gatherings** of any kind in the church building, PLEASE schedule them with the office.

Musicians: The worship team is always open to including more singers and instrumentalists. If we have somehow missed including you or participating is something you'd be interested in, please contact Laura Ten Pass, Renae Venhuizen, Kristi Zonnefeld or Pastor Greg on the worship committee.

Are you looking for a great way to get involved at First CRC? We recommend that you consider joining one of our Life Groups. Life Groups are for adults of all ages and marital status and are a great way to feel connected with others. To learn more about Life Groups and how to get started, go to <https://www.waupuncrc.com/relationships/lifegroups.cfm> or talk to Mike/Bonnie Vander Berg or Gary/ Katie De Jager. We would love to have you join!

Community News

ONE Waupun Connections Breakfast -- Are you looking for a great way to fellowship with other Christian men in our community? Join us for breakfast, a powerful video and some great fellowship on Saturday, January 15, from 7:30 - 8:30 AM. We will be meeting in the ONE Waupun room at W7185 Hwy 49. ONE Waupun is an inter-denominational community of Christian men who desire to allow the gospel to permeate our lives through authentic relationships.

The Board of Central Wisconsin Christian invites its supporting constituency to a special meeting on Wednesday, January 12, at 6:30 PM in the Middle School Learning Center. The purpose of the meeting is to vote on a proposed classroom addition to alleviate the need for classroom space due to growing enrollment. Detailed materials can be found on our website at WeAreCWC.org. Please continue to pray for CWC in their continued work of preparing students to glorify God and serve in His world.

Men's Breakfast with Jared Abbrederis – Join us on Saturday, January 22, at 8:30 AM for a pancake and sausage breakfast and guest speaker presentation at 10 AM by former Badger and Packer player, Jared Abbrederis. All ages are welcome! A free-will offering will be taken to support The Abbrederis S.O.W. Foundation.

The **Pregnancy Support Center of Dodge County**, a 501c3 nonprofit organization serving women and their babies, born and unborn, is seeking a Pro-Life individual with strong leadership, communication, and organizational skills to manager their Beaver Dam office. Duties include, but are not limited to scheduling clients, managing client advocates and other volunteers, community outreach and fundraising efforts, accurate and organization record keeping, and more. This position reports to the local Board of Directors. Experience working in a non-profit organization in any capacity is a plus. The position requires 24-36 hours per week. Salary commensurate with experience, ranging from \$22-28 per hour. If you share our vision, please contact Jacquie Schott, 920-318-6791 or email jrschott@sbcglobal.net.

ONE Waupun Men’s Conference – “Engaging in the Battle”: ONE Waupun invites you to attend an unforgettable men's event! Hosted at the Green Lake Conference Center on Saturday, March 5, “Engaging in the Battle” features live messages from Grant Kemink and Scott Ritzema, recorded messages from Matt Chandler and Louie Giglio and worship with Craig Slings. Sign up today for this FREE conference by going to www.onewaupun.com.

Calendar

Today: 9:30 AM Worship Service
 10:45 AM Sunday School and Catechism
Sunday: 9:30 AM Worship Service

Next Week

Accompanist
 Marlyce Mulder

Ushers
 Bob Mulder, Neil Venhuizen

Children’s Worship
 Kim Greenfield, Jonah Mulder

Livestream
 Rachel Hoffman

Coffee Time
 Al & LeAnne Holden

PPT
 Beth Schlieve

Nursery
 Jen Ritzema, Andrea Buwalda,
 Elliana Mulder

Sound System
 Scott Ritzema

<u>Group</u>	<u>Elder</u>	<u>Deacon</u>
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)

Honor God
 Serve Others
 Transform Lives

