

First Reformed Church

Jr. & Sr. High Youth Group Soup Supper Fundraiser



March 4; 4:30 - 7:00 pm
See bulletin announcement for details.

Our Vision

Seeking God - Nurturing One Another - Reaching Others For Christ

Our Mission

Our mission as a body of believers is to grow God's Kingdom through spiritual growth, loving and caring fellowship and sharing the hope and joy of God's grace with our community. (Matthew 28:18-20)

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February 23, 2020

A sincere welcome to all who have come to worship.
*Praise the Lord. How good it is to sing praises to our God,
how pleasant and fitting to praise him! (Psalm 147:1)*

A nursery is available in the lower level of the church.

Children's bulletins, children's activity bags and large print bulletins
are available at the back of the sanctuary.

An usher would be happy to assist you with these items.

Worship Service Participants

	<u>This Week (February 23)</u>	<u>Next Week (March 1)</u>
Greeters	Jerry & Luanne Hull	Gary & Diane Posthuma
Ushers	Carter Disbrow Zander Disbrow Bill Eichstadt	Chase Van Buren Gage Van Buren Paige Van Buren
Door Greeters		
Upstairs	Elton & Betty Ter Beest	Larry & Mary Navis
Downstairs East Door	Bill & Carol Eichstadt	John Nyhuis
Nursery	Kelley Van Buren Chase Van Buren	Jill Schumann Kaylin DeMaa
Elders Greeting	Steve Perry Mike De Vries George Scheuers	Ray Freriks Keith Jansma Jerry Riel
Soundboard	Kurt De Vries	John Nyhuis
Power Point	Nicole and Austin Lang	Kelley Van Buren

March Schedules

Hospital: Keith Jansma
Flowers: Kim Perry
Library: Waunita Schlom

Opportunities This Week

Sunday (February 23):

Caring & Sharing Team Meeting: 8:30 pm in the Consistory Room.

Get To Know First Class: 10:15 - 11:00 am in Fellowship Hall.

Sunday School: 10:15 - 11:00 am

- ◆ 3 year olds - 2nd Grade downstairs in the Worship Center Room
- ◆ 3rd - 5th Grade downstairs in the Triple Room
- ◆ 6th - 12th Grade upstairs in the Youth Room
- ◆ Adults in the Consistory Room. .

Wednesday:

XYZ: 9:30 - 10:30 am in the Triple Room.

Awana: This week's theme is: FOOD PANTRY NIGHT! Bring a non-perishable food item which will be donated to the Waupun Food Pantry. Suggested items are: crackers, applesauce, chicken noodle soup and toilet paper but any item is appreciated.

- ◆ Cubbies meet 6:00 - 7:00 pm downstairs in the Preschool Rooms
- ◆ Grades K-5 meets 5:45 - 7:30 pm in Fellowship Hall

Jr. High Youth Group: 6:00 - 7:30 pm in the Youth Room for Grades 6 - 8.

Sr. High Youth Group: 7:30 - 9:00 pm in the Youth Room for Grades 9 - 12.

Adult Choir Practice: 7:15 pm in the sanctuary.

Thursday:

Bell Choir Practice: 6:15 - 7:15 pm in the sanctuary.

Saturday:

Men's' Huddle: 7:00 am at Helen's Kitchen.

Sunday (March 1):

Pre-Service Fellowship: 8:00 - 9:00 am in the chapel.

Northwestern College Choir Concert: 9:00 am.

Sunday School: Will not meet on March 1st.

Worship Service

February 23, 2020

9:00 am

Prelude: Mary Navis

Call to Worship

Opening Song: 10,000 Reasons (led by John De Vries)

Prayer

Ministry of Music: Choir - Lord I Need You with I Need Thee Every Hour

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 11:17-34 (page 1784)

Message: Baptism and the Lord's Supper

- g. We observe Baptism and the Lord's Supper as the sacraments of our faith. They are signs and promises instituted by God to help us understand the gospel. (Matthew 26:27-28; Acts 2:38-39; Hebrews 10:10; Luke 22:15-19; Mark 16:16)

*Song #92: O How I Love Jesus

Prayer

Offering

Announcements

Introduction: RightNow Media - Video

*Benediction

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Love of God the Father, and the Fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

*Song # 779: I'll Fly Away

*Postlude: Mary Navis

*Please stand as you are able

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Congregational News

Choir Housing Note: Thank you to everyone who opened up their homes to host students from the Northwestern College Choir. The choir will arrive at church on Saturday, February 29th, at approximately 7:30 pm. They will have a rehearsal and then will depart with their host families at approximately 8:45 pm. They will need to arrive at church on Sunday, March 1st, by 7:55 am.

Get to Know First Begins Today: This is a new 3-week class being held February 23, March 8 and March 15 during the Sunday School time in Fellowship Hall. The class will cover our history, values, creeds and confessions, and our denomination. Those who may wish to attend are those who want to know more about First, adults who might be interested in joining First or students/young adults who are interested in Profession of Faith. If you have any questions, you can contact Pastor Barry.

Concert & Pre-Service Fellowship: On March 1st, the Northwestern College Choir will present a concert here at First Reformed at the 9:00 am worship service. On that Sunday, come early to enjoy pre-service fellowship. A variety of coffees, drinks and lite snacks will be served from 8:00 - 9:00 am. Invite a friend or family member to join you for this special event!

Sign-Up: For the pre-service fellowship on March 1st, the Worship Planning Team would like to serve a variety of brown breads. Sign-up in the entryway if you are able to donate a brown bread. Please bring breads to the chapel by noon on Saturday, February 29th.

Soup Supper: Mark your calendars because you won't want to miss the annual Soup Supper Fundraiser hosted by the Jr. & Sr. High Youth Groups. It will be held on Wednesday, March 4th, from 4:30 - 7:00 pm in Fellowship Hall. A variety of soups will be served and there will also be a silent auction. A free will donation will support renovations to the Youth Room, as well as Youth Group activities and retreats. If you are able to donate some of the items needed for the Soup Supper, please sign-up in the entryway.

Consistory Agenda Items: The next consistory meeting will be March 3rd. If team leaders or consistory members would like an item discussed at the meeting, please contact the church office with that information by Wednesday, February 26th, so it can be placed on the agenda.

Address Directory: If your address or phone number has changed this past year or you have dropped your land line and are using your cell phone number, please contact the church office at 324-2321 or office@firstreformedwaupun.com with your updated information for the 2020 address directory.

Time of Fellowship: Thank you so much to those who have volunteered to help serve for fellowship time. Please consider serving on a Sunday that fits your schedule. Currently the weeks of March 8, March 22 and into April are open. All supplies are provided and with the addition of the refrigerator and larger sink there is no need to have to go downstairs. Many people enjoy this time of fellowship following the worship service.

Office Hours: Beginning March 1st, Lori's office hours will change. A monthly schedule of her hours is posted on her office door.

AIM: Our next meeting will be on Monday, March 2nd, from 9:00 am - noon. Come join us as we make quilts for missions.

Congregational Care

Sympathy: Congregational sympathy is extended to Lorna & Larry Patrouille. Lorna's mother, Henriette Winterhack, passed away on February 19th. The visitation and funeral service will be held on Saturday, February 29th, at Immanuel Lutheran Church (525 W. Main Street, Waupun) with visitation from 9:00 - 11:00 am and the service at 11:00 am.

Thank You: A BIG thank you to Elton & Betty Ter Beest, Steve & Kim Perry and Larry & Mary Navis for hosting the wonderful evening of Bingo. A good time was had by all!

Invitations

Chili Supper/Bible Trivia Night: Alto Reformed Church will host a Bible Trivia/Chili Night on Friday, February 28, from 6:00 - 8:00 pm. A free will donation will support the high school youth group activities and retreats. The chili supper will be served from 6:00 - 7:30 pm with the Bible Trivia taking place at 7:00 pm. Contact Jessa Ter Beest at 346-5505 with any questions.

First Friday at The Union: The Union Youth Center invites all 7th & 8th graders to First Friday: Scavenger Hunt on March 6th from 7:00 - 9:00 pm. Join in this fun night with pizza and a chance to win a Candy Basket! Admission is \$4. If you have any questions, contact Jess Niemeyer at jess@badgerlandyfc.org.

Pork Chop Supper: Trinity Reformed Church (524 Carrington Street, Waupun) will hold its annual Pork Chop Supper Fundraiser on Saturday, March 7th, from 4:30 - 7:00 pm. Proceeds support the mission trip to Christ Outreach for the Blind in Mt. Vernon, KY. Meal includes pork chop, baked potato, corn, applesauce, roll and dessert. Take-out is available. Tickets are \$10. Contact the church office at 324-2400 or Jim Nummerdor at 920-579-8573 for tickets.

Bowling for Badgerland: The Youth for Christ Bowlathon will be held on Saturday, March 7th, at Jud's Lanes in Waupun. Teams of 5 people are asked to raise pledges, bowl 2 games, while having a great time together and helping YFC in their ministry in the area. Participants will be eligible for numerous prizes! For more information, to get a team packet or sign-up go to www.badgerlandyfc.org or contact 923-1416.

Sportsmen's Dinner: Waupun Area Churches & Businesses will present Trophies of Grace Sportsmen's Dinner on Saturday, March 7th, at The Rock Golf Club in Waupun starting at 4:00 pm. A.J. Dudek will be the speaker and there will be a World-Class Whitetails display. See the posters displayed in the entryway for details.

Central Wisconsin Christian School Invitations:

◆ 8th Grade Fundraiser Night at Pizza Ranch will be on Monday, February 24th. Funds raised will help 2-4 students go to school with desks, windows and running water in Mozambique.

Waupun Public Library Programs: (held at the library at 123 S. Forest Street, Waupun)

- ◆ Storytime: February 26 and March 4 at 11:00 am. Children of any age and ability, along with their caregiver, are invited to join us for short stories, interactive activities and crafts.
- ◆ Movie: March 5 at 1:00 pm and 6:00 pm. Popcorn and water provided. All ages welcome; 5 and under must be accompanied by an adult.