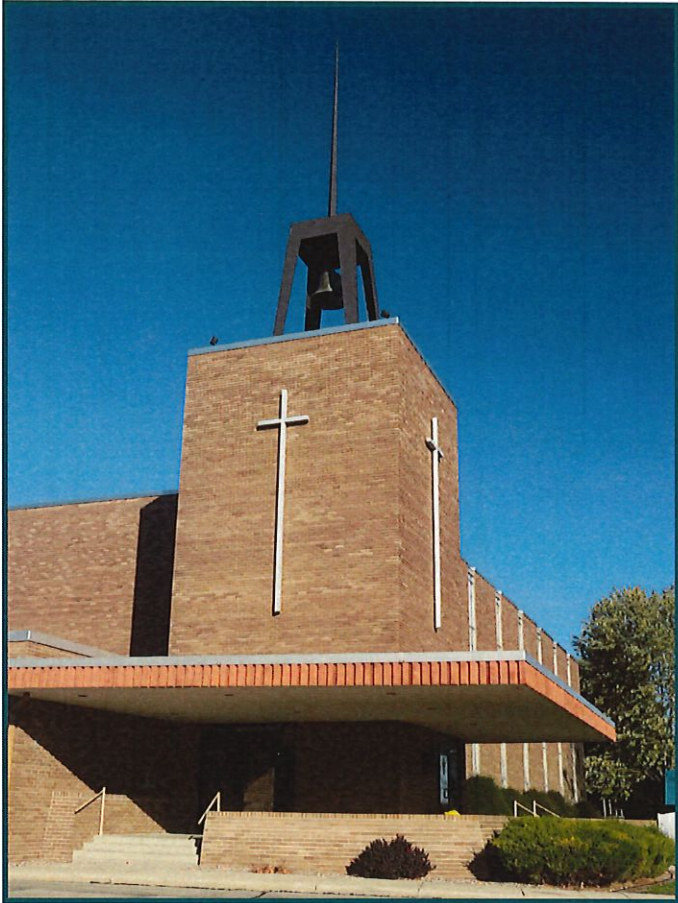


First Reformed Church



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)

First Reformed Church

March 22, 2020

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Updates

Each week Pastor Barry will be posting a video update on Facebook. Below is a list of highlights from this week's post:

- ◆ Pastor Barry opened the video with prayer and reading Psalm 91.
- ◆ Each of us is encouraged to pray for our world, our country, our community, and each other.
- ◆ Make connections to stay in touch with our church family thru social media, phone calls, letters, or text messages.
- ◆ The Consistory's Executive Team will meet by telephone conference each week to address issues as needed.
- ◆ Offering - If our time away is shorter, you can hang onto your offerings until we next gather. If you would rather, or if our time apart is longer, you can mail your offerings to the church.
- ◆ The church will remain open during the week. Stop in with caution and keep a healthy distance. If you are sick, please stay home.
- ◆ Feel free to contact Pastor Barry, an Elder, a Deacon or Linda Beekman if you would like to talk with someone; we are ready and willing to talk and to listen.

Cancellation Listing

- ◆ Worship services will not be held on March 22 or March 29

Until further notice, all midweek activities are cancelled.

This includes the following:

- ◆ Youth Group
- ◆ AIM
- ◆ XYZ
- ◆ Bells
- ◆ Choir
- ◆ Mens Huddle
- ◆ Committee Meetings

Event Cancellations

- ◆ Serving a meal at St. Bens on March 27 is cancelled
- ◆ Fun Night at the Community Table on April 3 is cancelled
- ◆ Christian Home Benefit Concert on May 3 is cancelled

- ◆ Palm Sunday Breakfast - watch for updates
- ◆ Community Easter Meal at the Union - watch for updates

Sermon Messages and Bulletins

- ◆ Sermons will be made available each week on our website, Facebook and also emailed to the congregation
- ◆ Sermons will also be available on a CD. If you would like one mailed to you, please contact the church office.
- ◆ Bulletins will be emailed each week to the congregation and also posted on our website and on Facebook. Bulletins will also be available in the church entryway.
- ◆ If you would like a bulletin sent to you in the mail, please contact the church office

Congregational Care and News

Sympathy: Jean Riel passed away on March 12th. Sympathy is extended to her family and friends, including her daughter Carol & Bob De Haan. Jean's memorial service was held on March 14.

Nursing Home Notice: The Center for Disease Control has requested that there be no visitors to any nursing homes at this time because the residents are the most vulnerable population to the Coronavirus.

Community Table Cancellations: All Community Table activities at the Waupun Food Pantry are cancelled until further notice. This includes all Bible Studies, meals, social time and the Bingo Fun Night.

Waupun Public Library Notice: All programs at the library have been cancelled for the month of March.

Movie Night Cancelled: The showing of "I Can Only Imagine", scheduled at Bethel Reformed Church in Brandon, has been cancelled.

Mark Your Calendar for VBS: Something to look forward to - VBS 2020 will be held at First Reformed on June 29, June 30 and July 1 from 9:00 - 11:30 am. The theme this year is "Knights of the North Castle".