

A winter scene featuring a lit lantern on the left, casting a warm glow. The background is filled with snow-covered evergreen trees and icicles hanging from the branches. The overall atmosphere is serene and cozy.

Put on  
the  
*New Self*

Put on the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge in the image of its Creator. *Colossians 3:10*

## First Reformed Church

January 2, 2022

9:00 am

### Worship Service Participants

	<u>This Week (January 2)</u>	<u>Next Week (January 9)</u>
<b>Soundboard</b>	John Nyhuis	Howard Loomans
<b>Power Point</b>	Kelley Van Buren	Ryan De Vries

### January Schedules

**Hospital:** Mike De Vries

**Flowers:** Jane Van Buren

**Library:** Roxanne Walker

### Invitations

**Men's Breakfast with Jared Abbrederis:** Join us at Alto Reformed Church on Saturday, January 22, at 9:30 am for a pancake and sausage breakfast and guest speaker presentation at 10:00 am by former Bader and Packer player, Jared Abbrederis. All ages are welcome! A free will offering will be taken to support The Abbrederis S.O.W. Foundation.

**Women's Retreat:** Save the date for "Reset" Women's Retreat on February 4 & 5, 2022 at Emmanuel Church in Waupun. Worship will be led by Shawna Starbird and guest speaker is Gwen Loomans.

**Men's Conference:** ONE Waupun will be holding a free Men's Conference at Green Lake Conference Center on Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup>, from 9:00 am - 3:30 pm. If you would like to sign up, follow this link or talk to Pastor Barry. <https://www.onewaupun.com/grow/conference.cfm>

## Opportunities

### Sunday:

**Sunday School:** Classes will not meet this week. Classes will resume on January 9.

### Monday:

**AIM:** 9:00 am - noon in the Lower Triple Room. We invite you to bring your scissors and help make quilts for missions. If you can tie a knot, you can help!

### Tuesday:

**Consistory Meeting:** Elders will meet at 6:30 pm in the Consistory Room. Deacons will meet at 6:30 pm in the Chapel. Full Consistory will meet at 7:30 pm in the Consistory Room.

### Wednesday:

**XYZ:** This adult Bible study meets 9:30 - 10:30 am in the Lower Triple Room.

**Awana:** Come and join in the fun of Awana! This week's theme is ALOHA NIGHT!

- ◆ Cubbies (ages 3 years - PreK) meet 6:00 - 7:00 pm in the Preschool Rooms
- ◆ Grades K-5 meets 5:45 - 7:30 pm in Fellowship Hall

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

**Sr. High Youth Group:** 7:00 - 8:00 pm in the Youth Room for Grades 9-12.

**Adult Choir:** Meets at 7:00 pm in the sanctuary. Anyone, high school age and above, is invited to join us!

### Thursday:

**Bell Choir Practice:** 6:30 pm in the sanctuary.

## Congregational News

**Save the Date!** The Pine Haven Men's Choir will be presenting a concert here at First Reformed on January 30 at the morning worship service. Be sure to mark your calendars and invite your family and friends for this special event!

**Awana Needs:** Every week we have been gaining children because our clubbers are bringing friends! This is such an amazing blessing! Because of this growth, we are in need of more small group leaders for our T&T group. These are children in grades 3-5. If you would be willing to help in this area or have questions, please let Roxanne know!

**VBS 2022:** Can you believe that we are thinking about summer already? Well, If you have helped with VBS in the past and would be interested in helping again this summer, let Roxanne know. There are so many different areas which you can help. The theme for this year is Knights of North Castle.

**AIM:** AIM will be meeting the first and third Monday each month through May. We invite you to bring your scissors and help make quilts for missions. If you can tie a knot, you can help!

**Prayer Chain:** If you signed up for the 2022 Prayer Chain, your Prayer Chain lists are in your mailboxes.

**Fellowship Time:** Enjoying some refreshments following the worship service is a special time of fellowship each week for our church family and visitors. If you would be available to help with serving the drinks and breakfast bars, please sign-up in the entryway for a week that fits your schedule. All supplies are provided. If you have questions of what is involved with serving, please contact Elayne Van Buren or Lori Flier.

**Contributions:** If you need verification of your contributions for 2021 taxes, please contact the church office (324-2321) with your **name and envelope number** by January 31, 2022.

**2022 Giving Envelopes:** The church provides yearly giving envelopes to all members and those who request them. They serve as a regular reminder that giving is part of our obedience to tithe from what we receive. Tithing (10%) also enables God's work to be done through His church. **Be sure to begin using your 2022 envelopes.** Thank you for all your support of the church's budget. You are touching the local lives of people and the world beyond. **Please check your mailboxes for your 2022 envelopes.**

**Attention All Treasurers:** Because of the difficulty in receiving bank statements by the middle of January for auditors to verify, it was decided by the Consistory to extend the timeframe for the treasurers to collect their information and get their final report into the office by **January 23** so that the auditors can verify the beginning of February. Please turn in your year-end financial report and books into the office **no later than January 23.** Thank you.

## Congregational Care

**Thank You:** I would like to thank the church for the beautiful poinsettia and everyone who sent cards and wishes for my birthday and Christmas. Thank you so much! Catherine Jansma.

**Thank You:** Thank you for the beautiful poinsettia plant and also for the cards that I received thru the Christmas holiday. I am very thankful for my church community and the caring people there. May God bless you all. Bernie Bille.

**Thank You:** I would like to thank the First Reformed Church for the Christmas gift cards. Also, thanks to all who sent cards for my 95th birthday and Christmas greetings. God bless you all. Marion Hull.

**Thank You:** Thank you to the Caring & Sharing Team for the thoughtful Christmas gift. Also, thank you to everyone who sent Christmas cards. Your thoughtfulness is much appreciated! God bless you all in the New Year. Marlene Landaal.

**Thank You:** Thank You to the Caring and Sharing Team for the lovely poinsettia plant and to Sandy for delivering it. Thank you to everyone for all the Christmas cards. I appreciate all your thoughtfulness. Donna Vandervelde Tavs.

## Senior Sunday School

On January 9, we will begin a Kay Arthur study entitled, "Breaking Free from Fear".  
Please read this introduction to this series:

"Life is filled with all sorts of fears, isn't it? Fears of terrorism and natural disasters. Fears about the economy, the safety of loved ones, dreaded diagnoses. Fears of losing a job, a home, a relationship, our savings, our dreams, our independence, our health, our lives. We can find so many reasons to be fearful.

And in these days of instant news, we seem to hear continually about the latest disasters, calamities, and tragedies striking our world - a world that seems to be shrinking, bringing each dangerous development closer and closer to us.

How do we free ourselves from the grip of fear and the accompanying stress that takes a toll on our lives physically, emotionally, mentally? In this study, you'll discover the answer - an answer that will enable you to walk in faith and freedom, no matter what circumstances loom in your life."

We invite you to the Consistory Room following worship and coffee time to consider this important topic.

## **Worship Service**

January 2, 2022

9:00 am

Prelude: Kim Perry

Call to Worship

\*Opening Song #3: Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty

Installation/Ordination of Elders and Deacons

Scripture: Luke 16:19-31 (page 1626)

Message: A Great Chasm Has Been Fixed

\*song #772: When We All Get to Heaven

Prayer

Announcements

\*Benediction

\*Song #779: I'll Fly Away

\*Postlude: Kim Perry

\*Please stand as you are able.

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# 3 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty

*Holy, holy, holy is the Lord God Almighty, who was, and is, and is to come. Revelation 4:8*

1. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!  
 2. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! all the saints a - dore Thee,  
 3. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! tho' the dark - ness hide Thee,  
 4. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to Thee.  
 Cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea.  
 Tho' the eye of sin - ful man Thy glo - ry may not see.  
 All Thy works shall praise Thy name in earth, and sky, and sea.

Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!  
 Cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore Thee,  
 On - ly Thou art ho - ly - there is none be - side Thee,  
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!

God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!  
 Which wert, and art, and ev - er - more shall be.  
 Per - fect in pow'r, in love, in pu - ri - ty.  
 God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

TEXT: Reginald Heber  
 MUSIC: John B. Dykes; Last stanza setting  
 and Choral ending by Camp Kirkland

NICABA  
 11.12.12.10.

# 772 When We All Get to Heaven

*We will be caught up to be with the Lord forever. 1 Thessalonians 4:17*

> 1. Sing the won-drous love of Je - sus, Sing His mer - cy and His grace.  
 > 2. While we walk the pil - grim path-way Clouds will o - ver - spread the sky;  
 > 3. Let us then be true and faith - ful, Trust - ing, serv - ing ev - ery day;  
 > 4. On - ward to the prize be - fore us! Soon His beau - ty we'll be - hold;

In the man - sions bright and bless - ed He'll pre - pare for us a place.  
 But when trav - ling days are o - ver, Not a shad - ow, not a sigh.  
 Just one glimpse of Him in glo - ry Will the toils of life re - pay.  
 Soon the pearl - y gates will o - pen, We shall tread the streets of gold.

*Refrain*

When we all get to heav - en, What a day of re -  
 When we all What a

joic - ing that will be! When we all see  
 day of re - joic - ing that will be! When we all

Je - sus, We'll sing and shout the vic - to - ry,  
 shout, and shout the vic - to - ry.

TEXT: Eliza E. Hewitt  
 MUSIC: Emily D. Wilson; Choral ending by Ken Barker

HEAVEN  
 8.7.8.7. with Refrain



# I'll Fly Away 779

We would prefer to be away from the body and at home with the Lord. 2 Corinthians 5:8

1. Some glad morn-ing when this life is o'er, I'll fly a-  
 2. When the shad-ows of this life have gone, fly a-way,  
 3. Just a few more wea-ry days and then,

way; To a home on God's ce-les-tial shore, I'll  
 fly a-way; Like a bird from pris-on bars has flown, fly a-way,  
 To a land where joys shall nev-er end,

*Refrain*

fly a-way. I'll fly a-way, O glo-ry, I'll  
 fly a-way. fly a-way, fly a-way, fly a-way,

fly a-way; in the morn-ing; When I die, hal-le-lu-jah, by and by,

*ff* *Optional choral ending*

I'll fly a-way, fly a-way, fly a-way. I'll fly a-way!

TEXT: Albert E. Brumley  
 MUSIC: Albert E. Brumley

I'LL FLY AWAY  
 9.4.9.4. with Refrain

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