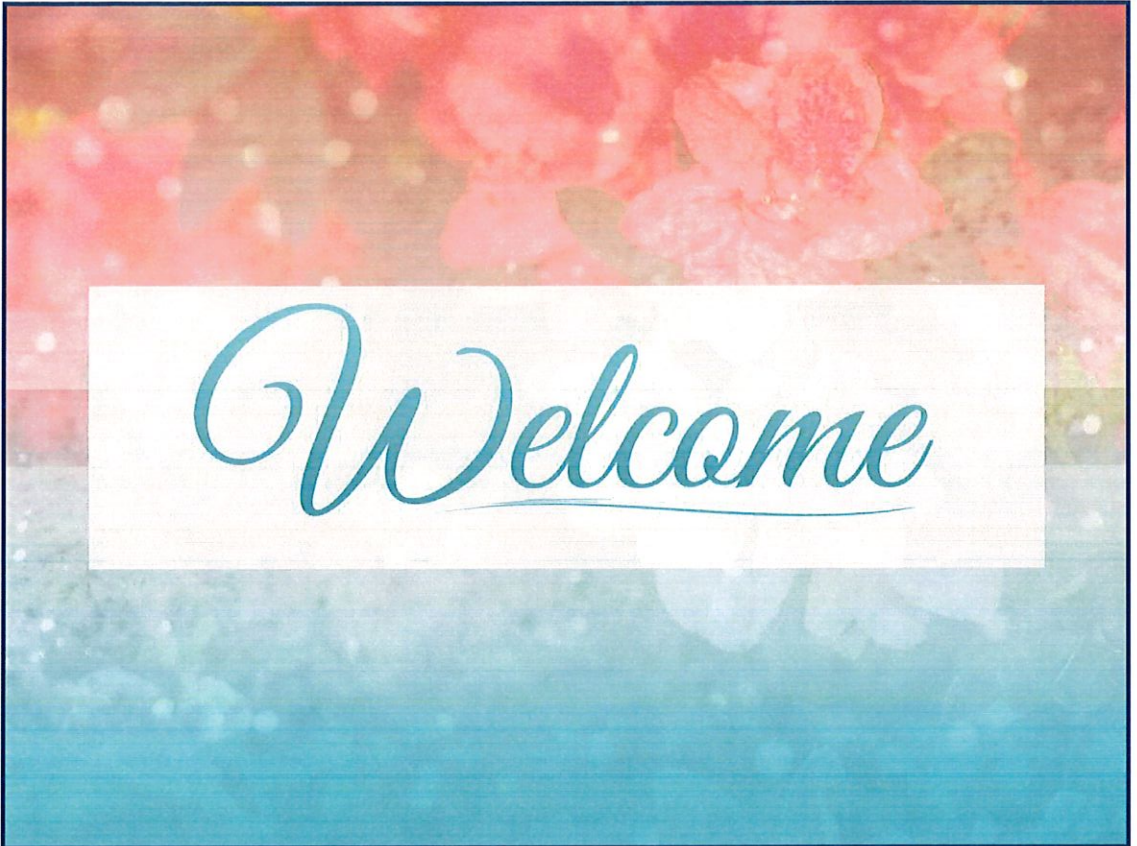


# First Reformed Church

April 24, 2022



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9:00 am

**Worship Service Participants**

**This Week (April 24)**

**Next Week (May 1)**

**Soundboard**

Kurt De Vries

John Nyhuis

**Power Point**

Nicole and Austin Lang

Kelley Van Buren

**April Schedules**

**Hospital:** Eugene Lammers

**Flowers:** Lorna Patrouille

**Library:** Waunita Schlom

## Opportunities

### Sunday:

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

**Sunday School:** 10:15 - 11:00 am.

- ◆ **Preschool through 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade:** Meets downstairs in the Worship Center.
- ◆ **3<sup>rd</sup> through 7<sup>th</sup> grade:** Meets in the Triple Room downstairs.
- ◆ **8<sup>th</sup> through 12<sup>th</sup> Grade:** Meets in the Youth Room.
- ◆ **Adult Sunday School:** Meets in the Consistory Room. Join us as we continue our study on the series entitled "Breaking Free from Fear" .

### Wednesday:

**XYZ:** This adult Bible Study meets in the triple room from 9:30 - 10:30 am.

**Awana:** This week's theme is SUPER HERO 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.

## Congregational Care

**Sympathy:** Sympathy is extended to Wally & Linda Beekman. Wally's sister, Kathleen Beekman, passed away on Sunday, April 17th.

**Thank You:** Chilly & Tika brought so many smiles to our AWANA children! Thank you to John and Karin Nyhuis for sharing the dogs' talents with our group!

**Thank You:** I would like to thank everyone for their visits, cards, and especially your prayers. Each kind gesture is very much appreciated. God Bless, Marlene Rens.

## Congregational News

**Children's Church Today:** Christina Graves will be leading Children's Church this morning. The lesson will be Jonah and the Whale for ages 3-7! Children will meet Christina at the back of church after the CWC singers!

**Caring & Sharing Team:** The Caring & Sharing Team will meet on Sunday, April 24, at 8:30 am in the Consistory Room. Anyone who would like to be a part of the Caring & Sharing Team is welcome!

**Picture Directory:** We are planning on putting together a new First Reformed Church Picture Directory. We will have someone taking photos after church. The date(s) for that are not set yet. In the meantime, for those that would rather, you can send in a family photo or email one to office@firstreformedwaupun.com. Along with the photo, please supply the information you would like on your photo page. You can do some of these or all of them. It's up to you. Name(s), Address, Phone Number(s), Email Address(es), Birthday(s), Anniversary.

**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.

**Attention Juniors and Seniors:** Are you planning on attending a Christian college? There are certain funds available to help you attain your goal of a higher education. Please contact Larry Navis or anyone on the Scholarship Committee for details.

## Children's Ministries Announcements

- ◆ **Children's Sermon:** Diane Posthuma will be having a Children's Sermon during the church service on May 1. All children are welcome to come to the front of the church for this.
- ◆ **May 1:** The last day of Sunday School will be on May 1. On this day, all preschool and elementary children are asked to attend because they will be doing something special for their parents. Mark your calendars now so your children don't miss it!
- ◆ **May 4:** This is the last night of the year for AWANA. The AWANA store will be open again for children to purchase fun items with the points they have worked so hard to earn. We will also be teaming up with the Junior High Youth Group to celebrate the past year and fellowship with each other. Group will run from 6:00 - 7:00 pm, so please note the time change.
- ◆ **VBS Registration:** It is hard to think summer is just around the corner. With that being said, early VBS registration will begin at the end of May through June 30. VBS will be on July 18-20 from 9:00 - 11:30 am! Mark your calendars now because this is going to be unforgettable!

All these events will be posted on the Children's Ministry Facebook page, so make sure to like First Reformed Waupun Children's Ministry for invites and updates!

## Invitations

**Prayer & Praise Service:** First Christian Reformed Church (20 Bly Street, Waupun) will host a special worship time of prayer and praise at 6:00 pm on Sunday, April 24. The evening will include prayer and a hymn sing. All are welcome to join us.

### **CWC Invitations:**

- ◆ Grandparents' Day will be held on April 29. Grandparents, please join us for a fun day starting with classroom visits from 8-10:45 am with fellowship and luncheon following. Reservations are required. Please RSVP at <https://bit.ly/GPDAY22> or call 920-324-4233.
- ◆ The Middle School Music Department will present a lite concert on Wednesday, May 4, beginning at 4:00 pm. There will be performances by the 5th grade band, the choir and band, along with a variety of solos and ensembles that have been prepared for the upcoming Music Festival.
- ◆ The CWC Honors Recital will be held Thursday, May 5, at First CRC in Waupun at 6:30 pm. This recital will feature those high school students who performed at the state solo and ensemble competition.
- ◆ CWC Girls Soccer and Boys Baseball programs will host their first annual respite event. This event is for anyone in Waupun and the surrounding communities. A respite event is for children with disabilities and their siblings. It is an opportunity to give parents some rest, time to go out on a date, or just spend some time together while their children are taken care of. There will be tons of activities for the kids and supper will be provided. There is no charge to attend. The event will take place on May 7th from 4:00 - 9:00 pm at the CWC in Waupun. Pre-registration is required (there will be no walk-ins). Contact Coach Stuebs at [pstuebs@wearecwc.org](mailto:pstuebs@wearecwc.org) or 920-324-4233 to register or with any questions.

## Worship Service

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**Prelude:** Kim Perry

**Call to Worship**

**\*Song #93:** God, Our Father, We Adore Thee

**Special Music:** CWC New Generation Singers

\*\*\* Children ages 3 years thru 2nd Grade are dismissed for Children's Church \*\*\*

**Scripture:** Luke 24:13-35 (page 1642)

**Message:** Our Hearts Burning Within Us

**\*Song #611:** He Hideth My Soul

**Prayer**

**Announcements**

**\*Benediction**

**\*Song #617:** Near to the Heart of God

**\*Postlude:** Kim Perry

\*Please stand as you are able.

### Pastor Barry's Contact Information

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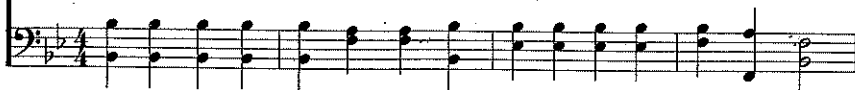
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# 93 God, Our Father, We Adore Thee

*Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your name. Matthew 6:9*



1. God, our Fa-ther, we a-dore Thee! We, Thy chil-dren, bless Thy name!  
2. Son E-ter-nal, we a-dore Thee! Lamb up-on the throne on high!  
3. Ho-ly Spir-it, we a-dore Thee! Par-a-cte and heav'n-ly guest!  
4. Fa-ther, Son, and Ho-ly Spir-it— Three in One! we give Thee praise!



Cho-sen in the Christ be-fore Thee, We are "ho-ly, with-out blame."  
Lamb of God, we bow be-fore Thee, Thou hast bro't Thy peo-ple nigh!  
Sent from God and from the Sav-ior, Thou hast led us in-to rest.  
For the rich-es we in-her-it, Heart and voice to Thee we raise!



We a-dore Thee! we a-dore Thee! Ab-ba's prais-es we pro-claim!  
We a-dore Thee! we a-dore Thee! Son of God, who came to die!  
We a-dore Thee! we a-dore Thee! By Thy grace for-ev-er blest!  
We a-dore Thee! we a-dore Thee! Thee we bless thro' end-less days!



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TEXT: George W. Frazier; Alfred S. Loizeaux, stanza 3

MUSIC: John Zundel

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Optional introduction to  
"Near to the Heart of God"

# Near to the Heart of God 617

As for me, it is good to be near God. Psalm 73:28

> 1. There is a place of qui - et rest, Near to the heart of God;  
 > 2. There is a place of com - fort sweet, Near to the heart of God;  
 > 3. There is a place of full re - lease, Near to the heart of God;

A place where sin can - not mo - lest, Near to the heart of God.  
 A place where we our Sav - ior meet, Near to the heart of God.  
 A place where all is joy and peace, Near to the heart of God.

Refrain

O Je - sus, blest Re - deem - er, Sent from the heart of God, Hold us, who

wait be - fore Thee, Near to the heart of God. *Optional transition to "In His Presence"*

TEXT: Cleland B. McAfee  
MUSIC: Cleland B. McAfee

McAfee  
C.M. with Refrain



# 611 He Hideth My Soul

He will hide me and set me high upon a rock. Psalm 27:5

1. A won - der - ful Sav - ior is Je - sus my Lord, A  
2. A won - der - ful Sav - ior is Je - sus my Lord - He  
3. With num - ber - less bless - ings each mo - ment He crowns; And,  
4. When clothed in His bright - ness, trans - port - ed I rise To

won - der - ful Sav - ior to me; He hid - eth my soul in the  
tak - eth my bur - den a - way. He hold - eth me up, and I  
filled with His full - ness di - vine, I sing in my rap - ture, "O  
meet Him in clouds of the sky; His per - fect sal - va - tion, His

cleft of the rock, Where riv - ers of plea - sure I see.  
shall not be moved; He giv - eth me strength as my day.  
glo - ry to God For such a Re - deem - er as mine!"  
won - der - ful love I'll shout with the mil - lions on high!

*Refrain*  
He hid - eth my soul in the cleft of the rock That shad - ows a

dry, thirst - y land; He hid - eth my life in the depths of His love And

cov - ers me there with His hand, And cov - ers me there with His hand.