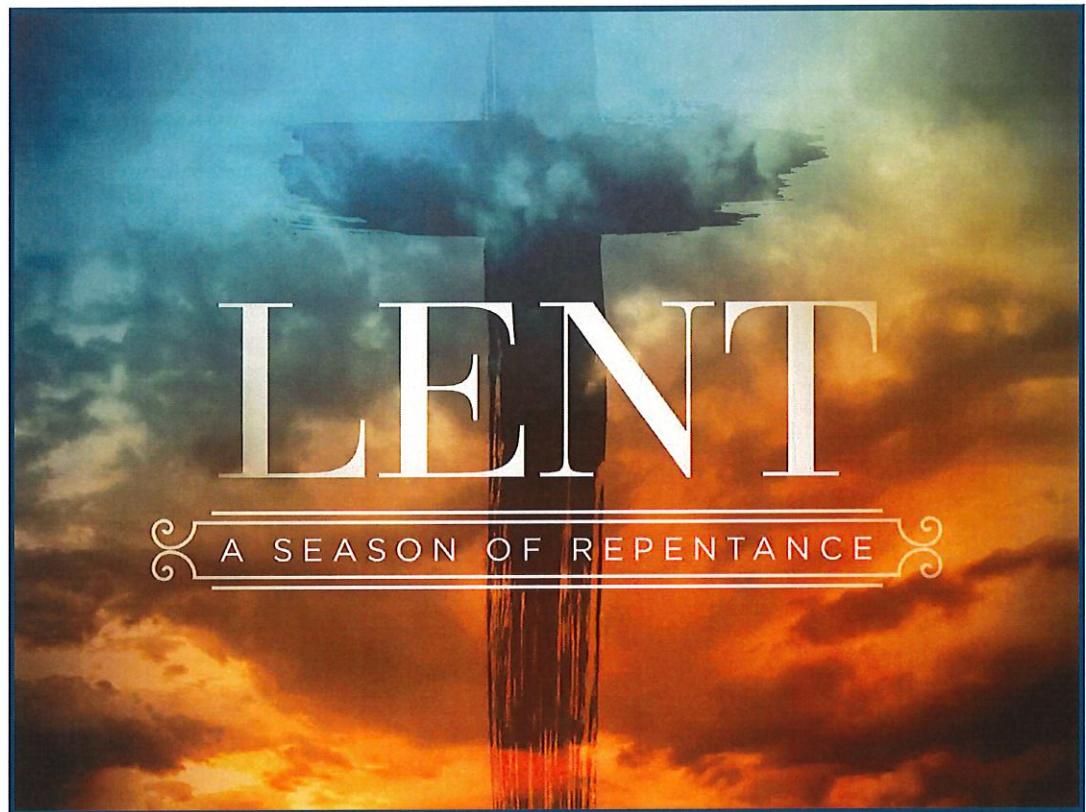


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9:00 am

Worship Service & Sunday School Volunteers

	<u>This Week (February 22)</u>	<u>Next Week (March 1)</u>
Soundboard	Howard Loomans	Aaron Lang
Power Point	Kelley Van Buren	Nicole and Austin Lang and Drew Schumann
Greeters	Sue Straks	Jerry & Luanne Hull
Elders Greeting	Steve Towne Mike De Vries Jon Schmaltz	John De Vries Eugene Lammers Ray Freriks

February Schedules

Hospital: Jerry Riel

Flowers: Carol De Haan

Opportunities This Week

Sunday:

Sunday School:

- ◆ 10:15 - 11:00 am - Preschool & Elementary children meet in the Thomas Room downstairs.
- ◆ 10:15 - 11:00 am - Middle School & High School will meet in the Youth Room.
- ◆ 10:30 - 11:00 am - Adults will meet in the Council Room.

Monday:

Bells Rehearsal: We will NOT meet this week.

Wednesday:

XYZ: Adult Bible Study that meets from 9:30 - 10:30 am in the Council Room.

Awana: 6:00 pm for ages 3 years old thru 5th grade in Fellowship Hall.
This week's theme is Duck Tape Night!

Youth Group: 7:00 - 8:30 pm in Fellowship Hall for all middle schoolers and high schoolers.
Doors open at 6:30 pm, so feel free to come early to hang out or work on homework in the Youth Room.

Thursday:

The Vine Young Adults Bible Study: 7:00 pm in Fellowship Hall.
All young adults are invited to join in this time of Bible Study and Fellowship.

Congregational News

Name Tag Sunday: Next Sunday will be Name Tag Sunday. To be more outreach/community focused, the Worship Planning Team will be having name tags available the 1st Sunday of each month and we would like to welcome everyone to wear one- no matter if you are new or have come here for years. This is a great way to help others feel welcome!

Council Meeting: The Council will be meeting to talk about Mission and Vision on Tuesday, March 3, at 6:30 pm in the Council Room.

Scrappy Church Meeting: Everyone is invited to talk about Scrappy Church at a discussion meeting on Tuesday, March 10, at 6:30 pm.

You Are Invited! AWANA is hosting a family night and you're invited to attend. Game Night is Wednesday, March 18, from 6:00 - 7:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall. A light meal will be served from 6:00 - 6:30 and then after we will play bingo and other board games! Please register online or call Roxanne at 920-219-0269 if you would like to attend. We want to make sure we have enough food and prizes!

New Staff Member: We welcome Allison Heumann, who has accepted the open position of inside custodian here at First. If you need to reach her, her number is 920-344-3872. Please add her name and number to your 2026 Address Directory.

Church Fun Day! On June 17, First Reformed will be attending a concert at the Fireside Dinner Theatre featuring The Inspirations. There will also be a fish and chicken buffet. The cost is \$46.95 (includes gratuity). Please sign-up in the coat room if you would like to attend, and place a * by your name if you would be willing to drive. Contact Marilyn Hopp with any questions. Payment can be placed in Marilyn's mailbox or she will be collecting payments on Sunday, May 3. If paying by check, make it out to First Reformed Women's Ministries.

Save the Date: FRC has already begun planning for Vacation Bible School 2026! We will be hosting Snowball Mountain Challenge on July 13-15 from 9:00 - 11:30 for children ages 3 to 5th grade! If you are interested in helping, please let Roxanne know! Thank you to those who have already volunteered!

Register today for the ONE Waupun Men's Conference! Join us on Saturday, March 7, 2026 from 8:30 am to 3:30 pm. This is a day designed to encourage, challenge and renew men in their faith. Register today at: <http://conference.onewaupun.com>.

Do You Have Talent? Do you have musical talent? The Worship Team is looking for volunteers to share their talents with the church during the worship service. If you want more details, please see Katie DeMaa or Roxanne Walker.

Focus Newsletter: The March/April Focus newsletter will be available on March 1st. Articles for the Focus are due to the office by Monday, February 23rd.

Social Media: We are looking for a few individuals who would be interested in being a part of a Social Media Team. The first order of business will be working with a company to get an updated website. Let Pastor Barry or Noah Braaksma know if you are interested.

Invitations

Bethel Church Spaghetti Dinner: Bethel Church of Brandon has a group of 20 persons going on an Alaskan Mission Trip June 20-27, 2026. There will be a spaghetti dinner on Sunday, February 22, 2026 from 11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. in the fellowship hall at 305 W Main St, Brandon, WI. A free will offering will be received to offset some of the expenses for the trip.

Pancake Breakfast: East Friesland New Covenant Church (N8879 E. Friesland Rd., Randolph) will host a Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser on Saturday, February 21st from 7-11 AM. East Friesland New Covenant Church is sending a team to minister in Panama this coming June. They'd love to chat with you about what they plan to do on their trip and serve you a delicious breakfast that will include pancakes, farm fresh eggs, sausage, and milk/orange juice. This is a free-will offering event. See you there!

Hymn Sing: East Friesland New Covenant Church will be hosting a Hymn Sing, featuring Hymns for Him and others, on Sunday, March 8th at 6 pm. This will be their second fundraiser for their group heading to Panama this June. This event is free to attend, but a free-will donation will be collected. Refreshments will be served

Library Invitations: All events are held at the Waupun Library, 123 S. Forest Street, Waupun.

- ◆ February 23, 6:00pm: Bee Lawns with Dodge County Master Gardener Carol Shirk. Join us for an informational program on how to turn your lawn into a bee's paradise.
- ◆ February 28, 9:30 - 11:00 am: Lego Club. Use the library's Legos or bring your own to create Lego masterpieces. Ages 5 & under must be accompanied by an adult.

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Prelude

Announcements

Call to Worship: 1 Kings 19:11-13

Song: Because He Lives

Prayer Focus: Fire, EMS, Police, DOC

Video: Encounter Jesus

Scripture:

Mark 6:6-13 (page 1561)
Mark 6:30-34 (page 1562)

Message: Habits of Grace: Retreat

*Song: Raise a Hallelujah

Congregational Prayer

*Benediction

*Song: How Great Is Our God with How Great Thou Art

*Postlude

* Please stand if you are able

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