Emmeasurably

And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge –that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God.

Ephesians 3:17-19 NIV



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Pastor Dave Martin

Reformation Day - October 27, 2024 9:30 AM Worship - 10:45 AM Sunday School

God Gathers His People to Worship

Welcome & Announcements

Opening Prayer

Sharing the Peace of the Lord

Song "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"

LBW 543

Confession and Forgiveness

Pastor: Let us seek the face of God, confessing our sin.

Silence for reflection and self-examination.

P: Holy God,

C: we have sinned against you and each other. We pray for your forgiveness and healing. The good we would do, we often fail to do. The evil we do not want, we find ourselves doing. Deliver us, O God; save us from shame; and guide us in your way. Amen.

P: Nothing can separate us from the love of Christ. While we were yet sinners, Christ died for us, and God raised him up from death that we too might walk in newness of life. Almighty God have mercy on you, forgive you all your sins through Jesus Christ, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life. C: Amen.

God Speaks to Us in His Holy Word

Scripture Lessons:

Psalm 47:1-9

Page 599 Cash Lantz

John 14:12-14

Page 1146 Jordan Ruen

Holden Suits

Noisy Offering

Children's Sermon

Special Music

Sunday School Kids

Sermon Text: Ephesians 3:14-21 (NIV)

Sermon "Immeasurably More"

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Give Thanks to God

Song "O How I Love Jesus"

GHF 483

Apostles Creed

Offering

Offertory

Give thanks with a grateful heart,

Give thanks to the Holy One,

Give thanks because He's given Jesus Christ, His Son.

Give thanks. Give thanks.

Prayers of the Church

The Lord's Prayer

God Calls us to Serve

Song "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"

GHF 460

Benediction

Enter to Worship - Depart to Serve

Thank you for joining us this morning to worship with us! Please join us following the service with coffee and goodies in the fellowship hall. Sunday School will begin at 10:45 AM with singing in the sanctuary and then to classrooms for lessons until 11:45 AM.

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Oct 20 General Offering: \$2085.00 Attendance: 107

Musician Donna Nelson

Greeters Oct 27—Jemma Severson, Paxton Dyk, Breyden Wollman, Chase Lantz, Logan Ruen

Nov 3—Wanda Johnson & Melissa Johnson

Nov 10—Hunter & Katie Johnson

Ushers Oct 27—Cash Lantz, Jacoby Severson, Emerson Qualm,
Kensley Wollman, Maisey Suits
Nov 3 & 10—Jay VanDerWerff & David Kott

Coffee Cookie Servers

Oct 27—Tricia Meyerink, Alisha Nachtigal, Donna Nelson Nov 3—Allie Nelson, Paula Nelson, Susan Nelson Nov 10— Jackie Olsen, Vicky Pavlis, Dee Rasmussen

Thank you our Sunday School students who are participating in the worship service today through greeting, ushering, reading Scripture, and special music. **"NOISY OFFERING"...**The Sunday School kids will be taking their the "noisy offering" **today**. If any parents, grandparents or congregation members have any loose change that would like to contribute, please give it to a child to put in the bucket or feel free to put it in yourselves. Thanks so much for helping our youth understand the importance of giving back to the Lord for all we do receive. Board of Ed – Carla, Karis, Dan

The Carpenter's Prayer movie is at the Lyric Theater today at 2:00 PM. The inspiring true story of a pastor and his family who set out to build a new church in 1970s rural Michigan. Along the way, they face challenges that threaten to unravel when an afflicted carpenter becomes their unlikely source of hope, proving that faith in God is the true path to redemption, even in the most tragic circumstances.

Join us Monday, October 28 at 1:00 PM in the Fireside Room, for the **Bible study on the Gospel of Matthew**. Each week, we'll watch a chapter of Matthew from *The Visual Bible*, then read it aloud and discuss it. To avoid a conflict with the quilting group, we won't meet on the first Monday of the month. We realize that no one can make it to every meeting but come join us when you can. You might just discover a new love for the Bible, you didn't know you had.

Church Council will meet this Monday, October 28th at 7:00 PM

(PLEASE NOTE: change of dates due to a conflict schedule with GEMS) Bible Instruction for all third graders will begin Wednesday, October 30th, and will meet weekly on Wednesdays through November 20th. Classes will be held in the North Overflow Room and will run from 3:45 to 5:00 PM. If possible, we would like to have a parent, grandparent, or other family member accompany each child to help them in our journey through God's Word. A light snack will be served each session. Please let Pastor Dave know if your child has any dietary restrictions. Also, please confirm with the office that your child will be attending and who will accompany them. Bible presentations will be made Sunday, November 24th during the worship service.

New Hope Christian Camp will be hosting their Annual Fundraising Banquet on Friday, November 1st at 6pm. Tickets are \$30 per person. Our speaker this year is Pastor Tim Collins. You can register at newhopechristiancamp.org.

Weekly Men's breakfast and Bible study meets this **Saturday**, **November 2 at 7 AM** in the Fellowship Hall for breakfast and then in the Fireside Room to watch the video, break into small groups, discuss the video, and pray with and for one another.

Sign up today for Life Groups! There are sign-up sheets on the bulletin board where you can begin your own Life Group with the day of the week and time of your choosing or join one that has already been started. We hope to launch the groups by Sunday, November 3.

TEC #21 is in the plans! Missouri Valley TEC is a Christ-centered ministry dedicated to bringing teens into vital relationship with God, developing strong Christian leaders in their communities and the world.

Dates: November 22-24, 2024 Go to movalleytec.org for all applications: candidate, teen worker and Adult worker. Questions? Call Shawn Wynia 605-680-2244 or Kris Kuipers 605-680-4694

Prayer Praises and Concerns

Those in nursing and assisted living homes or home-bound:

Bud Bakken, Mary Lee Erickson, Ruth Gruenig, Laura Johnson, Moe Johnson, Richard Johnson, George & Nancy Miller, Caroline Peterson

Please pray for:

- Please pray for Peggy & Pr. Dave & their entire family as they mourn the death of Peggy's mom, Phyllis Olesen, on October 21st. Praise God Phyllis knew & loved Jesus and was eagerly waiting to go home. Thank God for the peaceful way she left this earth. Pray her family & friends can find comfort, love, joy, peace, strength, & hope in the arms of Jesus. Her visitation will be Sunday, November 3rd at Opsahl-Kostel Funeral Home in Yankton from 5 to 7 PM with a Prayer & Share service to follow. Her Celebration of Life service will be Monday, November 4th at 10:30 AM at St. Benedict's Catholic Church in Yankton. Pray for safe travel for all who attend.
- Please pray for Karen Dimick's brother, Roger Johnson, 87, who is
 hospitalized in the Madison, SD Hospital to undergo physical therapy. Pray
 for the Lord's healing touch on his broken right arm, for his PT to go well,
 and for God to comfort & strengthen Roger, his wife, Judy, & all their
 loved ones.
- Please also pray for Roger & Judy's daughter, Dana Hanson, who is
 hospitalized at Sanford Hospital in Sioux Falls. Her breathing tube was
 removed earlier this week, and she was able to breathe fine with no
 assistance. However, she is still unconscious. Pray, in Jesus's name, that
 He would touch her with His healing hand, restoring her brain & any other
 part of her body that was affected. Pray for a miracle!
- Please pray for those ravaged by hurricanes Helene & Milton. Pray they would know God's comfort, peace, & provision in the loss of their loved ones, homes, businesses, pets, & possessions. Pray for an amazing outpouring of food, water, clothing, & medical supplies, and for good, safe shelters for all who need housing in the storm-damaged areas. Pray for those missing loved ones, that they would soon be found and that many of those would live. Pray for all the needed government & emergency services necessary to restore electricity, clean running water, and needed infrastructure. Pray for the Church to respond in a big way & for our church to give generously, pray earnestly, & help in as many ways as possible to help this area of the country recover.

- Praise God Karla Kuipers received good news from her scan on October 8th. Thank Him the scan showed no signs of cancer. Pray the nodules they are seeing on her lung turns out to simply be inflammation. Pray her scan in 2 months would be even more encouraging. Pray also that she & her loved ones feel the Lord's close-abiding presence, comfort, peace, & love.
- Please pray for our country to have God's wisdom, discernment, & guidance in the upcoming election. Pray He would guide us in choosing the best-qualified candidates & would show us how to make the right choices among the various referendums. Pray for our country to not become polarized by this election, but rather, to become stronger & more focused on God.
- Praise God for the abundant harvests being reaped on the farms & ranches in our area. Pray for God's continued provision & protection throughout the harvest season. Pray he would keep our farmers & ranchers safe from accident, injury, fires, & storms. Thank Him for His abundant mercy, grace, & blessings.
- Please pray for Dave's & Peggy's new daughter-in-law, Koni, that her application for a visa into the U.S. would be expedited so she could soon join John in the U.S. Pray John's apartment in Pierre would provide a comfortable temporary home for them and for an affordable house to come on the market soon. Thank God that John seems to like his job & enjoys the people he's working with. Please pray he would enjoy his job more with each passing day.
- Praise God Mike Erickson continues to do well. Thank Him Mike's cancer numbers continue to be very low & his tumor is shrinking. Pray God would stabilize his blood sugar levels and relieve the arthritic pain in his knee.
 Pray for Mike and all his loved ones to know God's close-abiding love & presence & for he & his family to have an abundant harvest.
- Please continue to pray for Bud Bakken as he recovers from his hip surgery. Pray he would have less pain & would feel stronger with each passing day. Pray he would feel the Lord's comfort, love, & presence.
- Please keep Pr. Mike DeJager from 1st Reformed Church in your prayers.
 He recently had another stem cell procedure for his neck in hopes of
 reducing the abnormal measurements even further. Praise God the
 procedure went well. Please pray the Lord's hand would be upon Mike in
 his recovery and that his neck would be greatly improved by this
 procedure. Pray for Mike & his family to know the Lord's comfort & peace
 throughout.
- Please keep Calvary Baptist Church in your prayers as they search for a replacement for Pr. Dave Anderson. Pray God would make clear to the Call Committee exactly who they are to call, and that person would not only bless Calvary but would bless our entire community.