

This Week

Tues. Men's Bible Study 6 am
Wed. GEMS 6:30 pm
Lunch: Mckenna G.
JAM at Raymond 7 pm
Lunch: Haley Y.

Next Sunday:

8:45 am – Sunday School
10:00 am – AM Worship Service
5:30 pm – PM Worship Service
7:00 pm – Jr. JAM at Bunde
Lunch: Maggie S.

10/20 Cookies: Barb Bonnema, Jamie Bestge, Betty Goeman,
Aimee TeBrake

Offerings: AM – General
PM – General

Ministry Servers: *October 20th*
AM Accompanist: Aimee TeBrake
PM Accompanist: Kendra Ahrenholz
AM Power point: Lexi Wubben
Sound: Micah Groen
AM Video: Alex Roelofs
Nursery: Mary Erickson, Tyler Wubben, Logan Roelofs
Library: Jolene Bonnema & Elaine Blom
Ushers: Matt Beerman & Joel TeBrake
Greeters: Lucas & Karisa Van Eps (E)
Florence Visser (W)

WE WORSHIP AND PRAISE OUR GOD

Welcome to our Worship Service at *Raymond Christian Reformed Church*. Please be mindful to those who are preparing their hearts for worship as you enter the sanctuary.

Anyone desiring spiritual counseling or experiencing a family crisis, contact the Pastor or a visiting Elder (Doug E. and Merle S.) at any time.

A nursery is available in the West hallway with attendants present for childcare for our morning worship service.

"Harvest Hope Worship Service"

An area-wide combined (CRC/RCA) service

Tonight, Sunday October 13th at 6 pm
Unity CRC in Prinsburg

Offerings: AM – General
PM – World Renew - Disaster Relief Services

Ministry Servers: *October 13th*
AM Accompanist: Tami Greenwaldt
AM Power point: Ashley Roelofs
Sound: Doug Zimmer
AM Video: Tyler Wubben
Nursery: Sondra Yuen, Blake Greenwaldt, Maggie Setrum
Library: Jolene Bonnema & Elaine Blom
Ushers: Matt Beerman & Joel TeBrake
Greeters: Wayne & Kim Tensen (E)
Jeryl VanderPol (W)

Pastor Appreciation Sunday

Join us in the Fellowship Hall following the worship service today to celebrate Pastor Aaron.

Prayers & Praises

- Continuing health concerns & recovery: *JoAnne Slagter, Kary Brower, Mavis Zimmer, Bill & Betty Goeman, Lyla Thielen, Reynold Roelofs, Beverly Carlson, Geneva Grussing, Sharon Blom, Fred Grussing, and George Parker*
- *Congratulations to Gene & Edith Tensen on the birth of their 3rd grandchild, Caroline Kay Tensen, born to Aaron & Sara Tensen.*
- *Prayer for our shut-ins, as well as others not mentioned in our church family who struggle with physical, mental, or spiritual needs.*

Raymond CRC Family Prayer List

Alma Blom
Craig & Kelli Blom
Gordon & Elaine Blom

A Call to Worship and Prayer - Everyone is invited to an area-wide combined (CRC/RCA) "Harvest Hope Worship Service" TONIGHT at 6 pm at Unity CRC. Harvest is underway. There's thanksgiving for the potential. There's also lament for what is not manifesting. Intercession is needed for those despairing of circumstances. We are coming together to renew our hope and trust in God in all things. An offering will be taken for World Renew - Disaster Relief Services -- offering hope to those devastated in the Midwest by the flooding this year. Coffee and refreshments follow the service. Let's bind our hearts together and stand with one another in a spirit of Hope. This service will be livestreamed on YouTube.com under "Unity Christian Reformed Church".

You are cordially invited to a Farewell Open House TODAY from 1-3 pm at Unity CRC for Abby Zwart as she prepares to begin her work in Haiti later this month. Come share your well-wishes and encouragement and prayers as she begins this new chapter in life. Refreshments and sweets provided.

Ladies Aid will be making apple pies on Tues., Oct. 22nd at 9 am at church. If you are interested in helping, please come.

Thank you for all the prayers, calls, cards, and words of encouragement during my cancer treatments and, also at the time of my sister's death. This church family has been such a blessing to us.

Thank you again, Kary Brower

Thank you to the Wubben's, Tensen's, Cory Erickson, and Chad Taatjes for the use of their equipment when updating the landscaping and playground. And thanks to those you donated their time to help.

Building Committee

Thank you for being a part of the Prinsburg Church Softball League! Thank you for supporting our communities and for supporting our concession stand! We use the funds raised at the concession stand to pay for all coaches and umpires during our summer night leagues. We also use the funds to maintain our fields and upgrade our equipment. Thank you so much! We truly appreciate your support!

Prinsburg Baseball Boosters

Combined Reformation Service: First CRC of Prinsburg invites you to join the area RCA and CRCs as we celebrate the Reformation. We will worship together Sun., Oct. 27th at 6 pm at Bethany Reformed Church. Please join us as we bring praise and worship to our Lord who has given us Grace alone, through Scripture alone, through Faith alone, in Christ alone, to the Glory of God alone!

Reformation Choir: Calling all singers for the combined Reformation service. We will have a mass choir sing during the service and we'd like to have you join us! If you'd like to sing, please pick up the song from your church secretary. We will be practicing on Wed., Oct. 23rd at 7 pm at Bethany Church, as well as 5:15 pm on Sun., Oct. 27th before the service. We hope to see you there and thank you for your participation in this service!

Kandiyohi County TRIAD (Law Enforcement, Community and Seniors working together for senior safety) will meet on Tues., Oct. 22nd at 9 am at the Kandiyohi County Rescue Squad Building, 213 Lakeland Drive SE, Willmar. Open to all community members interested in learning more about Senior Safety. October topic: Fire/Home Safety Awareness. Coffee and treats provided.

Sunday School Memory Work:

Preschool & Kindergarten: Proverbs 3:5

1st & 2nd Grade: Luke 2:6-10

3rd & 4th Grade: OT Books: Genesis -Malachi

5th & 6th Grade: Romans 6:23 & Hebrews 9:27

7th & 8th Grade: Apostles Creed

High School: Lords Day 1 Q&A 1&2 and Lord's Day 2

Central MN Christian Superintendent Search Committee

Update: As of September 18, the Opportunity Profile (OP) was posted to various channels of distribution for potential Superintendent Candidates. The OP outlines an overview of the school and the key qualifications and characteristics of a competent servant leader for this role at CMCS. This document is accessible for the review of our greater school family at:

<https://www.cmcschool.org/about/employment-opportunities.cfm> We encourage you to share the OP with interested individuals or reach to out to the search team with potential leads, your networks and ideas are invaluable. Please contact any of the search team committee members or via email at search@cmcschool.org.

Dordt University's Andreas Center is hosting the **Presidential Politics Conference of Iowa (PPCI) on October 24-26th**. This national, cross-disciplinary event will be the second meeting of scholars focusing on presidential elections and presidential power, and its underlying theme is executive leadership for the common good. Confirmed speakers include **Emma Green, John Inazu, Daniel McCarthy, and Michael Wear**. Find more information visit www.theandreascenter.org/ppci or register at <https://ppci2019.eventbrite.com>. Contact Emily Rowe at emily.rowe@dordt.edu or by calling 722-6434 with any questions.

West Central Dementia Awareness Network Fall Event: Tues., Oct. 22nd from 3:30-7:30 pm at Willmar Community Center. Dr. David Newcomer will speak on "The Difficult Journey of Dementia", presentation by Project Life Saver and Kandiyohi County TRIAD (Senior Safety), supper & networking. All are welcome; freewill donations accepted. Call 320-235-1901 to reserve your spot; free respite care provided on-site by Bethesda Day Break—must be pre-registered.

MAC N CHEESE PLEASE: The MAC-PAC program provides weekend food for hungry MACCRAY students. Entrees are the most expensive component so we are running a campaign to collect needed items: microwavable Mac N Cheese in a cup, chicken noodle, alphabet, or chicken & stars soup (10.5 oz), beef ravioli, Spaghetti-Os (15oz apx.), and peanut butter(16 oz). Standard size works best because of limited backpack room. Every day we get to say, "What would I like to eat?" Some kids say, "Will I eat today?" Note: a collection box is available near the narthex table through October.

"Refuse To Be A Victim": Learn how to create layers of safety in your life to protect yourself and your family from today's criminal. Attend the "Refuse To Be a Victim" crime prevention and personal safety seminar, a program of the National Rifle Association. You will get the tools you need to develop your own personal safety strategies, including information on: The Psychology of the Criminal Mind, Mental Preparedness, Home & Phone Security, Automobile & Travel Security, Personal & Technological Security, and more! Join us at the Raymond Community Center on Thurs., Oct. 24th at 7 pm. This event is FREE! This seminar will be led by certified instructors from the Kandiyohi County Sheriff's Office.

Promise 5k, Kid Fun Run and Free Pancake Feed: Run in the inaugural Promise 5k happening **this Sat.**, Oct. 26th at the MinnWest Campus in Willmar, MN! This is a great opportunity to run with purpose and raise funds that support children and families in Northern Haiti. Runners, families and supports are invited to come eat pancakes following race activities at the Willmar Community Center. Free will donations to benefit Children of the Promise. Learn more about the activities happening that morning by going to our even page on Facebook by searching "Promise 5k, kid fun run & virtual run/walk".

The CMCS music department would like to invite the community to the annual 9-12 Fall Concert on Thurs., Oct. 17th at 7 pm, featuring the Concert Band and Concert Choir in the Event Center. Band selections feature fun, programmatic works from Steven Reineke, Eric Whitacre, and Michael Sweeney. Choral pieces include an African freedom song, a fun arrangement of "His Eye is on the Sparrow", and a piece which requires your voices as well! Come and enjoy an evening of great music!

“We can Change the World Through Family” a fundraiser benefiting Bethany Christian Services of MN will be held on Fri., Oct. 25th at 6 pm at the Outpost Conference Center, Chaska MN. Family changes everything for children and we believe every child deserves to be loved, connected and safe. Join us and our special guest, Sara Groves, for an inspiring evening and learn more about standing for children, close to home and around the world. Tickets are \$50 per person. RSVP by Mon., Oct. 21st at <https://bethany.org/locations/us/minnesota/plymouth/events/together-we-can-change-the-world-through-family>

Bunde MOMS (formally MOPS) is having a **Butter Braid fundraiser**. MOMS is a ministry which supports mothers of children from infants to Kindergarten. MOMS create a welcoming environment for moms to connect in friendship, contribute via service, knowledge and gifts, and grow spiritually and personally. If you are interested in supporting this ministry, complete the Butter Braid form on the Narthex Table by Sun., Nov. 3rd. Butter Braids will be delivered to church on Sun., Nov. 24th. Monetary donations will also be accepted. Questions and payments/donations (checks payable to “Bunde MOMS”) can be delivered to Sondra Yuen.