

This Week

Wed. Ladies Aid 2 pm – Lesson 3
Lunch: Carolyn A.; Prayer: Sandy W.
GEMS 6:30 pm
JAM at Bunde 7 pm

Next Sunday:

8:45 am – Sunday School
10:00 am – AM Worship Service – Pulpit Supply

Ministry Servers: October 11th

AM Accompanist: Kendra Ahrenholz

Power point: Darci Post

Sound: Doug Zimmer

AM Video: Scott Wubben

Library: Char Sietsema and Chris Bonnema

***Ushers:** Randy Bonnema & Michael Heida

***Door Greeters:** Clark & Megan Feikema (E)
Mackenzie Fragodt (W)

*Those who are not comfortable, please contact Lora so other arrangements can be made.

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 (Tim M. Todd P.) at any time.

Offerings: AM – General

Noisy Offering will also be available in the Narthex

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Power point: Lexi Wubben

Sound: Clark Feikema

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Jerry & Caryl Erickson (W)

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October is Pastor Appreciation Month

“Each one should use whatever gift he has received to serve others, faithfully administering God’s Grace.” 1 Peter 4:10

WE CARE ABOUT OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Prayers & Praises

- Continuing health concerns & recovery: *Lexi Wubben, Rose Epema, Joyce Slagter, Craig Zondervan, Mack Carlson, Steve Boonstra, Jodi Mulholand, Roz Geels, Lyla Thielen, Reynold Roelofs, Beverly Carlson, Geneva Grussing, Sharon Blom, and George Parker*
- 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

Clyde & Tammy Slagter

Curt & JoAnne Slagter

Tim & Joan Stutelberg

Sunday School will begin in-house next Sunday, Oct. 11th at 8:45 am.

The council seeks nominees for Elder and Deacon. Please inform an Elder prior to Wed., Oct. 21st council meeting.

The newest *Our Daily Bread* (large print) is available. Please contact Lora in the office for a copy.

Raymond CRC will be helping with the Raymond-Bunde GEMS meal on Wed., Oct. 7th. Please see the Offering podium to volunteer.

Pastor Aaron will be on vacation from Mon., Oct. 5th thru Sun., Oct. 18th. If you need immediate assistance, please contact an Elder.

Fireside Fellowship for all ages: Pastor Aaron and Michelle invites you to join them for Fireside Fellowship by the fire pit in their backyard. Join them TONIGHT at 6:30 pm, weather permitting. Bring your favorite camp chair. S'mores and hot beverages will be available.

Council Updates:

Nursery: Will be available for families but not staffed.

Fellowship: Will be served out of the kitchen.

Mailboxes: Will be available.

Coloring Boards: Will be available.

*Prayer Requests for the evening service may be submitted to Pastor Aaron or Lora either by email or phone/text.

Pastor Aaron: pastoraaron@raymondcrc.org or 616.481.6019

Lora : secretary@raymondcrc.org or 320.444.0272

How very thankful we are for our very loving and caring church family! All the prayers, calls, cards, the prayer chains that I even got to hear, just made me realize God was so very present and caring for me. The one nurse was in the room at the time and she said, "What a wonderful way to let you know they are praying for you, cause everyone needs God's love!" Pastor Aaron for all his calls and concerns when depression really hit! But God was very loving as only He is! To God be the Glory He chose for me to still be here! Again, our deepest thanks and prayers are still so very needed!

Praise and Thanks, Merle & Rose Epema

COFFEE, Kwik Trip CAR WASHES, APPLE CRISP: All of these items are available for purchase to help support the Haiti Literacy Program. All would make great gifts for family and friends. Coffee comes in several roasts (\$15/bag), Kwik Trip Car Wash cards (5 washes for \$36), and homemade apple crisp is available for a suggested donation of (\$10 for a 9x9 or \$15 for a 9x13). Place your order by **Tues., Oct. 6th** by texting or calling Christy Groen at **320-212-9643**. Thanks for your support!

Veteran's Build Applications Now Being Accepted: Habitat for Humanity of West Central Minnesota is seeking applicants for our upcoming Veteran's Build in Willmar which will be designated for a local military individual or family. Persons interested in Habitat's Homeownership Program may apply now through Nov. 20. Applications can be picked up in the Habitat office located at: 2424 1st St S. in Willmar or mailed by calling 320-231-2704 or toll free 1-877-926-6434. Office hours are Tues. – Fri. from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm.