

This Week

Tues. Children's Christmas Program 5:30 pm

Wed. Christmas Morning Service 9:30 am

Next Sunday:

NO Sunday School

10:00 am – AM Worship Service – Pastor Chris Alle

5:30 pm – PM Worship Service – Pastor Art Miller

12/29 Cookies: Elaine Blom, Sandy Wubben, Kayla Fragodt, Marge Groen

**Offerings: AM – General
PM – General**

Ministry Servers: *December 25th*

Accompanist: Aimee TeBrake

Power point: Darci Post

Sound: Josh Bestge

AM Video: Tyler Wubben

Nursery: Mary Erickson, Chloe Bendickson, Cayden Wubben

Ushers: Randy Bonnema & Brad Heida

Greeters: Emma Bonnema (E)
Greg & Cheryl Bonnema (W)

Ministry Servers: *December 29th*

AM Accompanist: Cindy Ammermann

PM Accompanist: Kendra Ahrenholz

Power point: Derrick Beerman

Sound: Clark Feikema

AM Video: Alex Roelofs

Nursery: Anna Post, Derrick Beerman, Matthew Bestge

Library: Sandy Wubben, Jolene Bonnema

Ushers: Randy Bonnema & Brad Heida

Greeters: Mike & Jolene Bonnema (E)
Randy & Barb Bonnema (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 (Todd P. and Tim M.) at any time.

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

You are invited to a **Combined Candlelight Service** TODAY at 5:30 pm. The service will be led by our JAM students. The offering will be for the Youth Mission Trip to West Virginia in July 2020. Refreshments will be served following the service.

**Offerings: AM – General
PM – Youth Mission trip to West Virginia**

Ministry Servers: *December 22nd*

AM Accompanist: Tami Greenwaldt

PM Accompanist: Kendra Ahrenholz

AM & PM Power point: Lexi Wubben

Sound: Micah Groen

AM Video: Levi Post

Nursery: Sondra Yuen, Blake Greenwaldt, Caleb Greydanus
(please be available for the PM service)

Library: Sandy Wubben, Jolene Bonnema

Ushers: Randy Bonnema & Brad Heida

Greeters: Bennett & Deb Bonnema (E)
Chris Bonnema (W)

WE CARE ABOUT OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Prayers & Praises

- Continuing health concerns & recovery: *Jodi Mulhuland, Roz Geels, Lyla Thielen, Reynold Roelofs, Beverly Carlson, Geneva Grussing, Sharon Blom, and George Parker*
- Our condolences to the Bonnema families in the passing of their Aunt, Fran Bonnema (wife of Harvey Bonnema), from Olympia, Washington.
- 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

Brad & Tami Greenwaldt (Ryan, Ellie, Blake)
Aaron & Michelle Greydanus (Ari, Caleb, Eli, Katelyn)
Caleb Groen

A box has been placed on the Narthex table if you'd like to contribute toward a Christmas Appreciation Gift for Pastor Aaron and family.

Guessing Game: TODAY IS THE LAST DAY TO PLAY!!! Can you guess how much the Noisy Offering has helped to support the future Haiti Missions trips? Guesses placed on the table behind the Sanctuary. Prizes for adults and children. Closest without going over wins! Contest Ends on Sun., Dec. 22nd following the am service. Winners announced 5 minutes after the service.

Newly Elected Elders & Deacons:

Elders: Mike Bonnema and Mike Groen
Deacons: Jon Setrum and Wayne Tensen

Church Office Holiday Hours:

12/23 & 12/24 – Pastor Aaron and Lora will be in the office.
12/26 – Pastor Aaron and Lora will be in the office.
12/27 – Pastor Aaron and Lora will NOT be in the office.
12/30 – 1/3 – Pastor Aaron will NOT be in the office. Contact an Elder, if needed.

Children's Christmas Program

Tues., Dec. 24th at 5:30 pm

"Red-Letter Christmas"

Please have your students to church by 5:10 pm.

There will be NO Sunday School on Sun., Dec. 29th.

St. John's Lutheran Church invites you to join them at their free Christmas dinner on Wed., Dec. 25th at noon. RSVP to Sue Goeman (894-9716) or Dan Goeman (894-5546).

Sunshine Corner Items Due Tues., Dec. 24th.

Calvin University presents the January Series: *Listen, Learn, Discern* between January 8th – January 28th from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm at Unity CRC. A light lunch will be served after each session. Interested, please pick up a brochure on the Narthex table.

The Prinsburg GEMS will be hosting a Taco-In-A-Bag supper fundraiser on Fri., Jan. 10th from 5-7 pm in the CMCS Event Center during the boys basketball game vs YME. It is a free-will donation. Come out for a night of food, fun and fellowship!

Men: Save the Date: Rock of Life CRC is excited to host our Annual "Men with No Regrets" conference on Sat., Feb. 1st. There will be several great speakers and plenty of good food to keep us fired up! Plan to bring friends and family members who would benefit from being challenged to give our very best as we work at becoming the Men of God we are called to be. Doors open at 7:30 am for check-in, coffee and donuts. Live stream begins at 8:30 am. The cost is \$25 and includes lunch. To register, go online at www.rockoflifecrc.org and click on No Regrets Men's Conference, or call/email Renae at 320-235-3060 or willmarcrc@gmail.com. Hope to see you all there along with some of your friends!

There will be NO library on Sun., Dec. 29th.