

This Week:

Wed. GEMS 6:30 pm
JAM at Bunde CRC 7pm

Next Sunday: April 25th

8:45 am – Sunday School
10:00 am – Morning Worship Service
5:30 pm – Evening Reflection via YouTube channel

4/25 Cookies: Sandy Wubben, Kendra Ahrenholz, Norma Blom, Elaine Blom, Emma Bonnema, Kim Erickson

Offerings:

AM – General, Noisy Offering

Ministry Servers: April 25th

AM Accompanist: Cindy Ammermann

Power point: Morgan Taatjes

Sound: Clark Feikema

AM Video: Natasha Erickson

Nursery: Meg Feikema, Ari Greydanus, Ryan Erickson

Library: Marge Groen and Tammy Slagter

***Ushers:** Glenn Brower & Matt Beerman

***Door Greeters:** Glenn & Kary Brower (E)
Mack Carlson (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 (Tim S. & Bennett B.) at any time.

Offerings:

AM – Split between JAM, Jr. JAM, GEMS, and Cadets

Ministry Servers: April 18th

*** Morning worship service will be held at Bunde CRC for Youth Sunday at 10:00 am. There will be NO Sunday School.** If you feel uncomfortable attending, please participate in the service through Bunde CRC's YouTube channel.

****Evening Reflection Service will be from 2 Kings 6:24 – 7:2 via Raymond CRC's YouTube channel.**

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

WE CARE ABOUT OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Prayers & Praises

- Continuing health concerns & recovery: *Karen Nieuwbeerta, Selma Hubers, Arie Tensen, Lydia Hoogeveen, Lexi Wubben, Craig Zondervan, Mack Carlson, Steve Boonstra, Lyla Thielen, Reynold Roelofs, Geneva Grussing, Sharon Blom, and George Parker.*
- Prayers for Selma Hubers as she will be having a heart procedure on Tuesday at St. Cloud Hospital.
- *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

George Parker

Anna Post

Levi and Katrina Post

GEMS Mother/Daughter Banquet will be held at Bunde CRC on Wed., Apr. 28th from 6:30 – 8:15 pm with supper being provided. There will be a featuring presentation by Grace Johnson, *“The Potter’s Heart”*. Pottery will be available for purchase. *If your mom is unable to attend, please invite your Grandma, Aunt, or another adult female friend.

The Raymond Ambulance is having their Annual Flower Sale and orders are now being accepted. Please pick up an order form on the Narthex table and submit to Judy Heida by Tues., Apr. 20th. Flowers must be picked up on Wed., May 5th between 6:30-7:30 pm at the Raymond Community Center - just in time for Mother’s Day.

The Christian Motorcycle Association (CMA) will begin their season on Thurs., Apr. 22nd at 6 pm. Meet at Willmar Motorsports for a “rider briefing and Kickstands up at 6:15 pm”. They will continue meeting the 1st and 3rd Thurs. of the month - May thru Sept. For questions, call 507-627-5069 or email: jimjennyscoates@gmail.com. We you can check out their website at cmausa.org.

Sunshine Corner items due Wednesday, April 21st.

Upcoming Concerts at CMCS

- ✓ 6-12 Choir Concert: Mon., Apr. 19th at 7 pm the HS Gym
- ✓ K-5 Spring Program: Thurs., Apr. 22nd at 7 pm in the HS Gym
- ✓ 9-12 Pops Concert: Tue., May 18th at 7 pm in the HS Gym

We have recently seen a few positive cases of covid surface within our school community. Therefore, we ask that you take precautionary measures when attending and stay home if you have symptoms. Family or community members who are uncomfortable gathering in larger groups are welcome to watch online from home on our YouTube channel. Our live streaming team works hard to ensure a great experience for our constituency.

The Haiti Literacy Team is working on a new fundraiser with moms in mind. Place your order for practical, useful and decorative dish towels. We are making flour sack towels with the shape of the state of Minnesota on them in seasonal prints. You can choose a set of 4 - one of each season, a matching set of 2 or a single towel. Prices and more information are on the Haiti Literacy Program Facebook page or from one of the team members. Team members are: Paulaine Jean Louis (320-212-1878), Christy Groen (320-212-9643), Stacy Schwitters (320-979-0196), Kris TeBrake (320-894-6394), Megan Erickson (712-363-3043) and Valor Gorans (320-905-6164). Order on our Facebook page or by contacting a team member. Orders are due by Mon., Apr. 26th. Orders can be picked up on Mon., May 3rd at Unity CRC where you will be able to choose your colors and put your sets together yourself OR you can let us choose for you and deliver them to you in time for Mother’s Day gifts. These also make great bridal shower gifts. Thanks for your support!

CMCS Open House: You are invited to an Open House on Thurs., Apr. 29th from 6:30 to 8:00 pm in the CMCS Event Center, with a Community worship time at 7:30 pm. We invite all who are curious about how a Christ-centered education will impact your child as we help them develop into effective kingdom citizens who are in the world but not of it. There is no RSVP required.