LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

10:30 AM [Trinity Hymnal Tr. Psalter]

WELCOME in the Name of the LORD! We are glad you are here and hope you are blessed as you worship with us. Please sign our guest book and fill out a visitor card.

We worship by entering into the presence of Almighty God by His Spirit and Word on the basis of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ's finished work. We come to HIM Who is supremely worthy of praise:

"And they sang a new song, saying: "You are worthy to take the scroll, and to open its seals; for You were slain, and have redeemed us to God by Your blood, out of every tribe and tongue and people and nation, and have made us kings and priests to our God. And we shall reign on the earth." **Revelation 5:9-10**

Opening (* Please stand if able) *Call to Worship and Greeting *Invocation and Lord's Prayer *Glory Be to the Father (unannounced) \rightarrow *Nicene Creed (Forms p. 13, 846, 852) *Song 148B "Hallelujah, Praise Jehovah"

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen Amen.

Exodus 19, 20

Confession and Prayer God's Revealed Will:

Pastoral Prayer Responsive Reading: *Song 19A:1-2,5-7,9

Belgic Confession Article 17 (p. 61f) "The Heavens Declare!"

God's Word Read and Proclaimed

Scripture: Matthew 12:1-21 Text: 15-21 Sermon Inspired Commentary Reveals Christ's Motive

Points: I. His Withdrawal

II. His Kindness

III. His Instruction

IV.

Concluding Worship

Tithes and Offerings for the Ministry of ORC* "I Will Sing of My Redeemer"

*Song 650

*Benediction

*Doxology (unannounced) \rightarrow

(* online giving available see QR Code)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow Praise Him all creatures here below: Praise Him above, you heavenly host Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.

Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ." Gal. 6:2

- > PRAY FOR OUR OUTREACH TO OMAHA that the Lord would open the eyes of the blind and give spiritual life thru the Gospel of His Grace.
- > CHURCH FAMILY: Remember Justin's mom, Sue, as she will be undergoing radiation treatments for the next month. Rosemarie has some up-coming procedures--pray for patience and a good outcomes. Denise Lawson's mother and father, Donald Boucher, Jr. Donovan Johnson Family as his father passed away this week.
- > FRIENDS: Angela's dad, Dick De Groot is on kidney transplant list. Those struggling with cancer: Dianne B., Patty C., Tracie E., Van Haften Family, friend w/ diagnosed of Parkinson's.
- > **DENOMINATION: Pastor Lee Johnson** and family that Lee continues to heal. Pray for our Mission Works, labors of Rev. Matthew Powell. Mission Work in Bozeman, MT. Retired ministers and their widows.
- > **NATION:** Our country and those who lead it. We pray for those in civil and military service, judges, and those who serve in elected office.
- > WORLD: Remember those in N. Korea, China, Pakistan, and India. Early Rain Covenant Church. Fikret Bocek. Pastors, missionaries, and believers in Japan, Philippines, Nepal, Mexico, and Cuba.

Tue St. John's Consistory Meeting (in Lincoln) 7 PM Wed Midweek Bible Study and Prayer Time) 7 PM Next Sun We'll observe the Lord's Supper (no fellowship meal)

NEXT SUNDAY: THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

Next Sunday D.V. we are planning to celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Those who have professed faith in Christ and continue in good standing, are welcome to partake of the Lord's Table with us. **NOTE**: We're not planning a Fellowship Meal as it is Mother's Day.

"None can know their election but by their conformity to Christ; for all who are chosen are chosen to sanctification." — Matthew Henry

"The most offensive claim in Christianity is that God is the Creator, Owner and Judge of every person on the planet." -David Platt

"Worry: Glancing at God while gazing at circumstances. Trust: Glancing at circumstances while gazing at God. "-Matt Smethurst

"We are justified & saved by the very righteousness of Christ, and no other. He wrought it, though we wear it." —John Flavel

OUR HERITAGE

Omaha Reformed Church is a mission work of the Reformed Church in the United States (founded in 1748). Our history goes back to the Protestant Reformation of the sixteenth-century. The Reformers summarized the teachings of Scripture in several historic confessions that came to be known as **The Three Forms of Unity:** the **Heidelberg Catechism** (1563), the **Belgic Confession** (1561) and the **Canons of Dort** (1619). We embrace these confessions, along with the **Apostles, Nicene and Athanasian Creeds** of the early church, as our own. We believe they continue to accurately summarize the teachings of God's unchanging word, the Holy Bible.

OUR AUTHORITY

With the church throughout history we believe that the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments are the **only divinely inspired**, **infallible Word of God**. They are the final authority for all questions of doctrine and life. The Spirit of God creates faith in our hearts through the preaching of the Gospel. The Lord Jesus is the only Head of the Church and has appointed pastors, elders and deacons to oversee His people. As officers they affirm and vow to uphold our church confessions, make joint decisions and be accountable to their fellow officers in the Classis and Synod of the Reformed Church in the U.S.

OUR FAITH IN CHRIST

"There is no other name under heaven given among men, by whom we must be saved" (*Acts 4:12*). Jesus Christ is the only eternal Son of God and His life of perfect obedience and willing self-sacrifice for our sins is the basis of our salvation. To those who believe, He grants forgiveness of sins, true righteousness, and eternal life. These gifts, which we can neither earn nor deserve, are freely given to those who by true faith are engrafted into Him. In response to this salvation, we will be grateful and strive to live uprightly before Him. As we grow in grace, we will more and more love God, His Word and His Ways, and at the same time come to hate sin and flee from it. We trust in the grace of God to preserve us in this faith to the end. We believe that the Lord Jesus now possesses all authority in heaven and earth (Mt. 28:18) and will, on the appointed day, return to judge the living and the dead.

OUR PRAYER FOR YOU

If you're a visitor and share these convictions, we encourage you to continue worshipping with us. We have a responsibility to preserve and proclaim "**the faith once for all delivered to the saints**." We offer **rest** to the weary, **comfort** for the distressed and **hope** for all. Our members and pastor will gladly visit with you about these things.

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For Assistance call or text Pastor Randy (402)281-3263.



Omaha Reformed Church

"Where the Truth Lives!"

"But when Jesus knew it, He withdrew from there. And great multitudes followed Him, and He healed them all. Yet He warned them not to make Him known, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by Isaiah the prophet, saying: 'BEHOLD! MY SERVANT WHOM I HAVE CHOSEN, MY BELOVED IN WHOM MY SOUL IS WELL PLEASED! I WILL PUT MY SPIRIT UPON HIM, AND HE WILL DECLARE JUSTICE TO THE GENTILES." Matthew 12:15-18

Sunday, May 1, 2022

9:00 AM Discipleship 10:30 AM Worship

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