

# 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) →

\*Apostles Creed (Forms p. 12, **845, 851**)

\***Song 96**

**“Sing to the Lord, Sing His Praise”**

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.

## Confession and Prayer

God's Revealed Will:

Parts of **Leviticus 19**

Pastoral Prayer

Responsive Reading:

**Belgic Confession Article 18a (p. 61)**

\***Song 509**

**“Jesus, Lover of My Soul”**

## God's Word Read and Proclaimed

**Scripture: Matthew 12:15-30 Text: 22-30**

**Sermon DESPITE MIRACULOUS HEALING JESUS IS STILL ACCUSED**

**Points: I. An Amazing Miracle**

**II. A Discordant Controversy**

**III. An Irrefutable Logic**

**SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

## Concluding Worship

Tithes and Offerings for the Ministry of ORC\*

\***Song 355**

**“We Are God's People”**

\*Benediction

\*Doxology (unannounced) →

(\* 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 many 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. Michael Voytek.** 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.**

Mon	St. John's Consistory Meeting (in Lincoln)	7 PM
Tue	Midweek Bible Study and Prayer Time	7 PM

## **THIS SUNDAY: THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER**

**This morning** we are planning to celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Those who have professed faith in Christ and continued in the faith, are welcome to partake of the Lord's Table with us. **NOTE:** We're **NOT** planning a **Fellowship Meal** today 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 grafted 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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**OMAHA REFORMED CHURCH** is a mission work of the Reformed Church in the United States (RCUS) under the oversight of St. John's Reformed Church of Lincoln, NE. Our Pastor, Randy Klynsma has been serving Christ's Church for over 30 years proclaiming **"the Faith once for all delivered to the saints"** Jude 3.

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



# Omaha Reformed Church

*"Where the Truth Lives!"*

**"Then one was brought to Him who was demon-possessed, blind and mute; and He healed him, so that the blind and mute man both spoke and saw. AND ALL THE MULTITUDES WERE AMAZED AND SAID, 'COULD THIS BE THE SON OF DAVID?'" Matthew 12:22-23**

**Mother's Day and Lord's Supper Sunday  
Sunday, May 8, 2022**

9:00 AM Discipleship  
10:30 AM Worship

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