

LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

5:00 PM

Welcome and Announcements

Opening (* Please stand if able)

- *Call to Worship and Greeting
- *Invocation and Lord's Prayer
- ***"Glory Be to the Father"** →
- *Confessing Our Faith
- ***Hymn 62**

"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.

Apostles Creed (p. 12)

"Sing to the Lord, Sing His Praise"

Confession and Prayer

- The Reading of the Word and Will of God: **Exodus 19,20**
Pastoral Prayer
Responsive Reading: **Lord's Day 15** (p. 24)
***Hymn 45** "Now into the Jehovah, Ye Sons of the Mighty"

God's Word Proclaimed

Scripture: Ephesians 2:1-10 Text: Ephesians 2:10

Sermon: **THE INEVITABLE CONSEQUENCE OF GOOD WORKS**

1. The Objects of the Craftsman
2. The Means Used by the Craftsman
3. The Intended Goal of the Craftsman

Concluding Worship

Tithes and Offerings for the Ministry of ORC

- ***Hymn 345** "O for a Closer Walk with God"
- *Benediction
- *Doxology →

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."

WELCOME in the Name of the Lord Jesus! We are glad you are here and hope you are blessed by worshipping with us. Please fill out a visitor card to help us get to know you. As we worship we enter into the presence of God Almighty through His Spirit and Word. Through Christ we come to Him who is supremely worthy of praise. Be encouraged and remember these words:

**"You are worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honor and power;
for You created all things, and by Your will they exist and were
created."**

Revelation 4:11

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

- **PRAY FOR OUR MINISTRY EFFORTS** Pray that the Lord would bless our witness to the Gospel of Jesus Christ and draw many to Himself.
- It looks like we will be leasing the building at **4905 N 96th St, Omaha, NE 68134** for our new place to worship. We hope to hold our first morning worship service there on May 1.
- The **Klynsmas** and their transition to Omaha. Everything with the sale and purchase seems to be moving forward. Their move out date is May 25 (their anniversary); move in days May 26+27.
- Pray for the **Mission Works in the RCUS**. This week remember **Rev. Michael Voytek** and his labors in Cerritos, CA (and his son David who is a missionary associate in China).
- **Heidi Stetler**, wife of **Rev. Stetler**, is doing well. Also remember RCUS Pastors, **B. Powell** and **Lloyd Gross**.

REV. DR. KOERNER WILL BE FILLING IN NEXT WEEK

We're happy to announce that **Dr. Maynard Koerner** will be teaching our Sunday School Class and preaching for us next week.

THE KLYNSMAS WILL BE ON VACATION NEXT WEEK

Randy and Julie (and his brother and sister in law) are planning to ride the **Katy Bike Trail** from Clinton to Machens, MO. It sounds pretty ambitious, but thankfully there are hotels and bed and breakfasts along the way that will provide rest and sustenance along the way.

UPCOMING EVENTS

THU NO BIBLE STUDY FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS
SUNDAY SCHOOL AND WORSHIP NEXT SUNDAY AT 4:00 AND 5:00 PM

The Nature of Public Worship **THE LORD'S DAY**

Since the end of the creation week, God has commanded that one day in seven be set aside as a day of rest and worship (**Gen. 2:4**). In New Testament times the Lord's Day, which commemorates the resurrection of Christ, has become the weekly day of rest which is to be kept holy in accordance with the Fourth Commandment (**Heb. 4:9**), and is to be dedicated to God's glory by the gathering of His people in public worship. Such public worship services held each Lord's Day and on other occasions at the call of the Consistory are official church gatherings at which all of God's children are required to be in attendance unless providentially hindered (**Heb. 10:25**).

OUR HERITAGE

Omaha Reformed Church is a member congregation 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.

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**.

Pastor Randy Klynsma is our mission pastor and has been serving Christ's Church for over 25 years, earnestly proclaiming **"the faith once for all delivered to the saints"** Jude 3. He can be reached at **(402)281-3263**

Omaha Reformed Church

"Where the Truth Lives!"

**"For we are His
workmanship, created in
Christ Jesus for good
works, which God
prepared beforehand
that we should walk in
them."** Ephesians 2:10

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Worshipping at **5:00 PM**
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