# LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

# Welcome and Announcements

# **Opening** (\* *Please stand if able*)

\*Call to Worship and Greeting

\*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

\*Glory Be to the Father

\*Apostles Creed (p.12)

"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."

"Brethren, We Have Met to Worship"

# **Confession and Praver**

\*Hymn 381

The Reading of the Word and Will of God: Exodus 19,20 **Pastoral Prayer Responsive Reading:** Lord's Day 32 (p.39)

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\*Hvmn 489 "Lord. Like a Publican I Stand"

# God's Word Read and Applied

Scripture: Ephesians 6:1-9 Text: Ephesians 6:1-3 Sermon: Submitting to One Another Children to Parents Points: I. The Need for this Exhortation

- II. The Focus of this Exhortation
- III. The Promise of this Exhortation

# **IV.** The Representative of this Exhortation

# **Concluding Worship**

Tithes and Offerings for the Ministry of ORC

- "How Shall the Young Direct Their Way?" \*Hymn 148
- \*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 worshiping with us. Please sign or quest book and fill out a visitor card to help us get to know you. As we worship we enter into the presence of the 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 OUTREACH TO OMAHA that the Lord would bless our witness to the Gospel of Jesus Christ and draw many to Him. We can plant and water the seed, but only God can make it grow. We trust that in His providence He will use us and our efforts to find and gather his flock.
- > HEALTH CONCERNS: the Boucher's Grandmother (mobility) and Mary Lincoln's daughter Sienna. Haddocks: time with family. Julie Klynsma will have surgery on her hand on August 23.
- > SCHOOL AND TRAVEL: Donald and Melanie Boucher and Maggie Klynsma are or will be traveling to school this week.
- > CULTURAL CONCERNS: Pray for our country, especially those in civil and military service, and the upcoming election.
- > Pray for the **Mission Works in the RCUS**. This week remember Rev. Matthew Powell and his efforts to establish another congregation in Casper, WY.
- > As we're growing in grace and knowledge of the Lord Jesus Christ, let's pray for each other, especially as Summer comes to an end and we near the beginning of the school year.

# UPCOMING EVENTS

### **NO WED EVENING BIBLE STUDY** TIL SEPTEMBER

# Instructive Quotations

"Sin tastes sweet but turns bitter in our stomachs. Holiness often tastes bitter but turns sweet in our stomachs. –Garv Thomas

"Hell is full of people who think they deserve heaven. Heaven is full of people who know they deserve hell." -Trevin Wax

"God cannot give us a happiness and peace apart from Himself, because it is not there. There is no such thing." – C.S. Lewis

"Worry is not believing God will get it right, and bitterness is believing God got it wrong." – Tim Keller

# Fear of God

(Worship Principles from the RCUS Directory of Worship) It is necessary for God's people to come into His presence with a deep sense of awe at the thought of His perfect holiness and their own great sinfulness. They are to enter into His gates with thanksgiving and into His courts with praise for the great salvation which He has so graciously provided for them through His only begotten Son, and has applied to them by the Holy Spirit.

10:30 AM

# **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.

# **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**. **Pastor Randy Klynsma** is our 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 the church phone # (402)281-3263

# Omaha Reformed Church

"Where the Truth Lives!"

"Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. 'Honor your father and mother,' which is the first commandment with promise: 'that it may be well with you and you may live long on the earth.'" Ephesians 6:1-3

# August 14, 2016

Sunday Worship at 4905 N 96th Street Omaha, NE 68134

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