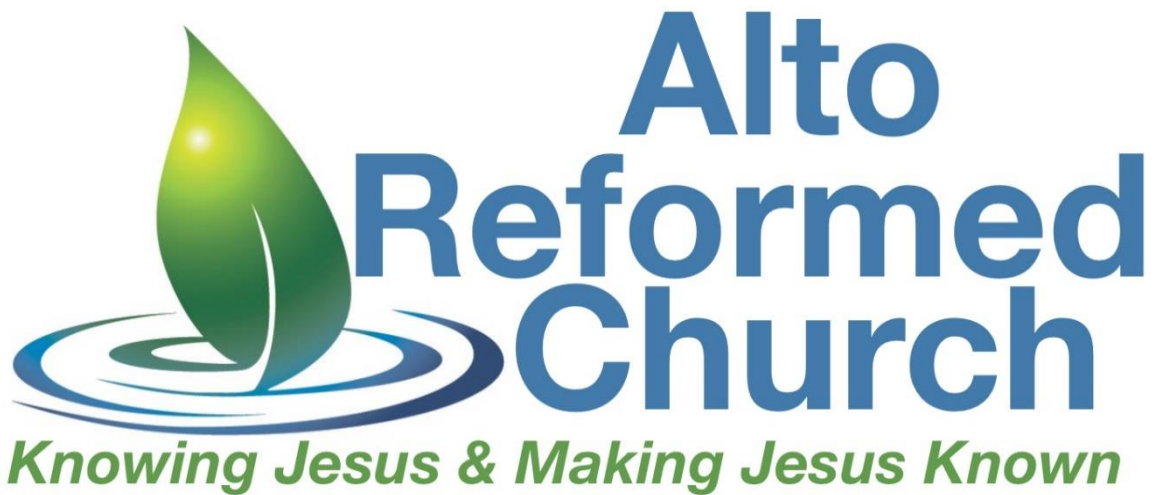


**August 18, 2019**



**The ARC Ministry Staff**

Lead Pastor – Kevin Van Wyk

Equipping Youth Director – Jessa Ter Beest – Tues & Wed 9am – 2pm

Equipping Children & Families Director – Adrea Daane – Tues & Wed 8am – 3pm

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We have come here today to magnify and worship our wonderful Lord. We are so happy that you have joined us, and we want to welcome you. We hope you will be blessed through God's Word and feel His presence here. If you are a visitor, please take a moment to fill out a Connection Card (found in your pew) and place it in the offering plate. Join us for coffee, juice, and snacks in the lobby after the service.

Preparation: You are encouraged to pray silently asking God to soften your heart to hear His voice.

## **We Approach God**

Welcome & Announcements

Greet one another

Praise Singing

“Lord, Reign in Me”

“Trust & Obey” Hymn #586

“You Are My All in All”

Congregational Prayer

## **We Hear God's Word**

At this time, children 3 years old – incoming 5<sup>th</sup> grade are dismissed for Walk Out Worship in the carpeted area of the basement.

Message – Handling the Sword: Don't Just Ride the Bus!

Scripture – 2 Timothy 2:15, Acts 8:26-40

## **We Respond to God**

Prayer

Communion

Offering – Sawyer Bruins & Winton Glewen

“Known”

Benediction

Closing Song – “The Family of God” Hymn #334 chorus

We would love to pray with you! If you would like prayer, please join our prayer leaders at the front of the sanctuary following the service.

## *Today at the ARC*

**Ushers:** Dwaine Vande Berg, Mark Zeatlow, Ben Kraemer, Casey Flier

**Nursery:** Julia Meinke, Jodi Kloosterboer, Sawyer Bruins, Winton Glewen

**Greeters:** (M) Annice Hopp & Joyce Van Buren (N) Travis & Des Hull  
(N. Ext.) Bill & Mary Bruins

**Benevolent offering** is for the Union **Video Tech:** Zack & Elyssa Van Wyk

**Parking Assistance:** Miley Ter Beest & Burt Wiersema **Sound:** Ken Daun

**11:00am – Discovering Membership 6:30pm – Middle School Youth Pool Party**

## *This Week at the ARC: August 18<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup>*

**Media Delivery:** Jack De Jager & Reuben Hopp

### **Monday, August 19<sup>th</sup>**

7:00pm – Equipping Children & Families Team Meeting,  
Middle School Bible Study at Pizza Ranch

8:00pm – High School Bible Study at Pizza Ranch

### **Tuesday, August 20<sup>th</sup>**

7:30am – Prayer Meeting for our schools

8:00am – Prayer Meeting

6:30pm – Women's Ministries Meeting

### **Wednesday, August 21<sup>st</sup>**

5:45pm – Prayer Meeting

## *Next Sunday at the ARC*

**8:30am – Prayer Meeting**

**9:30am – Eric Lammers, WOW, Special Music – Katie Rens**

**Ushers:** Larry Daane, Matt McDowell, Andy Derksen, Corey Flier

**Nursery:** Sheila Schultz, Melene Kraemer, Taylor Daane, Casey Flier

**Greeters:** (M) Reuben & Betty Hopp (N) Paul & Debbie Bruins  
(N. Ext.) Steve & Pauline Peters

**Media Delivery:** Ron Daane & Paul Elenius

**Benevolent offering** is for Missionary Salary **Video Tech:** Rylan Bruins & Blayne Kloosterboer

**Parking Assistance:** Gary & Marlene Navis **Sound:** Chad Loomans

## *Upcoming Events*

<b>Aug 26</b>	6:00pm – Executive Committee Meeting 7:00pm – Deacon Meeting
<b>Aug 27</b>	7:30am – Prayer Meeting for our schools 8:00am – Prayer Meeting
<b>Aug 28</b>	5:45pm – Prayer Meeting
<b>Sept 1</b>	8:30am – Prayer Meeting 9:30am – Pastor Kevin, Men’s Chorus

### **Who May/Should Participate In Communion?**

“We welcome all those who are displeased with themselves because of their sins, but who nevertheless trust that their sins are pardoned and that their remaining weakness is covered by the suffering and death of Christ, and who also desire more and more to strengthen their faith and to lead a better life. Hypocrites and those who are unrepentant, however, eat and drink judgment on themselves.” (Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 81; 1 Cor. 10:19-22; 11:26-32)

Paul challenges believers to participate in communion in a manner that is sincere and authentic. He writes to the church in Corinth...

*“Eat the bread or drink the cup of the Lord in the right way. Don’t do it in a way that isn’t worthy of him. If you do, you will be guilty. You’ll be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord. Everyone should take a careful look at themselves before they eat the bread and drink from the cup.” (1 Cor. 11:27-28 NIRV)*

So, we welcome any who are trusting in Jesus for the forgiveness of sins to participate in the Lord’s supper. If your child understands the above statement, they too are welcome to the table. As well, we want to urge those who trust Jesus to join with us in ministry as active confessing members. For more information, check out “Discovering Membership” on our website or at the information table.

## *Youth News*

**Middle School** – It’s our end of summer pool party tonight at Andy and Jenny Glewen’s house! Please be dropped off there at 6:30 and picked up at 8! Wear your swimsuit and don’t forget to bring a towel!

**Painting at the Food Pantry** – In place of Bible Study tomorrow night (Monday 8/19) we will meet at the Food Pantry from 7-9 (or any time in between) and help paint closest and outside trim, and organize some of the storage in the basement. All middle school, high school and college age students are invited! Adults if you are interested in helping, call Jessa @ 920-979-1853.

## *Bulletin Board News*

**Thinking about joining church?** – Read over the Discovering Membership packet (found at the info desk or on our website) then join Pastor Kevin & Stephanie at their home for brunch **today, August 18<sup>th</sup> at 11am** following Sunday school. RSVP to Pastor Kevin or Megan.

**Calendar** – Please have any additions/changes to the September calendar to Megan by Tuesday.

**AMEN** – Articles are due next Sunday, August 25<sup>th</sup>.

**Have some school shopping to do?** Take advantage of the back to school deals and help us stock up on Operation Christmas Child supplies. We are looking for some more pens, pencils, pencil sharpeners, binder clips, crayons/colored pencils/markers, and erasers. Any items to donate can be placed in the tote in the fellowship kitchen. Thanks!!

**4K Aide Needed** – We are in need of an aide to help in the 4K classroom 1 morning per week for the 2019-2020 school year. Please contact Adrea for more details.

**Pie Social** – The Christian Home Pie Social is Wednesday, August 21<sup>st</sup> at 5-7pm. Enjoy homemade pie, ice cream, BBQ sandwiches, and beverages. A freewill offering will be taken to benefit the Christian Home Chapel along with programs and services. 452 Fox Lake Rd., Waupun.

**Wanted: RADIANCE** – LADIES! Are you in need of a spark? Are you feeling overwhelmed? Take a weekend off and join us at the Wanted: RADIANCE women's conference September 27-29 at the Green Lake Conference Center! Together, we'll discover how God made us radiant and you will leave feeling ignited to shine His light! Conference cost is \$125 which includes large group sessions, worship and concert with Mass Anthem, breakout sessions, testimony night, bonfire worship and meals! Grab your friends, sisters, moms, aunts, grandmas and daughters for a girl's weekend! Register for your ticket at [www.wantedconference.com](http://www.wantedconference.com). Questions? Email [wantedconference@gmail.com](mailto:wantedconference@gmail.com). See you there!

**100<sup>th</sup> Birthday Open House** – Congrats to Gladys Kastein as she celebrates her 100<sup>th</sup> birthday on August 24<sup>th</sup>. You're invited to celebrate with her on Sunday, August 25<sup>th</sup> at 1-3:30pm at the Waupun Senior Center.

## P - praise R - repent A - ask Y - yield

### *Prayer Concerns since August 11<sup>th</sup>*

\*Concerns submitted since last week

1. Pray that we would be listening for God to speak by the Holy Spirit to reveal Himself, His purposes, and His ways.
2. \*Praise! Scott & Melanie Bruins had a baby girl, Aleena Rose, on August 13<sup>th</sup>.
3. \*Pray for healing for Darlene Ter Beest after triple bypass surgery.
4. \*Pray for healing for Deb (Steve) Navis after knee replacement surgery.
5. \*Pray for healing for Lynette Loomans after surgery to replace her pain pump.
6. Pray for discernment for the RCA's Vision 2020 Task Force in discerning a path forward for the RCA. Pray for the Alto 2020 Task Force to discern a path forward and to speak into the RCA.
7. Pray for the farmers and the stresses they face.
8. Pray for the prayer requests in the silent prayer box.
9. Pray for those battling addictions, anxieties, worries and stress and for God to sustain and deliver them.
10. Pray for marriages to be strengthened.
11. Friends and family with cancer, undergoing treatment, hospitalized, recovering from surgery or illness: Marla De Jager, Annice Hopp, Mary Marquardt, Dorothy Mills, Deb Navis, Dave Rumley, Sylvia Schouten, Rick Stelsel, Darlene Ter Beest, Carl VanderKooi, and Silas Willey.
12. Members in assisted living, nursing homes or those confined to their home:  
**Anchor Communities (Brandon):** Dale Kastein. **Anchor Community (Fox Lake):** Doris Daane. **Barrett House:** Lowell Glewen. **Christian Home:** Gladys Kastein, Katherine Prange, Helen Straks, Warren & Kay Vande Zande. **Evergreen:** Glen Loomans. **Home:** Mary Marquardt, Dayton Ter Beest. **The Homestead:** Sylvia Schouten. **Maple Crest Assisted Living:** Carol De Groot. **Maple Meadows:** Arlene Henning. **Marvin's Manor:** Eleanor Loomans, Junice Vande Zande. **The Meadows Assisted Living:** Donna Kastein. **Spring Lake Apartments:** Jessie Klumpers.
13. Pray for: Aaron Zeatlow stationed in Nevada; Sebastian Hoenisch stationed in North Carolina, grandson of Larry & Gloria Mulder; for the leaders of our country and the troops stationed overseas; Mitch Miller (former youth group student) Marine deployed to the Middle East.
14. Missionaries: Bob Abel – Remember Nhu, Steve & Amanda Bialy – Converge, Chris Briggs – CCCD, Mandy Kimes – His House Christian Fellowship, Jersey Sheldon – Overland Missions, Randy & Wanda Potratz – SIM, Scott Ritzema – Youth for Christ