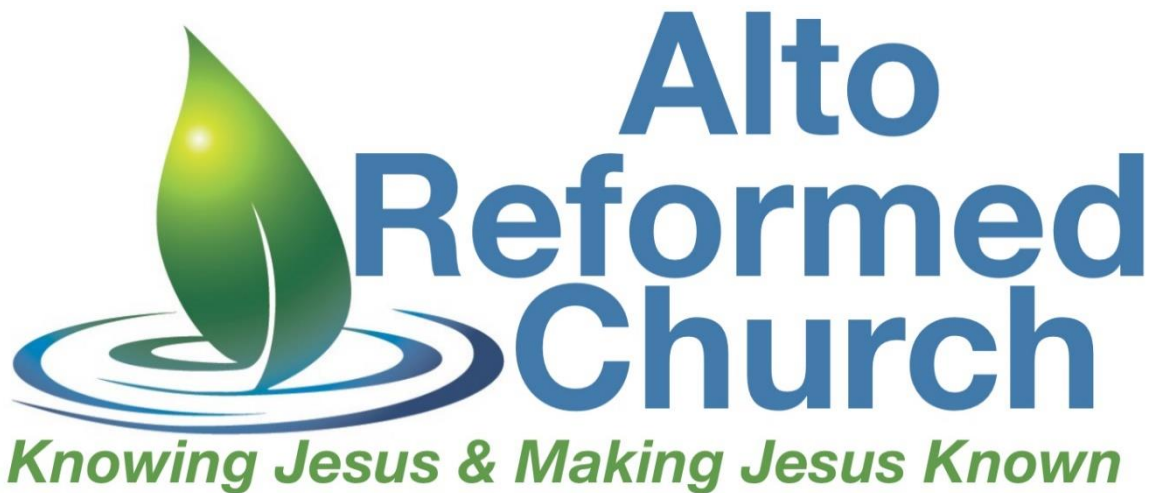


August 5, 2018



The ARC Ministry Staff

Lead Pastor – Kevin Van Wyk

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

Education Director – Adrea Daane – Tues & Wed 8am – 3pm

Secretary – Megan Vande Zande – Mon – Fri 8:45am – 2:45pm

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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

“O, How I Love Jesus” Hymn #176

“We Will Glorify” Hymn #216

“I Will Sing of the Mercies of the Lord” Hymn #204

Congregational Prayer

We Hear God's Word

Children's Message – Abby Pluim

Message – Eric Lammers

“Division in the Face of Unity”

Bible Passage – Matthew 10:34-39

We Respond to God

Prayer

Offering – Tricia DeJager

“O'Lord”

*Benediction

*Closing Song – “Beneath the Cross of Jesus” Hymn #226 vs. 1

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: Karl Bruins, Dwaine Vande Berg, Mark Zeatlow, Ben Kraemer, Bob Kloosterboer

Nursery: Des Hull, Angie Daane, Drew Sauer, Taylor Daane

Greeters: (M) Clark & Diane Harmsen (N) Dean & Tanya Mulder

(N. Ext.) Johan & Renee Jurjens **Benevolent offering** is for Missionary Salary

Parking Assistance: Burt Wiersema & Miley Ter Beest **Sound Tech:** Chad Loomans

Video Tech: Larry & Ruthie Brewer

This Week at the ARC: August 5th - August 11th

Tape Ministry: Paul Elenius & Larry Mulder

Tuesday, August 7th

7:30am – Prayer Meeting for our schools

8:00am – Prayer Meeting

4:30pm – TROUT feed the carnival workers

Next Sunday at the ARC

9:00am – Prayer Meeting

10:00am – Outdoor Worship on the church hill

Ushers: Larry Daane, Matt McDowell, Taylor Stanton, Andy Derksen, Corey Flier

Nursery: Sarah Bruins, Jodi Kloosterboer, Grant Braskamp, Jaycy Flier

Greeters: (M) Kathy Flier & Lisa Flier (N) Mark & Marilyn Zeatlow

(N. Ext.) Alan & Cena Kamphuis

Benevolent offering is for Waupun & Brandon Food Pantries

Parking Assistance: Gary & Marlene Navis **Sound Tech:** Jason Mulder & Steve Chené

Tape Ministry: Bill Bruins & Willy Jansma **Video Tech:** -

11:30am – Church Picnic

Coming Events

- Aug 14** 7:30am – Prayer Meeting for our schools
8:00am – Prayer Meeting
- Aug 15** 5:45pm – Prayer Meeting
8:00pm – SHARCS Bonfire
- Aug 19** 8:30am – Prayer Meeting
9:30am – Pastor Kevin, WOW, Communion
- Aug 21** 7:30am – Prayer Meeting for our schools
8:00am – Prayer Meeting
6:30pm – Women’s Ministries Meeting
- Aug 22** 5:45pm – Prayer Meeting
7:00pm – Worship Team Meeting
8:00pm – SHARCS + College Bible Study at Culver’s
- Aug 23** 11:30am – Golden Lifers Summer Outing
6:30pm – Outreach Team Meeting
- Aug 26** 8:30am – Prayer Meeting
9:30am – Gwen Loomans

Opportunities to Get Involved

Alto Fair Booth – We are looking for volunteers to sit at the ARC’s booth at the Alto Fair. If you’re able to help with this, please sign-up at the information desk today.

Parade Float – We are looking for individuals to assist the Outreach Team in making a float for the Alto Fair parade. If you’re interested, please contact Steve Daane.

Bless Waupun – Bless Waupun is a collaboration between Alto, First, and Trinity Reformed to meet larger sized needs throughout Waupun. As the team has been meeting one of the areas we have felt led to focus on is showing appreciation for those who serve our community in Corrections. Together we have created a small gift that will be delivered to every Correctional employee throughout our community. Please join us on Monday, August 6th at 6:30pm at Trinity Reformed as we take time to pray over and organize the gifts. If you have any questions, please email pastor@trcwaupun.com

Church Picnic – Sunday, August 12th at 11:30am following 10am Outdoor Worship on the church hill. We’ll provide brats, hamburgers, hot dogs, chips, drink, and tableware (plates, glasses, silverware, etc.)

Please bring lawn chairs/blankets to sit on as well as:

Last name A-G: 2 dozen bars/cookies

Last name H-R: fruit/jello salad to serve 10 people

Last name S-Z: veggie/lettuce/pasta salad to serve 10 people

Golden Lifers Summer Outing – Thursday, August 23rd. We will meet at 11:30am at the Life Star Ambulance in Waupun to hear about their services. Between 12:15pm and 12:30pm we will go to the Waupun Rock Country Club for lunch. Hope to see you there!

Bulletin Board News

Thinking about joining church? – Read over the Discovering Membership packet (found at the information desk or on our website) then join Pastor Kevin & Stephanie at their home for brunch on Sunday, September 16th at 11am following the worship service. RSVP to Pastor Kevin or Megan.

Congrats to Willy & Carol Jansma as they celebrate their 54th wedding anniversary on August 7th.

School Supply Donations - We will be collecting school supplies for kids in the area school districts through today. If you would like to donate you may bring school supplies to church and place them in the bin in the lobby. These items will be handed out to students in need prior to the start of the school year as well as during the school year. A suggested donations list is available on the table under the bulletin board.

4K Aide Paid Position – We are looking for an aide for the upcoming school year for our 4K class. This is a paid position and the hours are Monday – Thursday 8:15am-12:15pm. This position can be for 1 person every day or can be split between a couple people. If you are interested in this position, please contact Adrea.

Community Table Lunch Organizer Needed – We are looking for a volunteer to take care of organizing and serving warm meals a couple times per year on Fridays at the Community Table. This person will set up the dates, plan the menu, and organize people to donate food and help serve. For more details, please contact Megan.

Old Stone Church Service – The annual service for the Zion Congregational Church (Old Stone Church) will be held Sunday, August 12th at 2pm at N4042 Amity Rd., Brandon. The guest pastor will be Rev. Warren Lammers, organist will be Joyce Respalje, and soloist will be Sue Reichoff. A free-will offering will be taken for up-keep of the church and cemetery. Refreshments to follow.

Christian Home Annual Pie Social & Car Show – August 22nd at 5-7pm at the Christian Home, 331 Bly St., Waupun. Come enjoy dinner, dessert, and the car show. If you'd like to donate a pie, you may sign-up at the information desk.

OH4F Mission Trip – Do you like children? Would you like to help provide a Christian education to the children in Haiti? Have you felt God calling you but didn't know what to? Then join Open Hands 4 the Fatherless (OH4F) in January 2019 (18-23) on a Vision Trip to Haiti! Come with us and experience God in a whole new way! If you are interested, please visit our website: www.oh4f.org or send an email requesting information to galdys@oh4f.org Deadline for registration is August 30th, so contact us today!

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

Prayer Concerns since July 29th

*Concerns submitted since last week

1. Pray for the working of the Holy Spirit in our church family and for people to be saved!
2. *Pray for the family of Alric Bunker. He passed away earlier this week.
3. Pray for Doug & Marlaina Shotsky and family as they transition.
4. Pray for the teachers in our community and the stresses they face.
5. Pray for the RCA leadership to stand firm on Biblical Authority.
6. Pray for the prayer requests in the silent prayer box.
7. Pray for Aaron Zeatlow stationed in Nevada.
8. Pray for those battling anxieties, worries and stress and for God to sustain and deliver them.
9. Pray for those battling addictions.
10. Pray for marriages to be strengthened.
11. Pray for leaders of our country and for the troops still overseas.
12. Friends and family with cancer, undergoing treatment, hospitalized, recovering from surgery or illness: Brad DeBoer, Carissa Harmsen, Ed Heeringa, Annice Hopp, Don Koch, Dave Rumley, Heidi Schindel, Sylvia Schouten, Marcella Vande Berg, Carl VanderKooi, Ron Vande Zande, and Silas Willey.
13. Members in assisted living, nursing homes or those confined to their home:
Anchor Community: Doris Daane. **Barrett House:** Lowell Glewen. **Christian Home:** Lowell Bruins, Gladys Kastein, Eleanor Loomans, Katherine Prange, Helen Straks, Mike Vande Zande, Warren & Kay Vande Zande. **Evergreen:** Glen Loomans. **Home:** Mary Marquardt, Dayton Ter Beest. **The Homestead:** Merle Navis, Sylvia Schouten. **Maple Crest Assisted Living:** Carol De Groot. **Maple Meadows:** Arlene Henning. **Marvin's Manor:** Junice Vande Zande. **The Meadows Assisted Living:** Donna Kastein. **Spring Lake Apartments:** Jessie Klumpers.
14. Missionaries: Bob Abel – Remember Nhu, David & Char Alexander – RCA Missionaries, Chris Briggs – CCCD, Erika – Eurasia, Jersey Hoffner – Overland Missions, Randy & Wanda Potratz – SIM, Scott Ritzema – Youth for Christ, Miley Ter Beest – Youth for Christ