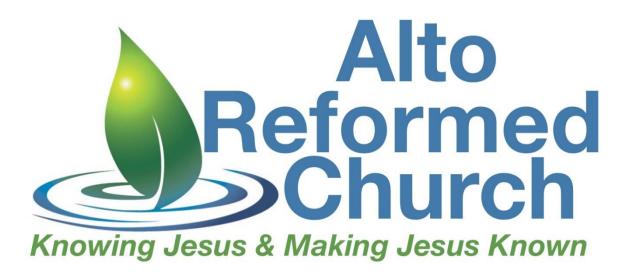
# February 10, 2019



The ARC Ministry Staff

Lead Pastor – Kevin Van Wyk Equipping Adults Pastor – Doug Shotsky – Tues & Wed 9am – 2pm Equipping Youth Director – Jessa Ter Beest – Tues & Wed 9am – 2pm Equipping Children & Families Director – Adrea Daane – Tues & Wed 8am – 3pm Office Administrator – 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 "Holy Spirit" "Draw Me Close to You" "Glorify Thy Name" Hymn #52

**Congregational Prayer** 

Mixed Choir - "In Christ Alone"

#### We Hear God's Word

At this time, children 3 years old – 1<sup>st</sup> grade are dismissed for Walk Out Worship in the basement.

Message – Experiencing God – Reality #4: God Speaks Bible Passage – Exodus 3:1-22

### We Respond to God

Prayer Offering – "Awake My Soul"

\*Benediction Closing Song – "Lord, Speak to Me" Hymn #646 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: Dwaine Vande Berg, Mark Zeatlow, Ben Kraemer, Casey Flier Nursery: Des Hull, Jodi Kloosterboer, Casey Flier, Lucas Bresser Greeters: (M) Mike & Paula Dobbratz (N) Ron & Helene Daane (N. Ext.) Larry & Gloria Mulder Benevolent offering is for Bethany Christian Services Sound: Steve Chené Parking Assistance: Vern Schouten & Brian Tenpas Video Tech: Liam, Oliver, & Garret Glewen 10:45am – Sunday School, Experiencing God Groups 3:00pm – Task Force 6:00pm – Jr. Choir 6:45pm – Middle School Youth Group

# This Week at the ARC: February 10th - 16th

Tape Ministry: Jack De Jager & Reuben Hopp

#### Monday, February 11th

6:30pm – Young Adult Bible Study 7:00pm – Deacon Meeting, High School Bible Study at Pizza Ranch

#### Tuesday, February 12th

7:30am – Prayer Meeting for our schools 8:00am – Prayer Meeting 7:00pm – Consistory Meeting

#### Wednesday, February 13th

5:30pm – Youth Praise 2 5:45pm – Prayer Meeting 6:15pm – Experiencing God Group 6:30pm – Bible Class, Mixed Choir 7:15pm – Men's Chorus 7:30pm – Sonshine Singers, High School Youth Home Groups

#### Thursday, February 14th

5:30pm – WASD 4K Preview Night

#### Friday, February 15th

7:00pm – Middle School Youth Overnighter

# Next Sunday at the ARC

8:30am – Prayer Meeting
9:30am – Pastor Kevin, Jr. Choir
Ushers: Larry Daane, Matt McDowell, Andy Derksen, Corey Flier
Nursery: Julia Meinke, Liam Glewen, Taylor Daane, McKenna Cunningham
Greeters: (M) Paul & Audrey Elenius (N) Burt & Connie Wiersema (N. Ext.) Miley & Benita Ter Beest
Benevolent offering is for Missionary Salary
Sound: Eric Redeker
Parking Assistance: Keith Loomans & Milan Vande Zande
Tape Ministry: Ron Daane & Paul Elenius Video Tech: Zack & Elyssa Van Wyk
10:45am – Sunday School, Experiencing God Groups
6:45pm – Middle School Youth Home Groups

### **Upcomíng** Events

Feb 18	6:00pm – Men's Bible Study
	6:30pm – Young Adult Bible Study
	7:00pm – High School Bible Study at Pizza Ranch
Feb 19	7:30am – Prayer Meeting for our schools
	8:00am – Prayer Meeting
	6:00pm – Outreach Team Meeting
	6:30pm – Women's Ministries Meeting
Feb 20	5:30pm – Youth Praise 2
	5:45pm – Prayer Meeting
	6:15pm – Experiencing God Group
	6:30pm – Bible Class
	7:15pm – Men's Chorus
	7:30pm – Sonshine Singers, High School Youth Group
	8:30pm – Worship Ministry Team Meeting
Feb 22	High Schoolers leave for Silverbirch
Feb 24	8:30am – Prayer Meeting
	9:30am – Pastor Doug, Sonshine Singers, Baptism, New Members
	10:45am – Sunday School, Experiencing God Groups
	3:00pm – Congregational Meeting with Task Force
	6:00pm – Jr. Choir
	6:45pm – Middle School Youth Group
	High Schoolers return from Silverbirch

### Youth News

**Middle School** – How is your life different because of Jesus? When he enters our lives, we become a new creation! See you at 6 for Jr Choir or 6:45 for youth group! Don't forget to keep reading your Bible!

High School - Home Groups Wednesday! Have a great night!

### **Opportunities to Get Involved**

**Ongoing Opportunities to Serve –** We're always looking for people to serve/help in the following areas in church: ushers, making bars/cookies, children's message volunteers, or soda donations for youth group. To volunteer or for more details, please talk with any staff member.

**Hospitality –** We are looking for 2 people to help with set-up and serving of snacks on a once per month rotation. This would entail making coffee/juice and setting up before the church service and then serving and cleaning up immediately after the church service. If interested or for more details, please contact Pastor Doug.

### Bulletín 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 on Sun., **March 24<sup>th</sup> or May 19<sup>th</sup>** at **12pm** following Sunday school. RSVP to Pastor Kevin or Megan.

**Congrats** to Cal & Ruth Ann Flegner as they celebrate their 52<sup>nd</sup> wedding anniversary today.

District Lists are available on the information desk if you'd like one.

**Congregational Meeting with the Task Force –** The Consistory and the Alto 2020 Task Force would like to invite you to a meeting on February 24<sup>th</sup> at 3pm. The Task Force will report on their recommendation to the consistory and invite your feedback for the consistory's reflection before speaking into the RCA's Vision 2020 Task Force. All members are encouraged to attend.

**The Chabros –** Join us as the Chabros lead us in worship on Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> and share their story of experiencing God. There will also be a question/answer time held during the Sunday school hour. The Chabros (Chabo Brothers) are from Syria. Michael and John are worship leaders, who fled their homes in 2012 because of the war in Syria, and landed in Milwaukee, their new base for music-making. Their passion is to share the love and hope of Jesus Christ through their music. Worship for them is a living experience with God and that's why they are doing it, to lead people into that depth of knowing Him.

**Pine Haven Men's Chorus** – The Pine Haven Men's Chorus will be presenting a program here on Sunday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> at 4pm. A free will offering will be taken to benefit the Pine Haven Christian Communities of Sheboygan and Oostburg. Everyone is invited to attend.

**Mercy Meals –** Pella Lutheran Church will be packing Mercy Meals on Saturday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>. They are looking for people to help pack from either 9am-2pm or 12-4pm. The meals include rice, soy protein, dried veggies, flavoring, & vitamins. Monetary donations are being accepted for this cause as well. For more info, contact Karla Ceman at 291-8600.

**Trinity Church's Annual Port Chop Supper fundraiser** will be March 9<sup>th</sup> from 4:30-7pm (524 Carrington St, Waupun). Meal includes pork chop, baked potato, corn, applesauce, roll and dessert. Take-out is available. Tickets are \$10. Reserve tickets by calling the church office at 324-2400. Proceeds support the mission team to Mt. Vernon, KY.

**Kentucky Mission Trip** – Feel God tugging at your heart to get out and serve? Here is the perfect opportunity! Join the mission team, made up of a handful of Waupun area churches, headed to Mt. Vernon, Kentucky to serve at Christ Outreach for the Blind. This is a camp that gives the blind and disabled a camp experience, specifically hunting and fishing. Jobs include construction, maintenance, tree/wood cutting, gardening, etc. Something for everyone! Dates are March 24-30. Contact Jim Nummerdor at 579-8573 by March 6<sup>th</sup>, if interested.

## <u>P - praise R - repent A - ask Y - yield</u> Prayer Concerns since February 3<sup>rd</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.
- 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.
- \*Pray for AI & Cena Kamphuis and family. Al's sister, Karen Slager, passed away Sunday, Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup>, from complications from MS that she has had for about 30 yrs. She lived in Bellflower, CA.
- 4. \*Pray for Pastor Ted & Julie. Julie's brother passed away on Feb. 1st.
- 5. Pray for the farmers and the stresses they face.
- 6. Pray for the prayer requests in the silent prayer box.
- 7. Pray for those battling addictions, anxieties, worries and stress and for God to sustain and deliver them.
- 8. Pray for marriages to be strengthened.
- Friends and family with cancer, undergoing treatment, hospitalized, recovering from surgery or illness: Joel Bruins, Joel Buwalda, Elaine Daane, Chera Duvall, Andy Glewen, Annice Hopp, Pearl Johnson, Phil Loomans, Jerry Mouw, Deb Navis, Dave Rumley, Sylvia Schouten, Carl VanderKooi, Jan VerHage, and Silas Willey.
- 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, Eleanor Loomans, Katherine Prange, Helen Straks, Mike Vande Zande, Warren & Kay Vande Zande. Evergreen: Glen & Sharon 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: Junice Vande Zande. The Meadows Assisted Living: Donna Kastein. Spring Lake Apartments: Jessie Klumpers.
- 11. Pray for: Aaron Zeatlow stationed in Nevada; for Sebastian Hoenisch stationed in San Diego, grandson of Larry & Gloria Mulder; for the leaders of our country and the troops stationed overseas.
- Missionaries: Bob Abel Remember Nhu, Steve & Amanda Bialy Converge, Chris Briggs – CCCD, Erika – Eurasia, Jersey Hoffner – Overland Missions, Randy & Wanda Potratz – SIM, Scott Ritzema – Youth for Christ