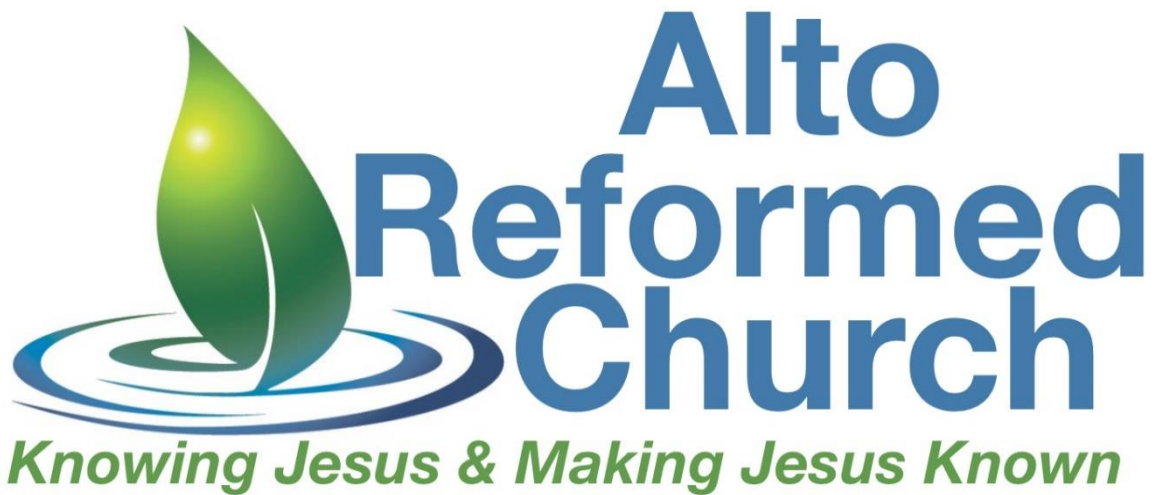


June 23, 2019



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

Baptism – Gavin Lloyd, son of Jared & Ashley Stelsel

Greet one another

Praise Singing

“How Firm a Foundation” Hymn #342 vs. 1, 2, & 4

“Mighty to Save”

“Revelation Song”

At this time, children 3 years old – incoming 5th graders are dismissed for Walk Out Worship in the basement.

Congregational Prayer

We Hear God's Word

Message – Know the Story

Scripture – Luke 4:1-13

We Respond to God

Prayer

Offering – Stephanie Enders

“Once and For All”

Benediction

Closing Song – “Lord, Be Glorified” Hymn #537

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

Nursery: Sarah Zeatlow, Liam Glewen, McKenna Cunningham, Elyssa Van Wyk

Greeters: (M) Burt & Connie Wiersema (N) Barry & Deb Ter Beest

(N. Ext.) Mark & Marilyn Zeatlow

Video Tech: Rylan Bruins & Steve Chené

Benevolent offering is for Regular Benevolence

Parking Assistance: Keith Loomans & Milan Vande Zande

Sound: Chad Loomans

1:00pm – Executive Committee Meeting

5:00-7:00pm – Summer Celebration at Medema Fields

This Week at the ARC: June 23rd – 29th

Media Delivery: Larry Kok & Phil Loomans

Monday, June 24th

7:00pm – Deacon Meeting, Middle School Bible Study at Pizza Ranch

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

Tuesday, June 25th

7:30am – Prayer Meeting for our schools

8:00am – Prayer Meeting

6:00pm – Outreach Team Meeting

7:00pm – Equipping Children & Families Team Meeting

Wednesday, June 26th

5:45pm – Prayer Meeting

7:00pm – High School Youth Color Wars

Thursday, June 27th

6:30pm – Equipping Adults Team Meeting

Saturday, June 29th

College/Young Adult Canoe Trip

Next Sunday at the ARC

8:30am – Prayer Meeting

9:30am – Pastor Kevin, Special Music – Libbi Campbell, Communion

Ushers: Berwyn Van Buren, Bob Kloosterboer, Rich Kamphuis, Paul Bruins, Chas Glewen

Nursery: Sarah Zeatlow, Amber Vande Berg, Grant Braskamp, Drew Sauer

Greeters: (M) Annice Hopp & Joyce Van Buren (N) Miley & Benita Ter Beest

(N. Ext.) Ken & Val Bille

Video Tech: Zack & Elyssa Van Wyk

Benevolent offering is for Missionary Salary

Media Delivery: Gary Navis & Burt Wiersema

Parking Assistance: Brad Flier and Larry & Gloria Mulder

Sound: Eric Redeker

10:45am – Care Community Training

3:00pm – Task Force Meeting

Upcoming Events

- July 1** 7:00pm – Middle School Bible Study at Pizza Ranch
8:00pm – High School Bible Study at Pizza Ranch
- July 2** 7:30am – Prayer Meeting for our schools
8:00am – Prayer Meeting
6:30pm – Women’s Missionary Circle: *Bible Study #7*
- July 3** 5:45pm – Prayer Meeting
7:00pm – Elder Meeting – *If you would like to discuss baptism or membership, please contact Pastor Kevin.*
- July 7** 8:30am – Prayer Meeting
9:30am – Pastor Kevin, Men’s Chorus
6:30pm – Middle School Youth Bonfire

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 – No bonfire tonight, but we hope you’ll join us at the Summer Celebration from 5-7 at Medema Fields!

High School/College – Color Wars is Wednesday! Bring \$5 and we’ll provide the food, paint, and a white t-shirt! Bring friends!

Middle/High School/College Bible Study starts Monday, June 24th! Middle school will be 7-8 and High School/College is 8-9 all at Pizza Ranch.

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 on Sun., **August 18th** at **11am** following Sunday school. RSVP to Pastor Kevin or Megan.

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

AMEN – Articles are due next Sunday, June 30th.

Summer Celebration – The Summer Celebration is tonight at 5-7pm at Medema Fields. We hope you'll invite your friends and neighbors.

Men's Golf Outing – Join us for a fun afternoon of golf on Sunday, July 21st at 3:30pm at The Rock Golf Club in Waupun. 9 holes of golf (including cart) + meal = \$35. Sign-up individually or as a group at the information desk by July 14th. If you'd rather not golf, but still want to join in there are options available to help out at a hole or to join us for the meal, just talk to Joel Bruins 948-0938.

Cookbook – The Hospitality Team is collecting recipes for a church cookbook. If you'd like to submit a recipe (or a few), please email the recipe to office@altoreformedchurch.org or put the recipe in Melene Kramer's mailbox by **July 1st**.

Vacation Bible School

VBS registration is underway! Find our online registration link on the ARC website and facebook page or grab a hard copy from the information desk. Registrations prior to July 1st will guarantee t-shirt sizes, all other registrations will be accepted through the week of VBS, but preferred t-shirt sizes cannot be guaranteed.

VBS Snack Donations – We're looking for donations of the ingredients needed to make fun snacks for the kids for the week of VBS. The sign-up sheet is on the info desk. Non-perishable items can be put in the bin under the mailboxes. Items that need to be refrigerated/frozen can be placed in the basement kitchen fridge.

VBS Volunteers – We're looking for volunteers to help during the week of VBS (July 15th-19th). If you'd like to help, please sign up at the info desk or contact Adrea for more details.

Decorations/Props Needed – We are looking for wooden barrels/crates, treasure chests, thicker rope, life/ring buoy, and bumper buoy. If you have any of these items, please label them with your name and put them in the tiled area of the basement.

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

Prayer Concerns since June 16th

*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. 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.
3. Pray for the farmers and the stresses they face.
4. Pray for the prayer requests in the silent prayer box.
5. Pray for those battling addictions, anxieties, worries and stress and for God to sustain and deliver them.
6. Pray for marriages to be strengthened.
7. Friends and family with cancer, undergoing treatment, hospitalized, recovering from surgery or illness: Alec Cunningham, Chera Duvall, Andy Glewen, Clark Harmsen, Annice Hopp, Pearl Johnson, Mary Marquardt, Dorothy Mills, Jim Parrish, Dave Rumley, Heidi Schindel, Sylvia Schouten, Carl VanderKooi, Jan VerHage, Marilyn Westerveld, and Silas Willey.
8. 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, 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:** Junice Vande Zande. **The Meadows Assisted Living:** Donna Kastein. **Spring Lake Apartments:** Jessie Klumpers.
9. Pray for: Aaron Zeatlow stationed in Nevada; Sebastian Hoenisch stationed in Florida, 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.
10. Missionaries: Bob Abel – Remember Nhu, Steve & Amanda Bialy – Converge, Chris Briggs – CCCD, Mandy Kimes – His House Christian Fellowship, Jersey Hoffner – Overland Missions, Randy & Wanda Potratz – SIM, Scott Ritzema – Youth for Christ