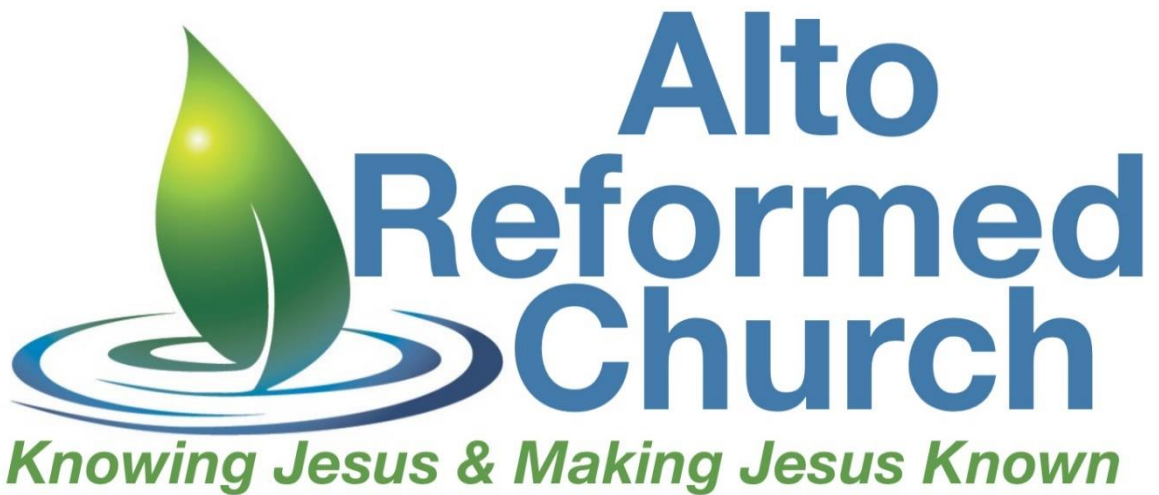


May 26, 2019



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

“America, the Beautiful” Hymn #612 vs. 1, 3, & 4

“Standing on the Promises” Hymn #601

“Be the Center”

Congregational Prayer

We Hear God's Word

Children's Message – Travis Hull

Message – Rescuer: Are You Completing the Job? (2)

Scripture – John 17

We Respond to God

Prayer

Offering – “More Than Conquerors”

Benediction

Closing Song – “Send the Light” Hymn #672 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: Laura Leonard, Rachel Zeatlow, Hannah Derksen, Evan Sauer

Greeters: (M) Larry & Betty Daane (N) Ron & Helene Daane

(N. Ext.) Kathy Flier & Lisa Flier **Sound:** Chad Loomans

Benevolent offering is for Audio Scriptures **Video Tech:** Rylan Bruins & Elyssa Van Wyk

Parking Assistance: Jeff Kok & Bob Pluim

This Week at the ARC: May 26th – June 1st

Media Delivery: Bill Bruins & Jerry Medema

Tuesday, May 28th

7:30am – Prayer Meeting for our schools

8:00am – Prayer Meeting

7:00pm – Equipping Children & Families Team Meeting

Wednesday, May 29th

5:45pm – Prayer Meeting

Thursday, May 30th

6:15pm – 4K Class Graduation

Next Sunday at the ARC

8:30am – Prayer Meeting

9:30am – Pastor Kevin, Men's Chorus

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

Nursery: Carissa Harmsen, Angie Daane, Easton Hull, Kaylee Flegner

Greeters: (M) Mike & Paula Dobbratz (N) Ann Boerson & Darlene Ter Beest

(N. Ext.) Clark & Diane Harmsen

Benevolent offering is for Missionary Salary

Video Tech: Hannah Derksen & Ruth Brewer

Sound: Jason Mulder

Parking Assistance: Miley Ter Beest & Burt Wiersema

Media Delivery: Miley Ter Beest & Jim Stelsel

Upcoming Events

- Jun 3** 6:30pm – Young Adult Bible Study
7:00pm – Deacon Meeting
- Jun 4** 7:30am – Prayer Meeting for our schools
8:00am – Prayer Meeting
6:30pm – Women’s Missionary Circle: Bible Study #6
7:00pm – Elder Meeting – *If you would like to discuss membership or baptism, please contact Pastor Kevin.*
- Jun 5** 5:45pm – Prayer Meeting
- Jun 9** 8:30am – Prayer Meeting
9:30am – Pastor Kevin
6:30pm – Middle School Youth Bonfire

Youth News

Kiss the Cow Fundraiser – Today is the start of the high school Memphis Mission Trip Fundraiser! Would you like to see Pastor Kevin, Pastor Doug, or someone going on the mission trip kiss a cow (specifically the cow named Doug!)? Each participant in the fundraiser has a bucket in the hallway with their picture on it - the 3 with the most donations by 9:30am June 2nd will have to kiss the cow after church that day! Get out your change buckets and checkbooks to donate toward the person you want to see kiss a cow! Thanks in advance for your support and participation in this “fun”draiser!

Opportunities to Get Involved

Volunteer Opportunities – Sign-ups for volunteer positions are available on the info desk. Additionally, if you would no longer like to volunteer in a certain area you can let Megan know or take your name off the appropriate list on the info desk.

Foster Care Awareness Event is Sunday, June 2nd at 11am in the youth room. Join us for coffee and donuts as we learn about opportunities to serve local foster families as well as what it's like to become a foster family. Check out the info sheet in your mailbox and sign up for this event on the information desk. Nursery will be provided.

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.

Congrats to Donna Henker as she celebrates her 84th birthday on May 27th.

Congrats to Donna Kastein as she celebrates her 88th birthday on May 28th.

AMEN – Articles are due today.

Christian Literature Donations – Next Sunday, June 2nd is the last Sunday to bring in your donations of Christian literature. Contact Paul Elenius with any questions.

Baking Volunteers – The hospitality team is looking for people that would be willing to be in a once a month rotation to make 2 dozen bars/cookies for fellowship following Sunday morning services. We are hoping to have more homemade goodies and less store bought. If you are interested, please sign up at the info desk. Any questions, please contact Bridget Lammers.

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 Bridget Lammers' mailbox by **July 1st**.

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.

VBS – Save the date! VBS is set for July 15th-19th. VBS will be here before we know it and our decorations prep will be getting underway soon. We are looking for the following types of materials to help us put together a shipwreck island theme...brown packing paper, brown paper bags, broken/old umbrellas, paper towel tubes, Pringles cans (or other cardboard canisters), plastic barrels/barrel-shaped containers (these can be of any size). If you're unsure if we can use something feel free to bring it in and we can dispose of it if it won't work out. All donations can be placed in the totes located inside the fellowship kitchen doors (across from the offices). Questions? Contact Adrea Daane!

Meals on Wheels is looking for volunteers to deliver in Waupun. For more details, contact Eileen VantHoff at 324-2643.

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

Prayer Concerns since May 19th

*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 continued healing for Renee Thereyl and Jerry Kok (Val Bille's siblings). Renee donated a kidney to Jerry this past week.
3. 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.
4. Pray for the farmers and the stresses they face.
5. Pray for the prayer requests in the silent prayer box.
6. Pray for those battling addictions, anxieties, worries and stress and for God to sustain and deliver them.
7. Pray for marriages to be strengthened.
8. Friends and family with cancer, undergoing treatment, hospitalized, recovering from surgery or illness: Alec Cunningham, Chera Duvall, Andy Glewen, Annice Hopp, Pearl Johnson, Dianne Koch, Mary Marquardt, Jim Parrish, Dave Rumley, Sylvia Schouten, Carl VanderKooi, Jan VerHage, and Silas Willey.
9. 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.
10. 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.
11. 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