

“Those who remain in me, and I in them, will bear much fruit;
for you can do nothing without me.”

John 15:5

May 15, 2022

Order of Worship

Morning Service

Welcome and Announcements

We Come to Worship

Opening Prayer

*Opening Song ~ Be Still, for the Presence

*Call to Worship ~ (Psalm 103:1-2, 20-22)

Leader: Praise the LORD, O my soul; all my inmost
being, praise his holy name.

**People: Praise the LORD, O my soul, and forget
not all his benefits.**

Leader: Praise the LORD, you his angels, you mighty
ones who do his bidding, who obey his word.

**People: Praise the LORD, all his heavenly hosts,
you his servants who do his will.**

Leader: Praise the LORD, all his works everywhere in his
dominion.

People: Praise the LORD, O my soul.

*Song of Praise ~ Praise the Lord, Sing Hallelujah

*God's Greeting & We Greet One Another

Psalms of Praise ~ Fruitful for the Lord

Leader: Blessed is the man who trusts in the Lord,
whose confidence is in him.

**People: He will be like a tree planted by the
water that sends out its roots by the stream.**

Leader: Blessed is the one who does not walk in the
council of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or
sit in the seat of mockers.

**People: But his delight is in the law of the Lord,
and on that law he meditates day and night.**

Leader: The righteous will flourish like a palm tree . . .
planted in the house of the Lord, they will flourish.

**People: In old age they will still bear fruit . . .
staying fresh and green.**

Leader: I am like an olive tree flourishing in the house
of God.

**People: Like a tree planted by streams of water
which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf
does not wither.**

Leader: It does not fear when heat comes, its leaves are
always green.

**People: It has no worries in times of trouble, and
never fails to bear fruit.**

Leader: Jesus says, I am the vine, you are the
branches. If a man remains in me and I in him, he will
bear much fruit.

**People: I will trust in God's unfailing love for ever
and ever.** (Psalm 52:8; 1; 92:12; Jeremiah 17:7-8; John 15:5)

Baptism ~ David Clegg

Song ~ CH 410 v 1, 2, 4, 5 Standing on the Promises
(Chorus after v 2 and v 5)

Message for the Children

We Are Renewed in God's Grace

Confession & Assurance ~

Leader: In repentance and rest is your salvation, in
quietness and trust is your strength, but you would
have none of it. Yet the Lord longs to be gracious to
you; he rises to show you compassion. For the Lord is
God of justice. Blessed are all who wait for him!
(Isaiah 30:15, 18)

**People: The LORD is compassionate and gracious,
slow to anger, abounding in love. He forgives all**

**my sins and heals my diseases. He redeems my
life from the pit and crowns me with love and
compassion. He satisfies my desires with good
things and so that my strength is restored.**

(based on Psalm 103:8, 3-5)

Song ~ All I Have Is Christ (J. Kauflin)

Congregational Prayer

Giving of Our Tithes and Offerings

God's Word for Us

*Song ~ CH 617 Near to the Heart of God

Scripture Reading ~ Luke 13:6-9

Message ~ Got Fruit?

Prayer

*Song ~ Bring Forth The Kingdom v 1-3

We Depart to Serve

*God's Parting Blessing

*Closing Song ~ Bring Forth The Kingdom v 4

Order of Worship

5 PM Service

Call to Worship & Prayer & Greeting

*Song of Praise ~ CH 771 We'll Understand It Better By & By

Profession of Faith ~ Apostle's Creed

Songs of Praise ~ Congregation Choice

Congregational Prayer

Offering

Video Series ~ Spiritual Warfare Is Real by Jim Cymbala

*Benediction

*Parting Song ~ CH 433 Rise Up, O Church of God

RUDYARD CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH
THE SUNDAY BULLETIN – May 15, 2022

Nursery is provided in the Educational Building for children up to age three.

Attendants today: Jane Berkompas, Jodie Postma, Ethan Hoolsema, and Raya Morley

Next week: Katie Rice, Krystal English, Emma Mitchell, and Liam Hoolsema

Junior Worship is provided in the Educational Building for 3, 4, and 5 year olds not yet in school. They will be dismissed before the morning sermon.

Helpers today: Leah Beelen, Meagan Postma, and M.J. Beelen

Next week: Wanda Mitchell, Lauren Borowski, and Lila Tuzinowski

Please stay after the morning service for a time of fellowship and refreshments.

Offerings today: A.M. – General Fund
P.M. – Building Fund

Next week: A.M. – General Fund
P.M. –

2022 Amount Budgeted Weekly for General Fund: \$3690.

May 8 Offerings:

General Fund: \$4102.

THIS WEEK – May 15 – May 22

TODAY:

- The Annual Christian School Society Meeting will be held immediately following the morning service.
- The **Fellowship of Christian Athletes** will meet at the church at 6:30 pm.

TUESDAY:

- **Youth Group** will meet at 7:00 pm.

WEDNESDAY:

- **Women’s Prayer Group** will meet in the Council Room at 10:00 am.

THURSDAY:

- **Council** will meet at 7:00 pm in the Education Building.
- **Happy Birthday** to Carol Postma!

FRIDAY:

- **New Building Committee** will meet at 12:00 pm. New members welcome. Pizza will be provided.

FAMILY NEWS

The Community Chorus Concert will be held May 22 at 7:00 pm in our church. Please bring a snack/dessert to share after the concert.

From the Christian School:

~ Scrap metal donations are one again being accepted with proceeds going to the Christian School. Last year over \$10,000 was raised. You can find the dumpster behind Carl Jensen’s garage. For heavier donated items, please leave on the ground next to the dumpster.

Please join our prayer team in the library every Sunday from 9:00 – 9:20 am as we pray for our church, our Council, and our church family.