

FIRST REFORMED CHURCH

May 18, 2025

9:30 AM

Prelude

Welcome

Announcements

Call to Worship

***Greetings**

***Song #261** “The Whole World Was Lost” v.1,2,4

***Song PB #96** “Go Light Your World” v. 1,3

Children’s Message: Pastor Cliff

Congregational Prayer

Scripture: Revelation 21:1-6

The New Heaven and the New Earth

¹Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. ²And I saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. ³And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, “Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man. He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God. ⁴He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away.” ⁵And he who was seated on the throne said, “Behold, I am making all things new.” Also he said, “Write this down, for these words are trustworthy and true.” ⁶And he said to me, “It is done! I am the Alpha and the Omega, the beginning and the end. To the thirsty I will give from the spring of the water of life without payment.

Message: “No Cemeteries in Heaven”

Prayer

***Song #513** “Sing the Wondrous Love of Jesus”

***Benediction**

***Postlude**

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Welcome to the First Reformed Church, we are glad to have you worshipping with us. Please join us for coffee, juice & cookies in the Fellowship Hall following worship.

Calendar for the Day:

9:30 AM Pastor Cliff will lead us in worship.

Serving Today:

Music: Pianist: Freida Vande Sluis

Sound: Bouwman Family

Nursery: Cheri Leusink

Lift: Lift: Steve Van Den Top

Coffee Servers: Rod & Lil Netten

Offering: Church Ministry Fund

Prayers & Praises:

Sandi Scholten will have throat surgery on Monday, in hopes of re-gaining strength in her voice.

Gerri Reinke remains under the care of Hospice.

Birthdays & Anniversaries:

May 18: Wilbur Vander Heul (85)

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May 20: Eleanor Vonk

First Reformed Church Family,

Thank you so much for your service today! Mom loved her church family! We know she is with Jesus and very happy.

Thanks,
The Gort Family

NEXT WEEK:

Monday, May 5:

Tuesday, May 6:

Wednesday, May 21:

10:00 AM Lydia Bible Study

Thursday, May 228:

1:00 PM



Sunday, May 25:

Pastor Cliff will lead us in worship.

Music: Team 1

Sound: Jerry & Kevin

Nursery: Matt & Dawn De Wit

Lift: Marv Vonk

Coffee: Self-Serve

Offering: Church Ministry Fund

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<http://www.rvfrc.org/live-streaming/>

or

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Our **mission** is accepting God's love, growing in the Word and Spirit, serving others.

Accepting...Growing...Serving

Our **vision** is to follow Jesus daily as we love and serve all people.

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