

First Reformed Church
September 21, 2025
9:30 AM

Prelude
Welcome
Announcements
Call to Worship
***Greetings**

***Song** PB #33 “I Love You, Lord” 2x
***Song** #250 “Marvelous Grace of Our Loving Father”

Ministry of Music: Kids of the Kingdom

Children’s Message: Niki Netten

Scripture: Romans 3:9-20

No One Is Righteous

⁹What then? Are we Jews any better off? No, not at all. For we have already charged that all, both Jews and Greeks, are under sin, ¹⁰as it is written: “None is righteous, no, not one; ¹¹no one understands; no one seeks for God. ¹²All have turned aside; together they have become worthless; no one does good, not even one.” ¹³“Their throat is an open grave; they use their tongues to deceive.” “The venom of asps is under their lips.” ¹⁴“Their mouth is full of curses and bitterness.” ¹⁵“Their feet are swift to shed blood; ¹⁶in their paths are ruin and misery, ¹⁷and the way of peace they have not known.” ¹⁸“There is no fear of God before their eyes.” ¹⁹Now we know that whatever the law says it speaks to those who are under the law, so that every mouth may be stopped, and the whole world may be held accountable to God. ²⁰For by works of the law no human being will be justified in his sight, since through the law comes knowledge of sin.

Lord's Day 2

3.

Q. From where do you know your sins and misery?

A. From the law of God. 1

1.Rom 3:20; 7:7-25.

4.

Q. What does God's law require of us?

A. Christ teaches us this in a summary in Matthew 22: Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind.

1 This is the first and greatest commandment.

And the second is like it: Love your neighbor as yourself. All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments. 2

1.Deut 6:5.

2.Lev 19:18.

5.

Q. Can you keep all this perfectly?

A. No, 1 I am inclined by nature to hate God and my neighbor. 2

1.Rom 3:10, 23; 1 Jn 1:8, 10.

2.Gen 6:5; 8:21; Jer 17:9; Rom 7:23; 8:7; Eph 2:3; Tit 3:3.

Message: “The Need for Grace”

Prayer

***Song** #278 “Amazing Grace”

***Benediction**

***Postlude**



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

Calendar of the Day:

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

10:40 AM Catechism & Sunday School

Serving Today:

Pianist: Madelyn Vander Heul

Sound: Jerry & Kevin

Nursery: Brian & Kris Vande Hoef

Coffee Servers: Rod & Lil Netten

Offering: Church Ministry Fund

Birthdays & Anniversaries:

Sept. 22: Dave & Nancy Van Holland (47)

Sept. 23: Dave Van Holland

Sept. 24: Betty Kooima

Doug & Leanne Bliek

Sept.25: Kayla Van't Hul

Sept. 26: Kristi Van Kekerix

Duane Middle

Lynn & Duane Middle (48)

Sept. 27: Daryl Scholten

Sept. 28: Karter Vis

Prayers & Praises:

Dominic Olvera from RVHS who was involved in a serious car accident, is being transferred to Omaha for extensive rehab. Prayers for his family as they navigate through this journey.

The consistory is looking for more people/families to take a turn running the sound system. If this is something you would like to do, please talk to Kevin Bouwman or Marlan Hoogendoorn.

Next Week:

Monday September 22:

3:30 PM Kids Block/The Block

Tuesday, September 23:

3:30 PM Kids Block/The Block

Wednesday, September 24:

6:00 PM Awana Meal – Walking Tacos

6:30 PM Awana – Theme: Old Person
JAM

7:30 PM CLASS

Thursday, September 25:

3:30 PM Kids Block/The Block

Sunday, September 28:

Pastor Cliff will lead us in worship; an offering will be received for the Building Fund.

Sound: Blankespoor family

Pianist: Freida Vander Sluis

Children's Message: Pastor Cliff

Nursery: Dan & Jen Taylor

Coffee: Gary & Donna Miller

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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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