

1st Randolph Christian Reformed Church

N8879 East Friesland Rd, Randolph, WI 53956

October 28th, 2018 - 9:30 AM Worship

Pastor Stephen Robbins

Prelude

Moment of Silence:

*Call to Worship:

*The Lord's Greeting:

*Song Service

*Hymn: RB 79:1,2,4 **My Jesus, I Love Thee**

Hymn: RB 139 **Great is Thy Faithfulness**

Sunday School Sings

Confession of Faith: Belgic Confession Article 24 (insert)

Congregational Prayer with Special Requests

*Hymn of Assurance: RB 195 **Bless the Name of Jesus** x2

Scripture Reading: Galatians 5:16-18

Sermon: "The Spirit Versus the Flesh"

Prayer of Application:

Offering & Hymn: General Fund

RB 312:1-3 **Calvary Covers It All**

*Benediction:

*Doxology: RB 312:4 **Calvary Covers It All**

*Moment of Reflection

Postlude

Serving our Church Today

Organist: Marcia Katsma

Song Service: Rubi Jo Mulder

Greeters: Allen and Jean Bronkhorst

Ushers: Steve Kok and Dan Kok

Nursery: Tiffany Katsma and Taylor Hoffman

Librarian: Sharon Sjoerdsma

Serving our Church Next Sunday

Organist: Marilyn Oosterwyk

Song Service: Jessica Kemink

Greeters: Andy, Rochelle, Caitlyn and Bryanna Budzinski

Ushers: Rob Sjoerdsma and Kyle Katsma

Nursery: Bryanna Tillema and Rubi Jo Mulder

Librarian: Mary Katsma

Children's Church: Justin and JoBeth Mulder

Offering: RCS/Building Fund

Our church lives to show Christ's love, preach His grace, and teach His truth to all.

On November 18th, we will be holding a vote on our current situation regarding our status in the denomination and retaining Pastor Stephen. All members in good standing are eligible to vote.

If you will not be present on November 18th, absentee ballots will be available beginning November 1st. Please contact Cassie Sjoerdsma if you will need an absentee ballot.

October is Pastor Appreciation Month. Please join us downstairs after the morning worship service TODAY for coffee and fellowship in honor of Pastor Stephen and Angel.

Next week, we will have the privilege of witnessing as the sign and seal of baptism is administered to Brinley Margaret Alsum.

There will be no Sunday School today, but there will be Sunday School next week Sunday, November 4th.

Please continue to keep little Aly Putman, 22-month-old daughter of Eric and Amy (Kok) Putman, granddaughter of Jim and Diane Kok, and great-granddaughter of Dan Nannenga, in your prayers. Aly is still at Children's Hospital in Fort Worth, TX. If you would like to send cards or notes of encouragement to the family, their home address is:

Eric and Amy Putman
609 Bareback Ln.
Fort Worth, TX 76131



Our Annual Church Soup Supper will be held on Wednesday, November 7th from 5-7 pm. The supper is a free will donation, and proceeds will once again be sent to Food Resource Bank. *Please find the sign-up sheets on the back table.*

Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes and packing information are available on the table in the back of church!

Once again, we have the opportunity to pack shoebox gifts to bless children in need around the world, and to help spread the Good News of Jesus. Please return your filled boxes to church by **November 11th**. Reminder: Do not wrap the boxes. Close them only with a rubber band. Contact Linda Kok with any questions.

Reaching our city, our nation, and our world with the gospel of Jesus Christ.

In the Community:

Randolph Christian School is getting ready to make their delicious Apple Pies. This is one of their major fundraisers of the year and helps tremendously in supporting Randolph Christian's purpose of offering Christian Education. Part of what makes this such a great fundraiser is that much of the cost is offset by sponsor donations, whether of food product or funds. If you would like to help offset the cost of making the Apple Pies, you can either contact Rachel Hoffman at 920-382-9632 or the school office at 326-3320. Thank You!

CWC is having a blood drive on October 29th open to the public. To register visit redcrossblood.org and use the sponsor code "Waupun". Another option is going to the American Red Cross Blood Donor App and registering from there. We look forward to seeing you then!

A Fundraising Dinner for Andrew and Hyejin Dykstra's South Korean adoption will be on Monday, October 29th at First Reformed Church in Friesland. More details about the even are on the bulletin board in the narthex.

The Central WI Christian drama department will perform "12 Angry Jurors" November 1-3 at 6:30 PM. This gripping dramatic classic invites the audience into the jury room of a murder trial. As the jurors deliberate they reveal their prejudices, tensions mount, and "reasonable doubt" is called into question. Tickets are on sale now through the CWC office, or by calling 920-324-4233.

Have you wanted to help your neighbor but didn't have the time? Take a look down your street, is there someone that could use a little help? Do you find yourself in a situation where you need help? The CWC High School students are looking to help those in need within our communities with the annual 'Servathon'. It will take place on Friday, November 2nd. Please let us know if you, or someone you know, could use a little boost. Just call CWC at 920-324-4233 ext#310 and someone will get back to you to find out the details.

Join us for Mission Trip Fundraiser Lunch at Friesland Reformed Sunday Nov 4 from 11:45-1:00. Baked Potato Bar & Tacos. Free will donations go toward building materials for projects and evangelistic outreaches for our January 2019 Texas/Mexico trip.

Salute to Veterans

Celebrate the contributions to freedom of our veterans, as Central Wisconsin Christian hosts its annual 'Salute to Veterans' on Friday, November 9th at 2:00 PM in the Crusader Centre. All veterans in attendance will be individually recognized and honored for their service, as together we pause to remember that freedom isn't free!

Randolph Christian School invites you to join us in our observance of Veteran's Day on Monday, November 12 at 9:30 am in the RCS Gym. Help us celebrate our Veterans and show them how much we appreciate their service to our country.

GEMS will be starting back up on Monday, November 12th!

GEMS is a Christian based organization for young girls across the US and stands for Girls Everywhere Meeting the Savior. Any girls, 1st-8th grade, are welcome to join! The registration is \$25/girl. Gems takes place the 2nd & 4th Monday of each month from 7:00pm-8:30pm. If you or anyone you know would be interested in volunteering to help we can always use extra hands as well. Please contact Caylee Alsum (920-382-4718) if you are interested in helping or having any questions.

We welcome your congregations to join us at Friesland Reformed for A Praying Life seminar November 16-17. This is a practical learning time for how to pray in a distracting world. Friday: Check-in 6:00pm, seminar 6:30-9:15 pm. Saturday: Continental breakfast 8:30 am, seminar 9:00 am-12:30 pm. Register at seeJesus.net/events by Monday November 5, \$10 materials cost.

Belgic Confession Article 24

"We believe that this true faith, produced in man by the hearing of God's Word and by the work of the Holy Spirit, regenerates him and makes him a "new man," causing him to live the "new life" and freeing him from the slavery of sin.

Therefore, far from making people cold toward living in a pious and holy way, this justifying faith, quite to the contrary, so works within them that apart from it they will never do a thing out of love for God but only out of love for themselves and fear of being condemned.

So then, it is impossible for this holy faith to be unfruitful in a human being, seeing that we do not speak of an empty faith but of what Scripture calls "faith working through love," which leads a man to do by himself the works that God has commanded in his Word."

November Birthdays

- 4 Marilyn Oosterwyk
Judy Stiemsma**
- 6 Peter Douma**
- 9 Carl Vander Galien**
- 12 Sheri Hoekstra**
- 13 Frank Nehring**
- 14 Jean DeBoer**
- 17 Tom Alsum
Bryanna Tillema**
- 19 Shayla Thompson**
- 21 Sharon Sjoerdsma**
- 27 Kim Douma
Betty Hoffman**

November Anniversaries

- 5 Glen and Judy Sjoerdsma**
- 10 Carl and Diane Vander Galien**
- 27 Ray and Judy Stiemsma**

***God's richest blessings to all of you
on your special day!***