

Raymond Christian Reformed Church
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Sunday Services:

10:00 am (September through May)
9:30 am (June through August)

Services available via YouTube:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCJa2-MhthcVjt9ULuI275OA>

Sunday School:

9:00 am (September through May)

Committee Meetings: (September through May)

Cadets: 2nd & 4th Wednesday of each month

GEMS: 1st & 3rd Wednesday of each month

Ladies Bible Study: 1st Wednesday of each month

Men's Bible Study: Every Wednesday, at 7:00 pm

Combined Youth Group: Jr. JAM: 2x a month on Sunday
JAM: Every Wednesday

COUNCIL

ELDERS

Merle Sietsema (320-212-6424)
Clyde Slagter (320-979-8148)
Randy Bonnem (320-979-0850)
Lanne Roelofs (320-212-9770)
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Todd Post (320-212-1119)

DEACONS

Adam Olson (320-262-1102)
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Josh Fragodt (320-894-4145)

Pastoral Intern

Tony Krossman (320-212-3862)

We are alive in '25

MORNING ORDER OF WORSHIP

October 12th, 2025 – 10:00 am

Pastor Les Kuiper

Prelude

Welcome

*Call to Worship

* *Come, Christians, Join to Sing* – LUYH 599

Reading of the Law

Prayer of Confession

Assurance of Pardon

Children's Message

* *My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less* – LUYH 772 vs. 1,3,4

Scripture: **Hebrews 1:4-14**

Sermon: **Better Than Angels**

* *Beautiful Savior* – LUYH 17

Congregational Prayer

Offering

*Benediction/Blessing

* *Now Blessed Be the Lord Our God* – LUYH 953

Postlude

**Stand if able*

Notes

Mon. **This Week:** Evangelism Meeting 7 pm
Wed. **GEMS Ladies Tea 4-5:30 pm**
 JAM at BCRC 7 pm

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Next Sunday: October 19th

9:00 am – Sunday School
10:00 am – Morning Worship
7:00 pm – Jr. JAM at BCRC

Offerings: General Fund

10/19 Cookies: Darci Post, Norma Blom, Mavis Zimmer & Joanie Stutelberg

Ministry Servers: *October 19th*

AM Accompanist: Etta Granes

Power point: Morgan Taatjes

Sound: Josh Bestge

Video: Braxton Zimmer

Nursery: Mary Erickson & Claire Bestge

Library: Karin Asche

Ushers: Joel TeBrake & Tim Stutelberg

***Door Greeters:** Wilma Boonstra (E)
Glenn Brower (W)

WE WORSHIP AND PRAISE OUR GOD

Welcome to our Worship Service at Raymond Christian Reformed Church. *Please be mindful to those who are preparing their hearts for worship as you enter the sanctuary.*

Anyone desiring spiritual counseling or experiencing a family crisis, contact a visiting Elder (Todd P. and Scott W.) at any time.

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***Door Greeters:** Mike & Jolene Bonnema (E)
Randy & Barb Bonnema (W)

WE CARE ABOUT OUR CHURCH FAMILY

(Reminder updating the list once a month)

Prayers & Praises

- Please be in prayer for:
 - *Please keep Claire Bestge in your prayers as they figure out how to best care for her.*
 - *Yancy Evenson as he heals and recoveries from injuries.*
 - *Isaac Asche prayers that the doctors would be able to help figure out his stomach issues.*
- *Pray for our shut-ins, as well as others not mentioned in our church family who struggle with physical, mental, or spiritual needs.*
- *Our condolences to Bill Goeman and family in the passing of Betty, who was called home to the Lord on Thurs., Oct 2nd.*
- *Our condolences to Mel Ryks and family in the passing of Bev, who was called home to the Lord on Wed., Oct 1st.*
- *Congratulations to Kathy Tensen on the birth of her 41st great-grandchild, Harvey Lee Ruschen, who was born to Jeff & Shayla Ruschen on Sept. 22nd.*

Raymond CRC Family Prayer List

Alma Blom

Craig & Kelli Blom

Gordon & Elaine Blom

Dear Raymond CRC Church, on behalf of our family, I want to extend our deepest gratitude for your kindness in hosting the visitation service for Jim and Bea Harms. Though it has been many years since they moved away, your willingness to serve our family in this time of need speaks volumes of your compassion and generosity. It was a pleasure to see so many friends again. Thank you for arranging the facilities, coordinating the schedule, and making the space welcoming and respectful. Thank you specifically to Lori Roelofs for coordinating the efforts and helping in countless unseen ways. Everyone's efforts are truly appreciated. Jim and Bea both loved the Raymond CRC Church. We are grateful to call this faith community part of our extended circle, even after long years apart. May God bless you all richly for your kindness.

With sincerest thanks and appreciation, Todd Harms & Family

CMCS is hosting a Fall Concert featuring the High School Band & Choir on Tues., Oct. 21st at 7 pm in the Event Center.

Immanuel Lutheran Church of Clara City invites you to **The Looney Lutherans** a Comedy Night on Sat., Oct. 18th at 7 pm at the MACCRAY Auditorium. The Looney Lutherans are a trio of wacky gals who use music, comedy, and some help from the audience to share their age-old wisdom for living a long and lively life, the Lutheran way. Proceeds go towards the Community Education & Recreation Department directing supporting youth scholarships and instructor fees. Tickets are \$20 and can be bought online, in-person, or at the event. Online at: www.vancoevents.com/us/DGDO and in-person at the District Office.

CMCS High School Students will be serving the Prinsburg community by raking leaves on Fri. Oct. 24th. We would appreciate your help if you have trucks, trailers, and large tarps that could be used for the day. If you or someone you know would benefit from this service please contact the high school office at 320-978-8700 to sign up!

The Haiti Literacy Team is excited to announce our fall fundraiser, giving you an opportunity to support the teachers and students in Haiti as they begin their literacy classes this month. Contact a team member to purchase our famous 9x9 apple crisp for \$15, Singing Rooster Coffee for \$16, or Kwik Trip car wash cards- 5 washes for \$36. Orders are due by Mon., Oct. 20th. These are great items to help you enjoy fall or be prepared with Christmas gifts for family and friends. Contact Kris Te Brake (320-894-6394), Stacy Schwitters (320-979-0196), Christy Groen (320-212-9643), Megan Erickson (712-363-3043), or Paulaine Jean Louis (320-212-1878) to place your orders today!