

**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

**Women's Bible Study:** Every Monday Night at 7 pm

**Men's Bible Study:** Every Tuesday Night at 7 pm

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

**COUNCIL**

**ELDERS**

Merle Sietsema (320-212-6424)  
Todd Post (320-212-1119)  
Tim Minter (320-967-4102)  
Randy Bonnema (320-979-0850)  
Scott Wubben (320-894-0938)  
Jerry Groen (320-905-4520)

**DEACONS**

Adam Olson (320-262-1102)  
Doug Asche (320-220-0450)  
Micah Groen (320-905-0462)  
Nick Fragodt (320-212-1452)  
Josh Bestge (320-894-5156)

**Pastoral Intern**

Tony Krossman (320-212-3862)

"Be strong and courageous."

## MORNING ORDER OF WORSHIP

March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2026 – 10:00 am

Pastoral Intern Tony Krossman

Prelude

Welcome

\*Call to Worship

\* *How Lovely Is Your Dwelling* – LUYH 507

Profession of Faith and Welcome into Fellowship

Children's Message

\* *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us* – LUYH 330

Scripture: **Matthew 6:9-15, 1 John 1:8-10,**

**Luke 6:27-36, Matthew 18:21-35**

Sermon: **I can't Forgive that!**

\* *I Sought the Lord, and Afterward I Knew* – LUYH 685

Congregational Prayer

Offering

\*Benediction/Blessing

\* *Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* – LUYH 965

Postlude

*\*Stand if able*

## What is forgiveness?

## Why Should I forgive someone?

## Who do I need to forgive this week?

**This Week:**

**Mon.** Women's Bible Study 7 pm  
**Tues.** Men's Bible Study 7 pm  
**Wed.** Cadets 6:30 pm

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**Next Sunday: March 29<sup>th</sup>**

**9:00 am** – Sunday School  
**10:00 am** – Morning Worship – Palm Sunday  
**6:00 pm** – Easter Cantata Service

**Offerings:** General Fund

**3/29 Cookies:** Wilma Boonstra, Sandy Wubben, Amanda Gerdes, & Mackenzie Fragodt

***Ministry Servers: March 29<sup>th</sup>***

**AM Accompanist:** Etta Grannes

**Power point:** Lexi Wubben

**Sound:** Micah Groen

**Video:** Logan Roelofs

**Nursery:** Meg Feikema & Blake Vogel

**Library:** Karin Asche

**Ushers:** Craig Blom & Matt Beerman

**\*Door Greeters:** Ken Blom (E)  
Bennett & Deb Bonnema (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 (Randy B. and Merle S.) at any time.

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**AM Accompanist:** Amanda Gerdes

**Power point:** Darci Post

**Sound:** Josh Bestge

**Video:** Braxton Zimmer

**Nursery:** Mary Erickson & Hattie Roelofs

**Library:** Karin Asche

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**\*Door Greeters:** Craig & Kelli Blom (E)  
Gordon & Elaine Blom (W)

## **WE CARE ABOUT OUR CHURCH FAMILY**

*(Reminder updating the list once a month)*

### **Prayers & Praises**

- Please be in prayer for:
  - *Lexi Wubben's knee surgery went well. Praying for a good recovery.*
  - *Tony's dad, Ray Krossman had a severe stroke and was transported to St. Cloud Hospital. Please pray for God's healing hand of mercy.*
  - *Kathy Tensen is back at home. She recovered quickly and we praise God for his healing hand.*
  - *We praise God for a successful surgery for Randy and Barb Bonnema's grandson.*
  - *Yancy Evenson as he recovers from neck surgery.*
  - *Shelly Krossman is having surgery on Apr. 1<sup>st</sup> at the U of M.*
  - *Helen Beekman fell and broke her arm. Pray for God's healing mercies.*
  - *Jodi Tensen's knee surgery went well. Praying for a good recovery.*
  - *Lucas Schwitters pet scan came back better than expected and he will have 6 more rounds of Chemotherapy and a pet scan after that.*
- *Pray for our shut-ins, as well as others not mentioned in our church family who struggle with physical, mental, or spiritual needs.*

### ***Raymond CRC Family Prayer List***

Alma Blom

Craig & Kelli Blom

Gordon & Elaine Blom

The CMCS Drama Department is preparing for its Spring Play, "Charlotte's Web." Performances will be on Thurs., Apr. 16<sup>th</sup> and Fri., Apr. 17<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm for \$10 a person. A Dinner Theater Experience will be offered on Sat., Apr. 18<sup>th</sup> at 6 pm for \$30 a person. The play will be performed in the Central Event Center. Tickets go on sale on Mon., Mar. 16<sup>th</sup> at 9 am at [centralbluejays.org/resources](http://centralbluejays.org/resources). See you at the show!

**Women's Spring Retreat** – will be held on Apr. 11<sup>th</sup> at 10 am at Faith Christian Reformed Church in Brighton, MN. Are you drained, discouraged, or in need of a soul reset? Come connect, laugh, and feast with friends. Come join us and discover "Godly Grit", anchored to Jesus, who will never let you go. Cost is \$15 per person. Lunch is provided! Please RSVP before Easter (4/5). To RSVP or if you have questions, please contact Christine Beekman 763-360-9181.

**Men's Lenten Breakfasts** will be every Wednesday through April 1<sup>st</sup> starting at 6:30 am at Bethany Reformed Church. You are invited to join us for coffee, pancakes, and a brief message.

**VBS NEEDS BOXES!** We need any size or shape boxes to help us decorate this year. Please put them upstairs in the classroom label VBS.  
Thanks Jesscia Roelofs