#### **This Week:**

## Have a Blessed Week!

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Next Sunday: August 31st

9:30 am - Morning Worship

Offerings: General Fund

8/31 Cookies: Michelle Minter, Kim Erickson, Amanda Gerdes,

& Jamie Bestge

Ministry Servers: August 31st

**AM Accompanist**: Aimee TeBrake

Power point: Lexi Wubben

**Sound**: Micah Groen **Video**: Morgan Taatjes

Nursery: Meg Feikema & Braxton Zimmer

Library: Darci Post

Ushers: Mike Bonnema & Adam Roelofs

\*Door Greeters: Doug & Becky Zimmer (E)

Mavis Zimmer (W)

### WE WORSHIP AND PRAISE OUR GOD

*Sunday, August 24th, 2025* 

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 (Clyde S. and Lanne R.) at any time.

**Offerings:** Raymond Event Center

## WE CARE ABOUT OUR CHURCH FAMILY

(Reminder updating the list once a month)

#### **Prayers & Praises**

- Please be in prayer for:
  - Betty Goeman is in the Clara City Care Center and has been placed on hospice.
  - ➤ Dennis DeGrote, brother in law to Merle Epema, has cancer in his bones.
  - > Continued prayers for Seth Groen as he waits for the neurosurgeon and best treatment plan going forward.
  - ➤ Bev Ryks is at home recovering. Mel & Bev Ryks new address: Clara City Assisted Living 200 Wachtler Ave Clara City, MN 56222 Apt. 209.
- Pray for our shut-ins, as well as others not mentioned in our church family who struggle with physical, mental, or spiritual needs.
- Congratulations to Marge Groen on the birth of her 23<sup>rd</sup> Great Grandchild, Scott Bryon Groen, born on Tue., Aug 19<sup>th</sup> to Matt & Jamie Groen. Scott weighed 9 lbs. and 11 oz. He was welcomed home by his siblings Adeline, Henry, and Benny.

# Raymond CRC Family Prayer List

Tim & Joan Stutelberg Chad & Lora Taatjes (Morgan, Jocelyn, Oliver) John & Pat Taatjes

Thank you for your prayers and cards in the death of Luanne's brother Kurt Antvelink. Mike, Luanne, Caleb, Micah, & Seth Groen

Join us for the Education Year Kickoff on Sept. 7<sup>th</sup>. A Potluck meal will follow the morning worship service. Please bring a dish or dessert to share. Bring your competitive energy to participate in outdoor and indoor games. You can also bring a lawn chair to sit and enjoy the entertainment of the games! Young and old, we hope to see everyone there!

Renville Museum Fundraiser on Thurs., Sept. 4<sup>th</sup>, from 5-7 pm outside the Museum on Bryant Ave in Renville. (Rain location: Dave's Place in Renville). There will be hot dogs, chips, and root beer floats. Free will donation. Come refresh your memories and help support the continued renewal and restoration of the Renville Museum. Come one, come all, come hungry!

FRIENDSHIP CLASS will resume Sept. 8<sup>th</sup>. We meet for one hour at the ROL CRC at 7 pm every other Monday. If you would like to be a mentor or be able to help with lunch please talk to Gretjen, Ruby, Sallie, Sandy or Helene for information.

CMCS Retreat Sept. 5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> the CMCS high school students have the opportunity to spend a weekend at Lake Geneva Christian Center near Alexandria. **How can you help?** First, pray that each one attending may experience a nearness to God. May He have His will with all who attend the retreat. Second, Snacks, Snacks, Snacks. Kids come with appetites. If you can help – please bring goodies to the CMCS office by the morning of Sept. 5<sup>th</sup>. **Would you be able to help financially?** Costs keep going up and we are trying to keep it affordable to students. In addition to lodging, we have travel and speaker expenses. Financial gifts (made out to Unity CRC - Retreat) may also be brought to the CMCS office. Thank you in advance for your participation