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New With Us?

First of all, welcome! Thank you for joining us this weekend! Here are few tips to help your morning go smoother.

- Please fill out a connection card. Put it into the offering plate when it comes by, or into one of the drop boxes by the sanctuary entrances.
- Please don't feel obligated to participate in the offering. The offering is for members and regular attenders who consider RRC their home.
- All baptized followers of Christ, including children, are invited to participate in communion (first Sunday of every month). RRC uses grape juice and gluten-free bread.
- A prayer team is available at the front of the sanctuary after each service to pray with those who want an extra time of prayer.
- If you have children, they are welcome to remain with you throughout the service, or you can choose from different options:
 - KidLife (3 years-5th grade) - available during both worship services on the lower level. Check-in is in the Fellowship Hall, Room 100 (directly below the sanctuary). Children may start service there, or go after our opening music in the sanctuary.
 - KidLife Nursery (0-3 years) - Room 241 (upper level of gym).
 - Parent-Infant Room - available near the back of the sanctuary for fussy children and nursing mothers.
 - Children's bulletins and crayons are available near the lobby stairs.
 - There is Sunday School for grades 6-12 during the 9:30 service only. See inside pages for more information.

What's Next?

If you want to become more connected to RRC, the next step is to simply show up. Regularly attending Sunday worship services is a great start. We also offer a variety of programs and activities throughout the week to help you grow in your relationship with Jesus and with others. You are welcome to check out our programs at any time. If you have any questions or need some suggestions, please contact the front office (616-866-2308, connect@rockfordrc.org).

If you are interested in membership, call the front office and we'll schedule you for our next Discovery Class.

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Sunday, February 4, 2018

Order of Service

Worship Services @ 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.

Prelude
Scandal of Grace

Welcome & Announcements

Songs of Worship
This I Believe
The Church's One Foundation
*** Children are invited to KidLife downstairs*
Arms Open Wide

Offering
Forever Reign
Doxology

Prayer & Message
"Our Eyes Are Upon You"
2 Chronicles 20:1-13 (p.335)
Jason Vermeulen

Communion
Mighty To Save

Closing Blessing

Coming Up
Feb 11: Doug McClintic
Feb 18: Kurt Reppart
Feb 25: Doug McClintic
March 4: Tim Meendering
March 11-25: Doug McClintic

welcome

to Rockford Reformed Church!

In this program you will find today's order of worship, along with announcements, a calendar, prayer requests, and more. If this is your first time here, please stop by our welcome table in the lobby and pick up a gift bag! See the back page for visitor info.

notes

What's Going On?

Sun	9:05am	Prayer in Room 212 to pray over the services. All welcome!	
	9:30-10:30am	WORSHIP SERVICE in the Sanctuary KidLife (5th grade and under, check-in Room 100)  Middle School Sunday School (Youth Room 153)  High School Sunday School (Room 246) Adult Sunday School <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Parental Guidance Required" (no adult class today) led by Kevin & Polly Johnson (Fireside Room 253) Prayer in Room 250 starting at 9:40. All welcome!	
	10:30-11:00	Care Group 2 Meet-n-Greet in the Fellowship Hall Care Group 3 Meet-n-Greet in the Gym Care Group 5 & 6 Meet-n-Greet in the Fireside Room	
	11:00-12:00am	WORSHIP SERVICE in the Sanctuary KidLife (5th grade and under, check-in Room 100) 	
	6:30-8:00pm	High School Youth Group (Youth Room 153) 	
Tue	7:00am	Men's Prayer Breakfast (Fellowship Hall 100)	
	9:30-11:00am	Women's Bible Study (Room 212) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "Study of Acts" led by Marcia Coleman & Jean Boyd 	
Wed	12:00noon	Feb. 7 - Adult Fellowship Group Potluck - bring a dish to pass and stay for the program, "Safe and Healthy Living for Seniors"	
	6:00-6:30pm	Family Dinner (gym)	
	6:30-8:00pm	KidLife Club (ages 3 years-5th grade) 	
	6:30-8:00pm	Middle School Youth Group (Youth Room 253) 	
	6:45-8:00pm	Adult Bible Studies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • "If You Want to Walk on Water, You've Got to Get Out of the Boat" Study by John Ortberg, led by Cathy Hallenbeck (Fireside Room 253) • "Listen, Love, Repeat" led by Polly Johnson (Room 250) 	
Thu	7:00-8:30pm	Feb. 22 - Ladies Book Club in the Fireside Room	



Announcements

High School Fundraiser Dinner: Sunday, February 25 in the gym following the 11am service. Family and friends are invited to join us for a delicious dinner and to support our High School Youth Group as they raise funds for their mission trips and retreats! On the menu - an Italian Buffet: Homemade Lasagna, Spaghetti with Meatballs, Chicken Alfredo with Rotini Noodles, sides and dessert.

Thank you to all who attended our Chili Cook-Off! Over \$700 was raised for our Missions group. Congratulations to our winners: 1st place - Chris & Tyler Hallenbeck; 2nd place - Jaime Mueller; 3rd place - Nate & Landen Jennings.

Trivia Night: Friday, Feb. 23 in the gym. Free appetizers start at 6:15pm, and trivia starts at 7:00. Register online or in the lobby. Childcare provided by our youth ministry to raise funds for mission trips and retreats. rockfordrc.org/trivia-night

Garage Sale: The annual church garage sale to support RRC Youth Ministries is March 17. Donation drop-off will be the two weeks leading up to the garage sale.

Vacation Bible School: June 24-27, 2018

Camp Voucher Codes 2018:
 Cran-Hill: 1023882-150D18
 Camp Geneva: 8415-150D

Reminders

- Please turn in your Connection Card every week, even if it's just checking in.
- Check your mail folder in the office hallway periodically. Don't have one? Contact the office.
- If you don't have offering envelopes, you can request them from the office (or just make a note on your Connection Card).

Prayer

Recovery & Intercession

- **Ruth Westrate** is home and doing well after her kyphoplasty (back surgery) on Thursday.
- **Carol Riegling** - continued prayers appreciated.
- **Ray Dulyea** has started dialysis.
- **Dave Mundwiler** - MRI showed tumor is stable. Continues treatments.
- **Bill Boyd** continues dialysis and awaits a transplant.
- Medical concerns of various Haiti individuals, especially **Jorvens**.
- Be in prayer for **Austin McConnon** (National Guard) and all military personnel, disaster victims, and people searching for jobs.

Extended Family

- **Rog Sikkema** (Pomranka's brother-in-law) received his prosthesis and is now able to walk again.
- **Chloe Honeysette** (cousin of McConnons) diagnosed with cancer.
- **Joe Pilko** (Eric Pilko's dad) undergoing chemo & radiation treatments.
- **Judy Handanch** (Terri Katsma's sister) continues rehab for speech/memory and chemo for cancer treatment.
- **Helen Heemstra** (Terri Katsma's mom) continues chemo treatments.

For a full listing of all of our events, announcements, volunteer needs, and more, be sure to sign up for the eBeacon, emailed every Friday. Contact the church office at connect@rockfordrc.org and ask to be put on the list. Paper copies are available for those without email.



Attendance & Giving

You can give directly from your phone or computer. Look for the link on the front page of our website. Contact the office if you would like offering envelopes.

Last week's attendance:	265
Last week's Ministry & Missions offering:	\$8,169
Last week's FLC Debt Reduction offering:	\$815