

Following  
 *Jesus*  
together in mission  
as His *love*   
*transforms*  
lives for God's glory

*First*  
**REFORMED**  **CHURCH**  
*with a*  
**VISION** *for* *Cultural Influence*

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**March 17 2019**

Traditional Service – 8:15am

Contemporary Service – 10:30am

**FIRST REFORMED CHURCH  
Sheboygan Falls, WI**

**TRADITIONAL SERVICE – 8:15am**

**PRELUDE**

Julie Sonnentag

**WELCOME**

**HYMN #21** – *"O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"*

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION:** *Lord Jesus, every part of who I am--my mind and my body, my actions and my words, my emotions and my will--is affected by sin. Like leprosy, it has stained me and brought pain to my life. I need Your healing touch to stop its spread in my life, and to make me clean, so that I can know the joy of a restored relationship with You. I thank You for Your grace, to love me and forgive me; I praise You for Your power, to cleanse me and change me from death to life. Amen.*

**RENEWAL OF BAPTISM PROMISES**

**MINISTRY OF MUSIC**

*"Jesus Is Lord of All"*

Choir

**CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER**

**HYMN #293** – *"Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness"*

**SERMON**

*"Essential Oil"*

Pastor Brad  
Luke 4:14-21

**OFFERTORY**

**HYMN #551** – *"O to Be Like Thee!"*

**BENEDICTION**

**CLOSING SONG #86** – *"Jesus, Name Above All Names"*

Jesus, name above all names, beautiful Savior,  
Glorious Lord, Emmanuel, God is with us,  
Blessed Redeemer, Living Word.

## CONTEMPORARY SERVICE – 10:30am

### PRELUDE

*"Build Your Kingdom Here"*

### WELCOME

*"Old Church Choir"*

### PRAYER

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:** Jeremiah Dawson

*"Remind Me Who I Am"*

### SERMON

*"Essential Oil"*

Pastor Brad  
Luke 4:14-21

### OFFERTORY

*"Survivor"*

### BENEDICTION

#### **WELCOME**

Even amid Lent we live in the light of Easter, and every Sabbath celebrates salvation! Welcome to worship, to forgiveness, to everlasting life.

#### **VISITORS**

We especially want to welcome you to our service today.  
Please be sure to fill out the Welcome Card that is in the bulletin.

Please turn off any pagers or cell phones.

## THIS WEEK

### TODAY:

8:15am Traditional Service  
9:30am Sunday School  
10:30am Contemporary Service

### MONDAY:

7:00pm Men's Bible Study

### TUESDAY:

6:30pm Choir

### WEDNESDAY:

6:30pm Promiseland, Believe &  
CrossCenter

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM** is being administered today to Jeremiah Stewart Dawson, son of Josh & Heather Dawson.

### PASTOR BRAD'S UPCOMING SCHEDULE:

March 18-24 Continuing Ed. prayer and study retreat  
March 25-31 Vacation

### PALM SUNDAY CHOIR

Anyone high school age or older is invited to join the choir for the combined Palm Sunday musical service. Rehearsals are Tuesdays March 26, Apr 2, and Apr 9 at 6:30 in the choir room. Contact Julie Messner with questions.

### JASON GRAY CONCERT

First Reformed Church has a once in a lifetime event on Wednesday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>. Jason Gray, an American contemporary Christian singer-songwriter will be performing a concert starting at 7:00pm in the sanctuary. The Evangelism Team would like to invite you and a friend to this concert. This is a FREE concert however you will need a ticket to attend. There are a limited number of tickets available. If you are interested in attending, please stop and pick up tickets at the back of church from one of the Evangelism Team members.

## DIRECTORY CHANGE

Dennis and Kris Beach's email addresses are incorrect in the directory so please make the changes in your books. Correct email addresses for them are: [krisbeach44@gmail.com](mailto:krisbeach44@gmail.com) and [dennis.beach3@gmail.com](mailto:dennis.beach3@gmail.com)

## DIRECT THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS® BY MARCH 31.

Eligible Thrivent Financial members who have available Choice Dollars® have until March 31, 2019 to direct them. You can go to [Thrivent.com/thriventchoice](http://Thrivent.com/thriventchoice) to learn more. Or call 800-847-4836 and say "Thrivent Choice" after the prompt.

## UPCOMING SCHEDULE

**April 7** Pine Haven Men's Chorus 6:00pm

## YOUTH MINISTRIES

### Promiseland (1<sup>st</sup> -5<sup>th</sup> grades):

**March 20** – 6:30pm Pizza/Game night -  
Last night of Promiseland

### Believe (Middle School):

**March 20** – 6:30pm

**March 27** – 6:30pm

### CrossCenter (High School):

**March 20** – 6:30pm

**March 27** – 6:30pm

## 2019 ELDER/DEACON DISTRICTS:

**A-B** Steve Stoffregen, Dave Stoffregen

**C-F** Wayne LeMahieu, Dave Herwig

**G-H** Dan Van Wyk, John Buehler

**I-L** Dennis Beach, Travis Steffen

**M-P** Gary Ten Haken, Mark Bimmel

**Q-S** Dick Huibregtse, Doug Fabian

**T-V** Steve Wilterdink, Jeff Born

**W-Z** Dennis Meerdink, Corey Kappers

## **COMMUNITY EVENTS**

### **ANNUAL GOOD NEWS JAIL & PRISON MINISTRY BANQUET**

Bringing Hope to the Forgotten

*When: Tuesday, May 7th*

*Time: 6:00pm*

*Where: Blue Harbor Conference Center*

Contact Pastor Brad or the church office to reserve your ticket if you are interested. Tickets are free but there will be an opportunity at the banquet to give a donation to Good News Jail ministry.

### **JOIN THE PINE HAVEN MISSION**

serving the Lord through service to our seniors! Pine Haven is holding open interviews every Thursday in March from 10am-4pm at their Giddings Avenue campus for a wide variety of positions and shifts. Learn more at [www.pinehaven.org/careers/](http://www.pinehaven.org/careers/)

## **PRAISE AND PRAYER PAGE**

*To add a request to the page for yourself, or for a family member or friend, simply contact the church office by phone, or by email, or by leaving a note. And, in addition to prayer requests, we'd also like to list opportunities to praise God for His goodness in our lives.*

- Please pray for **Lillian & Lydia Wrensch**, Great- granddaughters of Bill & Marlene Hoftiezer. They were born prematurely and are at St. Vincent Hospital in Green Bay.
- **Mission of the week – Abraham & Sayuri Kist-Okazaki**

### **THANK YOU!**

- The BELIEVE Youth Group would like to take a moment to thank the congregation for their support to our youth ministry. Financial support is given to our group in ways the congregation may not even know. The soda machine downstairs is graciously manned by Mr. Bimmel and the profits from the machine are given to our group. We recently had a deposit of just under \$100 from the last year of soda purchases. With the mention of soda, we also collect cans in the shed on the outside edge of the Prayer Park. For those of you who contribute your cans, thank you. The profits from those collections also go to support our group. It's never too late to start dropping your cans there for future support. While these things may seem like small contributions, to our group they are HUGE! Having extra funds available to our group allows us to attend our Winter Retreat to Silver Birch each year and allows us to enrich our learning and fellowship with extra materials. We truly appreciate the small gestures of financial support that we get. More importantly, we appreciate the love and prayer support that our congregation gives to our youth. "Train up a child in the way he should go, Even when he is old he will not depart from it." Proverbs 22:6. Together we are raising up disciples of the Lord. Bless you and Praise God! BELIEVE Youth Group and Leaders

# Essential Oil

3-17-19

Luke 4:14-21

Series: *Behold Our God*

God the Son: Messiah – Anointed One

*"The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me ... Today this scripture is fulfilled in your hearing."*

- Luke 4:18,21

*Now it is God who makes both us and you stand firm in Christ. He anointed us, set his seal of ownership on us, and put his Spirit in our hearts as a deposit, guaranteeing what is to come.*

- 2 Corinthians 1:21-22

The essence of anointing is to be set apart to God for a special purpose:

1. R\_\_\_\_\_ for Christ's A\_\_\_\_\_

2. R\_\_\_\_\_ of Christ's A\_\_\_\_\_

As a P\_\_\_\_\_

As a P\_\_\_\_\_

As a K\_\_\_\_\_

3. R\_\_\_\_\_ Christ's A\_\_\_\_\_

## MISSION STATEMENT

### OUR VISION

*Following Jesus together in mission as His love transforms lives for God's glory.*

### OUR MISSION

*At First Reformed Church of Sheboygan Falls, through the leading of the Lord, we seek to:*

**Live with Jesus**, seeking the greatness of God through worship, the Bible, and prayer, in unity with the Lord and with each other.

**Live like Jesus**, seeking to glorify God and fulfill His kingdom mission of transformation in the power of the Holy Spirit.

**Live for Jesus**, seeking to share the good news of the gospel and make disciples of all nations.

### MINISTERING TODAY

### NEXT SUNDAY

GREETERS	1 <sup>st</sup> Service	Art & Sue Dulmes Tim & Laura Gabrielse	Larry & Cindy Meyer Henry & Kristi Fritsch
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Service	Jesse & Evie Frausto Luke & Laura Hartlep	Steve & Sharon Crivello Paul & Rachel Houwers
NURSERY	1 <sup>st</sup> Service	Doug & Katie Fabian	Julie Huibregtse Sophia Zhang
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Service	Rachel Houwers, Lila Houwers	Heather Dawson, Cassie Will
CAMERA	1 <sup>st</sup> Service	Jon Fritsch/Matt Bimmel	Chris Zhang
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Service	Nathan Wagner	Jared Veenendaal
SOUND	1 <sup>st</sup> Service	Gary Ten Haken	Dan Otte
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Service	Jared Veenendaal	Dan Otte
GREET/ASSIST PEOPLE	After the Service	Greg Middlesworth	Jim Kuplic
CHILDREN'S SERMON	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month		Kyle Koning
USHERS FOR THE MONTH	Each Sunday in <b>March</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Service: David Herwig Curt Teunissen Ron Meinnert	2 <sup>nd</sup> Service: Dan Van Wyk

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