


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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June 9, 2019
Traditional Service – 8:15am
Contemporary Service – 10:30am

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PRELUDE

Julie Sonnentag

WELCOME

HYMN #128 vs. 1&3 – *"I Sing the Mighty Power of God"*
#329 vs. 1&4 – *"There Is Power in the Blood"*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: *Lord, we confess that we're often more interested in being comfortable than being challenged as we seek to follow You. We've become complacent, neglecting the things that will help us grow in faith. We've stopped believing that You have the power to do amazing things in and through us. Forgive us, Lord, and send Your Holy Spirit to help us experience how You are "able to do immeasurable more than all we ask or imagine, according to Your power that is at work within us". Amen.*

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

Mary Loewen

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

HYMN – *"Channels Only"*

SERMON

"With Great Power Comes Great Response-Ability"

Pastor Brad
Acts 1:8, 2:1-4

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

OFFERTORY

HYMN – *"Behold Our God"*

BENEDICTION

CLOSING SONG #812 – *"Glory Be to the Father"*

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost,
As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen, Amen.

CONTEMPORARY SERVICE – 10:30am

PRELUDE

"Sing a Song"

WELCOME

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

"The Lion and the Lamb"

"Same Power "

PRAYER

"Come to the Table"

CHILDREN'S SERMON

Dick Huibregtse

SERMON

"With Great Power Comes Great Response-Ability"

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Acts 1:8, 2:1-4

OFFERTORY

"Behold Our God"

BENEDICTION

WELCOME

Welcome to Pentecost Day worship! As we celebrate how the Holy Spirit called Christ's church into being, let us keep eyes and hearts open to how the Spirit is working today.

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

TUESDAY:

7:00pm Executive Committee

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW MEMBERS

We receive into our membership today Rachel Halverson, Valerie Halverson, Stephanie Veenendaal and Ed Brey. Please be sure to welcome them after the services.

GOOD SHEPHERD MEAL

Our church is hosting the Good Shepherd Meal on Tuesday, June 25. We are in need of volunteers to serve our guests and folks to donate pies, cheesecakes, and milk. The sign-up sheets are on the table in the back of church.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

Following the June 25 Good Shepherd Meal, I will be stepping down as the coordinator. If anyone is interested in assuming this role, please contact me at: 912-0710. I will be happy to answer any questions you may have. Evie Frausto

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Starting July 7 with the prayer park outdoor worship service, we will have one morning worship service through Sunday, September 1. We will return to our normal Sunday morning schedule on September 8.

SUMMER NURSERY SCHEDULE

I will be putting the summer nursery schedule together at the end of June. We only have one service from July 7th through September 1st. Please let me know if there are specific dates that you want to work or that don't work for your schedule. Please let me know by June 24th. You can call or text me at 467-1385 or email me at tonjaveenendaal@gmail.com. Thanks!

SUPPORT NEEDED

Makayla and Haley Drescher are participating in the summer ministry at Lake Lundgren Bible Camp. There are copies of support letters on the foyer table explaining their need for both financial and prayer support.

THE DORCAS SOCIETY has made 28 quilts this past year. The quilts will be distributed to Safe Harbor, Prison Ministry, Angel Hugs, Mary's Room and Sharon Richardson Hospice as well as for baptized babies in our church. Thank you to all who met each month to make this possible and to all who donated fabric and a memorial gift to help with our expenses. We will resume sewing again in September and are always looking for help with our quilt assembly/sewing and for donations of fabric.

JESUS & COFFEE

Gift sets available for \$15 each are on the foyer table. These make nice gifts for Father's Day or for a friend. Inspirational sets for men & women. Proceeds raised will benefit the Love INC Volunteer Ministry. Please pay with cash or a check made out to Love INC Sheboygan County and place it in the box on the foyer table.

ROAR VBS

Join in the fun of our mane event ROAR VBS being held June 17 - June 21! At Roar, kids explore God's goodness and celebrate a ferocious faith that powers them through this wild life. Each evening will begin with fellowship and a meal starting at 5:15pm, followed by our group rotations 6:00pm-8:00pm. Please mark your calendars for our closing program Friday, June 21 at 7:00pm.

VBS SPONSOR A CHILD OPPORTUNITIES

Through this program we offer members of our church, who want to help support VBS, the opportunity to help make VBS special for the kids. Our enrollment has been on the rise and we are anticipation 80 kids this year. The people who help sponsor a child provide children with the items that they are able to take home throughout the week, that help them reflect on their experiences at VBS and Explore that Life is Wild and God is Good. Once again you can sponsor a child for VBS! This year the cost to sponsor a child is \$10, which will provide the children with a t-shirt that will have our VBS logo on it, a CD of the week's music, and some other small items to take home for reflection. Please prayerfully consider supporting this program and our children, as well as other children from our community, as it is our goal to reach out to children and teach them God's Word. If you are interested in sponsoring a child, there is a bucket in the back of church where you can place your donation. (If you are making out a check, please make it payable to First Reformed Church.) Thank you for your support. If you have any questions, please talk to Jenny Kappers, VBS Director.

VBS is in need of cardboard toilet paper rolls. There will be a container in the foyer to put them in.

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

3RD ANNUAL PUTT FORE LOVE

Mini golf outing on June 15, 10am-10pm at Harbor Pointe Mini Golf, 322 S. Pier Dr. in Sheboygan. Event featuring: 18 holes of golf, photo booth, hole in one contests, prizes, slushies. All proceeds to benefit Love INC of Sheboygan County.

PROJECT ANGEL HUGS - EVERYONE IS WELCOME to join the FUN! The 12th annual "Be An Angel" benefit is Sunday, June 16th from 11 am - 6 pm at the Sheboygan County Fairgrounds. Come enjoy the brat fry & bake sale, NEW music by Witness Protection Band, ice cream treats from What's The Scoop, The Balloon Lady, silent auction, wine pulls, 50/50 raffles, bucket raffles, the inflatable slide & castle, rock climbing wall, kid's games, pony rides & petting zoo and the NEW butterfly release!

GOODSTOCK MUSIC FESTIVAL

Friday, June 21st at Fountain Park in Sheboygan with first band starting at 4:30pm. We are trying a Friday night this year instead of all day Saturday. Come out and enjoy some great music.

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.

- **Joe Reklaitis** - chemo once a week for 6 weeks. He will also be having cataract surgeries in June.
- **Woody & LaVerne Soerens** - colon cancer surgery on Thursday, June 6. He will be at St. Nicholas Hospital.
- **Makayla Drescher and Haley Drescher** - summer camp counselors at Lake Lundgren
- Upcoming summer ministries: **VBS, Goodstock**
- **RCA General Synod** - June 6-11 at Hope College in Holland, MI

Mission of the week – Armond & Rachel Floyd

With Great Power Comes Great Response-Ability

6-9-19

Acts 1:8, 2:1-4

Series: *Behold Our God* God the Spirit: 5/19 Person 6/2 Presents
5/26 Promise 6/9 Power

"You will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses ..."

- Acts 1:8

I pray that out of (God's) glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith.

- Ephesians 3:16-17

1. P _____ of P _____

2. P _____ of P _____

3. P _____ of P _____

4. P _____ to P _____

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 st Service	John & Pat Boge Julie Messner	Ken & Sara Born John & Connie Buehler
	2 nd Service	Vern & Karen Heidenreiter Paul & Rachel Houwers	Dick & Gail Huibregtse Joel & Ashley Huibregtse
NURSERY	1 st Service	Julie Huibregtse, Sophie Zhang	Sara Born, Stephanie Veenendaal
	2 nd Service	Rachel Houwers, Lila Houwers	Gail Huibregtse, Cassie Will
CAMERA	1 st Service	Chris Zhang	Sophia Zhang
	2 nd Service	Jared Veenendaal	Dan Otte
SOUND	1 st Service	Ken Van Wyk	Jon Fritsch
	2 nd Service	Ken Van Wyk	Jared Veenendaal
GREET/ASSIST PEOPLE	After the Service	Dennis Beach	Jim Kuplic
CHILDREN'S SERMON	2 nd & 4 th Sundays of the month	Dick Huibregtse	
USHERS FOR THE MONTH	Each Sunday in June	1 st Service: Dale Wingert Dick Koebel	2 nd Service: Steve Beeck

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