

APRIL 27, 2025

WORSHIP

SUNDAY, APRIL 27, 2025

Prelude - Nevonne Stoker

Praise & Worship

Hymn #329- Power in the Blood (vs, 1,3,4)

Hymn #338- Wonderful Grace of Jesus (all verses)

Hymn #370- Rejoice, the Lord is King (all verses)

***Prayer**

Announcements

Ministry of Music - Ella Scholten

Congregational & Offertory Prayer

Hymn #605- Living for Jesus (vs. 1-3)

Little Lambs (3 yr olds - TK) are dismissed for Children & Worship

Message - A Handle on Involvement - Romans 12:4-27

Special Offering - Hope Haven

Hymn #602- I Have Decided to Follow Jesus (vs. 1-3)

Benediction

Hymn #602- I Have Decided to Follow Jesus (vs. 4)

Postlude

** Please stand if you are able*

FELLOWSHIP WITH US

A special welcome to our visitors! If you are a visitor, we would like to make contact with you. Please fill out a "Welcome to the Family" card located by the sanctuary doors and place it in Rus Verburg's church mailbox. Thank you for coming! Everyone is invited to the Fellowship Hall today to enjoy coffee and lemonade.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sr. RCYF Meal

The Sr. RCYF would like to invite the senior members of our church for noon dinner and games on May 4th. Please sign up on the MOVE table by April 27th.

Camp Middleburg

Please submit your registrations by Wednesday, April 30 so supplies and materials can be ordered. Camp Middleburg is also looking for volunteers. Check out the sign up sheet on the MOVE table.

Thank You

Thank you for the opportunity to worship with you on Maundy Thursday evening in Middleburg. Linda and I were blessed by the worship and welcoming fellowship of the congregation. We appreciated the preparations that went into the service, the thoughtful Lenten sanctuary decor, and the willing participation of members who took part in the service. It is a pleasure to see the congregation of Free Grace joyfully building the kingdom of Christ in the Middleburg community. May the Holy Spirit continue to bless your congregation as you worship and serve together for God's glory.

—Pastor Steve (and Linda) Breen

A big thank you to Rachel Kooiker and Julie Schafer for the beautiful church decorations during the Easter season.

Children Books

There are two tables of free children's books on the north end of the Fellowship Hall.

Lost & Found

There are several lost-and-found items on the MOVE table in the Fellowship Hall. Please check if any of those belong to you.

CONNECT WITH US!

If you are new and wish to get connected with MFG, scan the QR Code.



PRAYER CONCERNS

Let us remember our friends and family in our prayers:

- Dave Roskam has trigeminal neuralgia in his face, causing sharp pain. He will visit with a specialist in Rochester to determine a possible treatment.
- Henrietta Hofland, Andrea Wielenga's mother, is fighting stomach cancer.
- Lucille Van Zee and Harriet Vander Zwaag, and our beloved elderly members who are unable to gather with us each Sunday.



THIS WEEK

Tuesday, 4 PM – Women's Bible Study: Rest and Release

Wednesday, 6 AM – Mendistry at the church

Wednesday, 7 PM – Mendistry at the Middleburg Store

Thursday, 7 PM – Mendistry at Evan Grotenhuis' shed (Newkirk)

Friday, 6:30 PM – Mother-daughter gathering

Saturday, 7:30 AM – Mendistry at the church

GET INVOLVED

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 2 - Mother-Daughter Gathering

May 4 - Senior RCYF Meal

May 18 - Last day of Sunday School

June 2-6 - Camp Middleburg

BIRTHDAYS

April 27 - Brett Kooiker

April 27 - Landon Meerdink

April 27 - Deb Te Slaa

May 2 - Alexa Vander Berg

May 3 - Wilemina Schuiteman

ANNIVERSARIES

April 29 - Billy & Heidi Kooiker

April 30 - Eric & Carmen Mulder

May 2 - Mother-Daughter Gathering, 6:30pm

We look forward to an evening of fellowship and fashion, honoring the women in our lives. Instructions for models and gown carriers are in your mailbox. We'll see you there!

May 3 - Volunteer Work Day At Inspiration Hills

Event on Saturday, May 3 | 8am-4pm. Register by calling 712-986-5193 or emailing: ihills@inspirationhills.org. Volunteer Day is a day specifically dedicated to addressing B&G projects at Inspiration Hills. We encourage you to bring groups of all sizes and skill levels for this day of service. Your volunteer time helps Inspiration Hills prepare their grounds for the Summer season. Many different projects are available for all ages! Lunch will be provided! To register or learn more, visit inspirationhills.org/volunteerday.

May 5 - Bible League Spring Luncheon

Ladies: Plan to attend the Bible League's Spring Salad Luncheon with your friends on Monday, May 5 at the Rock Valley First Christian Reformed Church (1401 16th Street, Rock Valley IA). Please bring one salad for every four ladies in your group. The Luncheon begins at 11:30 AM; featured speaker is Gayle Walhof who will tell of her 4-year journey in publishing her book "Songs of Naaman – A Novel of King David's Harem". Updates from BLI will be given, and a freewill donation will be received. Join us for this FUN event! Contact Gloria Miller for details.

June 20 & 21 - RiseFest 2025

Don't miss this family-friendly Christian music festival happening in Sheldon, Iowa. Featured artists include Chris Tomlin, Matthew West, Crowder, Rend Collective, KB, Patrick Mayberry, Megan Woods, and more—with seminars, speakers, camping, and activities for all ages happening all weekend. Get tickets at riseministries.com.

TODAY'S WORSHIP

Pastor - Doug Van Aartsen
Organist - Nevonne Stoker
Sound Tech - Bryce H.
Power Point Creator - Heidi O.
Children's Message - None
Ministry of Music - Eric & Carmen Mulder
Special Offering - Hope Haven
Ushers - Brett K. & Dave W.
Prayer Team - Loren T.S. & Billy K.
Coffee & Lemonade - Rachel K.

NURSERY ATTENDANTS

Brittany H; Jocelynn O; Megan W.

ELDER GREETERS

Dave(E), Loren(S), Pastor(W)

CHILDREN & WORSHIP

Little Lambs | Storyteller: Janelle
Greeters: Megan & Joyce
Helper: Jovi B.

NEXT SUNDAY

Pastor - Rog Voskuil
Pianist - Nora Verburg
Sound Tech - Luke K.
Power Point - Tayla K.
Children's Message - Kaylee M.
Ministry of Music - Klint Koster
Special Offering - None.
Ushers - Harlan H. & Billy H.
Prayer Team - Dave R. & Steven B.
Coffee, Lemonade, Cookies -
Carmen M; Beth K; Kate B.

NURSERY ATTENDANTS

Darla S; Brantley H; Landon M.

ELDER GREETERS

Pastor(E), Kevin(S), Dave(W)

CHILDREN & WORSHIP

Rainbows | Storyteller: Rachel
Greeters: Haylee & Maddie
Helper: Vera

OUR LEADERSHIP

ELDERS

Rus Verburg
Dave Roskam
Kevin Moss
Evan Kraayenbrink
Loren Te Slaa

DEACONS

Chris Garris
Mitchal Punt
Billy Kooiker, Jr.
Steven Broersma
Dan Oolman



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Sunday Worship Service at 9:30 a.m. Go to our Facebook Page to view our live stream services

Please have your bulletin announcements and notices sent to our church email by 8pm on Wednesday.