



MIDDLEBURG FREE GRACE

REFORMED CHURCH

Knowing Jesus and making Jesus known



WELCOME

WE ARE SO GLAD YOU ARE HERE TO WORSHIP WITH US!

WORSHIP

SUNDAY, MAY 11, 2025

Prelude - Haley Broersma

Praise & Worship

Firm Foundation

Good Good Father

All the People Said Amen

***Prayer**

Announcements

Children's Message - Corky Koerselman

Congregational & Offertory Prayer

Hymn #563 - Open My Eyes That I May See (*All 3 verses*)

Message - Sin's Guilt & the Reality of Forgiveness | Romans 8:1-4; 35-39

Ministry of Music - Corky Koerselman

Special Offering - Words of Hope/Sudan

Hymn #12- Praise Him! Praise Him! (vs. 1-2)

Benediction

Hymn #12- Praise Him! Praise Him! (vs. 3)

Postlude

** Please stand if you are able*

CONNECT WITH US!

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



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.

We extend a cordial welcome to all who worship with us, especially our visitors and our guest pastor, Corky Koerselman. We are glad you have joined us for worship at Middleburg, and we hope that you will come again! As we continue through the Eastertide season, we give praise and honor to the living Christ—crucified, risen, and coming again! May our lives be witnesses of joy that comes from living in the light of the resurrection.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cake Auction

The Jr. RCYF Mother's Day cake auction is this Sunday after church. The cakes will be on display before church and bidding will close at 11:30am.

Thank you

Thank you to the Sr. RCYF for providing the senior members of our church a delicious meal!

Mother's Day

Happy Mother's Day! We want to acknowledge the moms amongst us who have lost children—either because the child passed away all too soon, or because the baby was lost in the womb. The many women in our family who long to be moms, but are not yet. The children who have had to say goodbye to their own moms, way too early. And finally, we know there are moms and children who are both walking roads mingled with both grief and joy: fostering, adoption, and other relationships that are gifts, and yet were forged through trauma. Lastly, we want to thank God for the gift of motherhood, the gift of mothers, and the gift of children. We want to praise him for the gift of life. He is worthy of our praise—life and motherhood are worthy of our joy!

Camp Middleburg

We are looking for more volunteers for Camp Middleburg. You can come one day, two days or the whole week. There is a place for you. Please prayerfully consider where you can help out. Check out the sign-up sheet on the MOVE table.

Friendly reminders:

1. If you take your personal coffee or beverage tumbler to church, please secure it with a spill-proof lid.
2. If you are a graduate this year, please send your information to Tara soon so she can put it together for graduation Sunday on May 18.
3. If your committee is meeting at church and it's not printed in the bulletin, please inform Rus or Nora so that the church can remain open.
4. There are several items on the lost-and-found table in the Fellowship Hall including three black coats. Please check to see if any belong to you. After today, items left will be donated.

I ♥ MOM!



My favorite thing to do
with you is...

You make me laugh
when you...

You are as pretty as...

If I had all the money in the
world, I would buy you....

I love you because...

THIS WEEK

Wednesday, 6 AM – Mendistry at the church

Wednesday, 7 PM – Mendistry at the Middleburg Store

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

Saturday, 7:30 AM – Mendistry at the church

GET INVOLVED

UPCOMING EVENTS

May 18 - Last day of Sunday School

June 1 - Evening Tent Service

June 2-6 - Camp Middleburg

BIRTHDAYS

May 11 - Rich Kooiker

May 13 - Nancy Moss

May 15 - Wayne Vander Maten

May 16 - Kyle Bakker

May 16 - Nora Verburg

May 17 - Carmen Mulder

ANNIVERSARIES

May 14 - Mikah & Mary Scholten

June 1 - Evening Tent Service

Make plans to attend our annual tent service on Sunday evening, June 1. The Klassen family will be leading our service. Weather permitting, we will be in the tent. Mark your calendar and invite your family and friends.

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.

June 20 -22 - Cornerstone Prison Church, Sioux Falls

Join us for worship, large group talks and small group discussions. The deadline for signing up is Thursday, May 29. We would be happy to have you join us for part of the weekend or all of it. If you would like more information or to sign up, please contact us at office@cornerstonepcsd.org or call 507-215-3670.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Let us remember our friends and family in our prayers:

- Son of the church, Pastor Richard Koerselman, has passed away from lingering health issues. Please be in prayer for his wife, Faye and their children, his brother Ben Koerselman and Bruce and Tina Koerselman in their loss.
- Dave Roskam has trigeminal neuralgia in his face, causing sharp pain. He had surgery at Mayo on Wednesday. Please pray for his recovery.
- 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.

TODAY'S WORSHIP

Pastor - Corky Koerselman
Pianist - Haley B.
Organist - Nevonne S.
Sound Tech - Bryce H.
Power Point - Tayla K.
Children's Message - Corky Koerselman
Ministry of Music - Chad & Kristen K.
Special Offering - Words of Hope/Sudan
Ushers - Brad W. & Dilan M.
Prayer Team - Kevin M. & Chris G.
Coffee & Lemonade - Minerva K.

NURSERY ATTENDANTS
Kaylee M; Haylee O; Brayson K.

ELDER GREETERS
Kevin(E), Pastor(S), Rus(W)

CHILDREN & WORSHIP
None.

NEXT SUNDAY

Pastor - Rog Voskuil
Pianist - Nora V.
Sound Tech - Garret V.W.
Power Point - Haylee O.
Children's Message - Rus V.
Ministry of Music - Mitchal & Emily P.
Special Offering - Education Fund
Ushers - James K. & Peter D.H.
Prayer Team - Rus V. & Dan O.
Coffee & Lemonade - Gloria M.

NURSERY ATTENDANTS
Emily P; Kylie M; Adelin N.

ELDER GREETERS
Rus(E), Evan(S), Pastor(W)

CHILDREN & WORSHIP
None.

**Graduation Sunday*

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.