

**Welcome to Worship with First Reformed Church**  
**May 22, 2022**  
**Sixth Sunday of Easter**  
**Rev. Luke Baehr, Senior Pastor**

*Quiet my heart and mind, dear Jesus. Help me sense the peaceful rhythm of your heartbeat against me.*

**Sunday Morning Worship – 9:00 a.m.**

**GOD GATHERS US**

**Prelude**  
**Call to Worship**  
**Gospel Acclamation**

P: He is risen!

**C: He is risen indeed!**

**\*Opening Praise**

*Hear Our Praises*  
*Ancient Words*  
*As the Deer*

**Prayer of Confession**  
**Assurance of Pardon**  
**Refrain of Thanks**  
**Life Together:**

*Our God Reigns*  
Lord's Supper Preparation  
Mission Update-Emily Dykstra (CRU)

**GOD SPEAKS TO US**

**Prayer of Illumination**  
**Children's Message**  
**Scripture**  
**Message**

(Kids Church - ages 3-4<sup>th</sup> grade meet downstairs)  
Revelation 21:9-22:5  
"A Bright Future"

**GOD INVITES US TO RESPOND**

**Announcements**  
**Prayers of the Church**

**GOD SENDS US OUT**

**\*Sending Song**  
**\*Doxology**  
**\*Postlude**

*We Will Glorify*  
*He is Lord (Refrain)*

*\*Congregation please stand.*

**Next Week's Scripture:** Revelation 22:12-21

**Those Serving Today**

**Pianist:** Lois Wendlandt  
**Nursery:** Tessa Reed

**Next Sunday – Today**

**Leader:** Holly Pfeffer  
**Helper:** Katelyn Saeman

**Next Sunday – May 29**

**Leader:** Jamie Weaver

**Today**

On the sabbath, Paul and his companions worshiped with Lydia and the other women (Acts 16:13-14). May God open our hearts today as he did theirs.

\*Please join us in the fellowship hall after worship for coffee time.

**This Week's Activities**

**Tuesday, May 24**

**7:30 a.m.** – Men's Bible Study Genesis 32

**Sunday, May 29**

**9:00 a.m.** – Morning Worship

Pianist: Mary Ann Westra

**Nursery:** Sarah Leystra

**Announcements**

**Global Prayer Partners** - Today after worship, Global Prayer Partners invites anyone who would like to talk with Emily Dykstra further about her ministry and for her. The group will gather about 10-15 minutes after worship in the sanctuary. Global Prayer Partners is a monthly group dedicated to prayer specifically for our missionary partnerships.

**Kids Church Meeting** - Holly will be having a group meeting for all past Kids Church Volunteers TODAY following the morning service. Please meet in the Kids Church Room downstairs following the service. If you cannot attend, please reach out to Holly via email [rootcanal86@gmail.com](mailto:rootcanal86@gmail.com) or text (608) 434-9175 to try and coordinate another time one on one.

**Communion Rescheduled** – Due to Pastor Luke leaving for the youth mission trip to Kentucky on Sunday, June 5 the elders have decided to celebrate the sacrament of Communion on Sunday, May 29. Our special offering for communion will be the Building Fund. Our May Mission-of-the-Month offering for P.I.M. Shares will be received on Sunday, June 5.

**Memorial Day Celebration** – Randolph VFW Memorial Day Celebration will be held on Monday, May 30 at 9:30 a.m. at the Randolph Cemetery.

**Coffee Fellowship Hour** - If you are interested in volunteering to help serve with coffee hour after worship, sign up on the sheet on the bulletin shelf in the narthex.

**You've Got Mail** – Please take a moment and check your mailbox.

**2021 Annual Report** – The annual report is available on the bulletin shelf in the narthex.

**June Messenger** – Deadline for the June Messenger will be May 25 at NOON.

**Exodus Bible Study** - Thursday Bible studies are starting up again on June 14 with a journey through the Book of Exodus. Both morning and evening studies will be offered. Look for more information soon. If you have interest or questions, contact Pastor Luke.

**Movie Night Under the Stars** - First Reformed is hosting a new monthly community event - outdoor movie night for the family! Starting in June, on the second Tuesday of each month, Randolph families are invited for a classic kid's movie in the parsonage backyard. Movies begin at dusk. Admission is free, and light snacks are available. Families are also welcomed to bring their own snacks and seating. Our first movie night will be, Tuesday, June 14 - "Sing 2".