

## LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

10:30 AM

### Welcome and Announcements

#### Opening (\* Please stand if able)

- \*Call to Worship and Greeting
- \*Invocation and Lord's Prayer
- \***Glory Be to the Father**
- \***Apostles' Creed** (p.12)
- \***Hymn 62**



“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.”

“Sing to the Lord Sing His Praise”

#### Confession and Prayer

The Reading of God's Revealed Will: **Deuteronomy 4,5**

Pastoral Prayer

Responsive Reading: **Lord's Day 25** (p. 32-33)

- \***Hymn 86** “The Lord's My Shepherd, I'll Not Want”

#### God's Word Read and Applied

**Scripture: Mark 8:11-26 Text: same**

**Sermon: Jesus's Ministry Is Based upon the Word**

**Points: I. The Word Is Insufficient (to Pharisees)**

**II. The Word Is Protected**

**III. The Word Is Confirmed**

#### Concluding Worship

Tithes and Offerings for the Ministry of ORC

- \***Hymn 688** “Have Thine Own Way Lord”
- \*Benediction
- \*Doxology



Praise God from whom all blessings flow  
Praise Him all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, you heavenly host  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost.”

**WELCOME in the Name of the Lord Jesus!** We are glad you are here and hope you are blessed by worshiping with us. Please sign our guest book and fill out a visitor card to help us get to know you.

As we worship we enter into the presence of the Almighty through His Spirit and Word. We come to Him who is supremely worthy of praise... as He has redeemed us to God by His blood:

**“You are worthy...and have redeemed us to God by Your blood, out of every tribe and tongue and people and nation, and have made us kings and priests to our God....”** Rev. 4:9,10

## PRAYER CONCERNS

”Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ.” Gal. 6:2

- **PRAY FOR OUR OUTREACH TO OMAHA** that the Lord would bless our efforts to plant and grow a congregation here. We can plant the seed and water the ground, but only God can make us grow.
- **FAMILY CONCERNS: extended families. Heather's** mom and family. **Mary / Sienna Lincoln. Mary Sterns** family. Those of our number who are traveling or away this Summer.
- **DENOMINATIONAL: MCGEE AND MARINELLI BABIES (JIRAH AND TALITHA).** Pray for the **Churches** and **Mission Works in the RCUS.** This week pray especially for **Rev. Michael Voytek** and his labors in **Cerrito, CA.** And missionary associate **David Voytek** serving in **China. Westminster Biblical Mission.**
- **CULTURAL:** Pray for our country, especially those in civil and military service, judges, and those in elected office.
- **INTERNATIONAL:** Terrorist attacks and martyrs in recent weeks, situation in Venezuela, unrest in Middle East, etc.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

<b>TRUTH PROJECT THIS EVENING</b>	<b>LESSON 9</b>	<b>6:30 PM</b>
<b>WED NO BIBLE STUDY THIS WEEK</b>		<b>7:00 PM</b>

### TRUTH PROJECT THIS EVENING

This evening we will continue our outreach in Southern Omaha with **Focus on the Family's The Truth Project.** We will begin at **6:30 PM** and will be at the **Comfort Inn and Suites** near Highway 75 and Cornhusker.

### NO BIBLE WEDNESDAY / GUEST PREACHER NEXT SUNDAY

Since Pastor Randy will be out of town we will not have Bible Study this Wednesday. Next Sunday **Dr. Warran Embree** will be leading our worship and preaching. We've asked **Keith Bernhagen** to lead Sunday School.

### FRIDAY EVENING SUMMER OUTREACH

Instead of holding a V.B.S., we (Pastor Randy and the St. John's consistory) thought it would be better for us to reach out to the neighborhood around our church building. We hope this will be a multiple focused approach. On the last three weekends of July we (as current members/supporters) will reach out with introductory leaflets to every house in our neighborhood. Through this we will **INFORM** nearby residents of our desire to serve them and **INVITE** them to worship. **Additionally,** we will encourage them to participate in our **“Hot August Mornings.”** On Saturday mornings in August we will host an **Open House / Farmer's Market** here at **ORC.** More details to follow.

### OUR HERITAGE

**Omaha Reformed Church** is a mission work of the Reformed Church in the United States (founded in 1748). Our history goes back to the Protestant Reformation of the sixteenth-century. The Reformers summarized the teachings of Scripture in several historic confessions that came to be known as **The Three Forms of Unity**: the **Heidelberg Catechism** (1563), the **Belgic Confession** (1561) and the **Canons of Dort** (1619). We embrace these confessions, along with the **Apostles, Nicene and Athanasian Creeds** of the early church, as our own. We believe they continue to accurately summarize the teachings of God's unchanging word, the Holy Bible.

### OUR AUTHORITY

With the church throughout history we believe that the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments are the **only divinely inspired, infallible Word of God**. They are the final authority for all questions of doctrine and life. The Spirit of God creates faith in our hearts through the preaching of the Gospel. The Lord Jesus is the only Head of the Church and has appointed pastors, elders and deacons to oversee His people. As officers they affirm and vow to uphold our church confessions, make joint decisions and be accountable to their fellow officers in the Classis and Synod of the Reformed Church in the U.S.

### OUR FAITH IN CHRIST

**"There is no other name under heaven given among men, by whom we must be saved"** (*Acts 4:12*). Jesus Christ is the only eternal Son of God and His life of perfect obedience and willing self-sacrifice for our sins is the basis of our salvation. To those who believe, He grants forgiveness of sins, true righteousness, and eternal life. These gifts, which we can neither earn nor deserve, are freely given to those who by true faith are engrafted into Him. In response to this salvation, we will be grateful and strive to live uprightly before Him. As we grow in grace, we will more and more love God, His Word and His Ways, and at the same time come to hate sin and flee from it. We trust in the grace of God to preserve us in this faith to the end. We believe that the Lord Jesus now possesses all authority in heaven and earth (Mt. 28:18) and will, on the appointed day, return to judge the living and the dead.

### OUR PRAYER FOR YOU

If you're a visitor and share these convictions, we encourage you to continue worshipping with us. We have a responsibility to preserve and proclaim **"the faith once for all delivered to the saints."** We offer **rest** to the weary, **comfort** for the distressed and **hope** for all. Our members and pastor will gladly visit with you about these things.

#### OMAHA REFORMED CHURCH

is a mission work of the **Reformed Church in the United States (RCUS)** under the oversight of **St. John's Reformed Church of Lincoln, NE**.

**Pastor Randy Klynsma** is our pastor and has been serving Christ's Church for over 25 years, earnestly proclaiming **"the faith once for all delivered to the saints"** Jude 3. He can be reached at **(402)281-3263**.

# Omaha Reformed Church

*"Where the Truth Lives!"*

**"But He sighed deeply in His spirit, and said, "Why does this generation seek a sign? Assuredly, I say to you, no sign shall be given to this generation.""** Mark 8:12

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Sunday Worship at  
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10:30 AM  
Discipleship 9:00 AM  
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