### Calendar of Events

May 16	Men's Christian Fellowship @ 7:30 p.m.	
May 19	Prayer Group @ 12 Noon	
May 22	Prayer Time for Service @ 8:30 a.m.	
	Sunday School Classes @ 9:15 a.m. (Last Day)	
	Praise Music @ 10:15 a.m.	
	Worship Service @ 10:30 a.m. w/Ken Wintersteen	
May 25	FCA at Menno City Park @ 6:00 p.m.	
May 26	Prayer Group @ 12 Noon (Ascension Day)	
May 29	Prayer Time for Service @ 9:30 a.m.	
	Praise Music @ 10:15 a.m.	
	Worship Service @ 10:30 a.m.	
May 30-June 03 VBS Each Evening from 6 - 9 PM		
June 05	Prayer Time for Service @ 8:30 a.m.	

VBS Program Practice @ 9:15 a.m. VBS Program @ 10:30 a.m.

w/Pot Luck Dinner for the Congregation Following!

June 06 Men's Christian Fellowship @ 7:30 p.m.

# **Upcoming Special Music**

Sunday, May 22nd Sunday, May 29th Junior ChoirAvailable

## **Announcements**

<u>Meals-on-Wheels:</u> Our church will be delivering meals during the month of MAY. Please remember the dates you signed up for. Thanks for helping in this way!

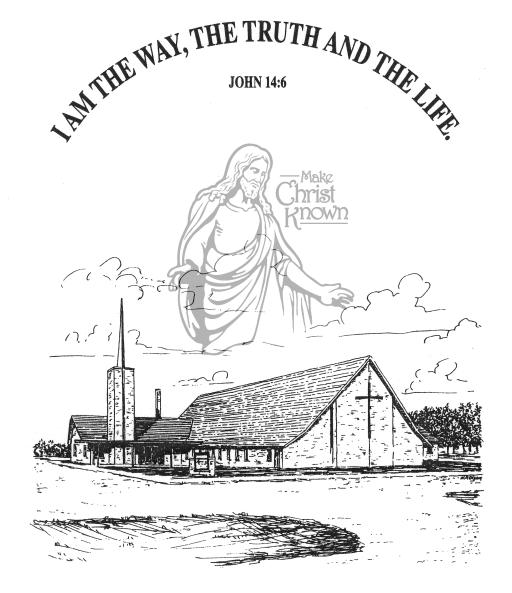
Annual Church Cleaning: The annual church cleaning is scheduled for Monday thru Wednesday, June 6-8, 2022. Cleaning assignments were mailed out last week. "Many hands make light work!" Let's all do our part. Thank You!

FCA: Our final FCA Meeting this Spring will be Wed., May 25th at the Menno City Park at 6:00 p.m. (Upcoming 8th Graders are Invited!) Keeping Kids in God's Word: Keys for Kids Ministries offers a free summer reading program for kids. As kids read each daily devotion and scripture (without missing a day) they can be entered to win prizes from Keys for Kids Ministries.

You can register online at wordwithzach.org/register.

Salem Reformed Church - Who Are We?

We believe the Bible to be the inspired, inerrant, infallible Word of God in it's original manuscripts. It is our supreme authority in all matters of doctrine and practice. We are affiliated with the Conservative Congregational Christian Conference.



May 15, 2022 Salem Reformed Church Menno, South Dakota

## SALEM REFORMED CHURCH

Menno, South Dakota

Rev. Michael Hecht	Pastor
Marina Schaeffer	Pianist
10:30 AM – Worship Service	May 15, 2022

Fourth Sunday after Easter

Meditation: "Finally, brothers, we instructed you how to live in order to please God, as in fact you are living. Now we ask you and urge you in the Lord Jesus to do this more and more. For you know what instructions we gave you by the authority of the Lord Jesus. It is God's will that you should be sanctified: that you should avoid sexual immorality; that each of you should learn to control his own body in a way that is holy and honorable, not in passionate lust like the heathen, who do not know God; and that in this matter no one should wrong his brother or take advantage of him. The Lord will punish men for all such sins, as we have already told you and warned you."

I Thessalonians 4:1-6 NIV

**Praise Music:** #14, #51, #136, #50

Welcome / Announcements / Opening Prayer \*Hymn: #11 "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

**Sharing of Joys and Concerns** 

**Our Time of Offering** 

**Invitation to Give** I Cor. 1:23,24 NIV

\*Doxology sung on page #815 \*Lord's Prayer (debts and debtors)

Kingdom Kids: "Jesus is With Us in the Storm"

Hymn: #19 "Thy Word" (praise book)

The Holy Scriptures

I Thessalonians 2:1-9

Large Print NIV 1984 Edition, pg. 1838

**Sermon: "The Family = God's Design"** 

\*Hymn: #120 "10,000 Reasons"

\*Benediction:

\*Prayer for Our Nation: "God Bless America"

Postlude (\*denotes standing for those able)

The congregation will be ushered out after the Benediction.
Ushers: Morgan Freier, Alexis Yosten, Desiree Yosten

### Office Hours for Pastor Hecht:

Tuesday - Friday: 8:00 AM to Noon (Church Office)
Afternoons: Visitation or Church Office
Church: 387-5334 Parsonage: 387-2855
Pastor Mike's Cell #: (605) 660-1803

Church Web Page: *salemreformedchurch.com* 

## Opportunities

Greeters Today: Steve and Sheri Preszler
Greeters May 22nd: David and Jennifer Herrboldt

Sunday Prayer Time: 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School Classes: 9:15 a.m.
Prelude Music: 10:15 a.m.
Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

### Announcements

**Welcome:** We extend a warm welcome to our visiting guests this morning. Please sign our guest book in the Narthex. We ask God's blessing upon you and we pray that you will return and worship with us again soon.

Junior Choir: The Junior Choir (Grades 4-8) will be singing in church on Sunday, May 22nd.

<u>VBS T-Shirts and Snacks</u>: There is a **Donation Box** in the Social Hall for cash donations for the VBS T-Shirts (\$7.25/shirt) and for the snacks during the VBS week. We will not be having a sign-up sheet for the snack items needed this year.

<u>VBS Evening Offerings:</u> Our EVENING VBS Offerings will be given to the Alpha Center of Sioux Falls, and Zoe Care of Yankton. These are both Pro-Life Pregnancy Centers. The theme for our VBS this year is the Sanctity of Human Life.

2022 VBS Helpers: Please look at the HELPERS sign-up sheet in the Narthex, and see where you can help. This is for High School Students and Adults. The dates for VBS are May 30 - lune 3, 2022. Directors: Julie Crick and Layne Schmidt

<u>Last Day of S.S. Classes:</u> The last day of Sunday School classes this Spring will be Sunday, May 22nd. Please mark your calendars for S.S. Kick-Off in the Fall – September 11, 2022! SPECIAL THANKS to all of our S.S. Teachers, Helpers, and Choir Directors/Accompanists for all of your work throughout this past school year! We appreciate your dedication in teaching our children God's Word! May God Bless You Abundantly!