

## SALEM REFORMED CHURCH

Menno, South Dakota

Rev. Michael Hecht  
Joan Nusz

Pastor  
Pianist

10:30 AM – Worship Service February 26, 2023  
First Sunday in Lenten Season

**Meditation:** *"Every word of God is flawless; He is a shield to those who take refuge in Him. Do not add to His words, or He will rebuke you and prove you a liar. 'Two things I ask of You, O LORD; do not refuse me before I die: Keep falsehood and lies far from me; give me neither poverty nor riches, but give me only my daily bread. Otherwise, I may have too much and disown You and say, 'Who is the LORD?' Or I may become poor and steal, and so dishonor the name of my God."*

Proverbs 30:5–9 NIV

*"For the word of God is living and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart."*

Hebrews 4:12 NIV

**Praise Music:** #36, #29, #27, #17, #13, #24

**Welcome / Announcements / Opening Prayer**

\***Hymn:** #43 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

**Sharing of Joys and Concerns**

**Our Time of Offering**

**Invitation to Give**

Philippians 2:10,11 NIV

\***Doxology**

sung on page #815

\***Lord's Prayer**

debts and debtors

**Kingdom Kids:** "God's Love Letter" by Emily Guthmiller

**Hymn:** #79 "My Jesus, I Love Thee"

**The Holy Scriptures**

II Corinthians 10:1–6

Large Print NIV 1984 Edition, pg. 1803

**Sermon:** "More on Spiritual Warfare" by Ron Schaeffer

\***Hymn:** #235 "Take the Name of Jesus with You"

\***Benediction:**

**Postlude**

(\*denotes standing for those able)

The congregation will be ushered out after the Benediction.

Ushers: Layne Schmidt and Halle Van Hove

## 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](http://salemreformedchurch.com)

## Opportunities

Greeters Today: Kyle and Loni Stepanek  
Greeters March 05: David and Jennifer Herrboldt  
Greeters March 08: Shirley Mettler  
Sunday Prayer Time: 8:30 a.m.  
Sunday School: 9:15 a.m.  
Praise 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.

**Marriage Seminar:** This event will be **TODAY**, from 4 to 8 PM in our Social Hall! We will plan to show an online video entitled "Date Night Comedy 2023". This will be an evening of both laughter and learning! Supper is \$12.50/person. \*\*Please bring your own notebook if you want to take notes.

**M/O Easter Cantata:** Anyone high school age or older is encouraged to participate! The first practice will be Tues., Feb. 28th at 7:30 PM at Grace Lutheran. Martin Sieverding will be directing and Mary Schoenfish will be the accompanist.

**4-O's Women:** The 4-O's will be going to the Mead Cultural Education Center this Thursday, March 2nd. They will leave from the church at 11:00 AM. Please sign the sheet in the Narthex if you plan to attend.

**Women's Salad Supper:** Please sign your name to the sheet in the Narthex if you are willing to help plan the Salad Supper for this coming Spring.

**Special Thanks:** Thanks to Gary and Jane Gramkow for placing the flowers in the sanctuary during the month of February!

**Idella Herrboldt's 100th Birthday:** Please help Idella celebrate on March 9th, by sending her a Birthday Card at the following address: 402 S. Pine Street Menno, SD 57045