

**FIRST REFORMED CHURCH**

**SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

**July 24, 2022 9:30 A.M.**

**Pastor Gary Mulder**

**TODAY**

**WELCOME** to all members and guests worshipping at FRC today. As we draw near unto God, may His Word be our guide.

- You are invited to join us in the fellowship hall for coffee, cold drinks and conversation.

**Organ:** Carol Kleinjan

**Keyboard:** Karen Knutson

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

**OUR APPROACH TO GOD**

\* HYMN: 10 – *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*

\* OPENING PRAYER

\* GREETING ONE ANOTHER

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

PREPARATORY SERVICE FOR COMMUNION

PRaise MINISTRY: *More Love, More Power*

Olivia Quam accompanied by Dori Ohm

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

**PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD**

\* HYMN: 6 – *I Sing the Almighty Power of God*

SCRIPTURE: 1 Samuel 17:4-54

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MESSAGE: *Where’s the Power?*

**SERVING THE LORD TODAY:**

Greeters: Harold and Betty Beukelman

Ushers: Wayne and Deb Ulvestad

Nursery: Wiekie Vandermeer and Polly Vander Wal

Coffee Servers: John Sapp Family

Library: Don Jones

**NEXT SUNDAY:**

The praise band will lead us in singing as well as ministry of praise.

Pastor Irwin Van Leeuwen will be leading us in worship while Pastor Gary is at Power Connection.

**THIS WEEK’S OPPORTUNITIES  
FOR CHRISTIAN GROWTH**

MONDAY: 7 p.m. – Fresh Hope

TUESDAY: 7 p.m. Worship Team Meeting

FRIDAY – SUNDAY: Power Connection in St. Paul, MN

**There will be a Power Connection Send Off at 10 a.m.**

**FUTURE DATES**

August 7.....

Communion

August 7.....

Cornerstone Quartet from Leota, MN area will present a message in word and song

August 8.....

Fresh Hope

August 9.....

New Member’s Class

**OUR RESPONSE TO GOD**

OFFERING (General Fund and Mission Fund)

CHILDREN’S OFFERING (Compassion Child)

(Children may bring their gifts forward at this time)

*(Please sign the friendship folders as the offering is received)*

\* DOXOLOGY

\* OFFERTORY PRAYER

\* HYMN: - *The Battle Belongs to the Lord* (words are on the screen)

\* BENEDICTION

\* CLOSING HYMN: 514 – *God of Grace and God of Glory (vs. 1)*

POSTLUDE

**\*Please stand if you are able**

## PRAYERS AND PRAISE

### PRAYER CONCERNS:

Please continue to pray for **Howard Rozendal** who resides at Homestead Assisted Living in Lake Norden.

Your on-going prayers for those taking treatments would be appreciated: **Jodi Koerner, Bernita Kooima, Dawn Lucas and Edward Vander Wal.**

THANK YOU for your gift (\$553.47) to the ministry of Samaritan's Purse. (This was the proceeds of the Old Timer's Day Pie Booth). .....Please remember to pray for the citizens of Ukraine who continue to flee their beloved homeland. Your gifts equip us to continue to provide them with medical relief as well as other desperately needed supplies. In addition, we have brought plane loads of the displaced to Canada to give them an opportunity to rebuild their lives..... Sincerely, Franklin Graham, President.

### POWER CONNECTION ATTENDEES:

Please be praying for the following who will be attending Power Connection in St. Paul: Allie Scotting, Danelyn Green, Drayden Cokens, Carter Sapp, Cole Van Hoepen, Cooper Schaefer, Hope Van Hoepen, Marcus Olson, Neveah Henning, Pastor Gary and Robyn.  
Pray for a safe, fun and spiritual weekend of growth and excitement.

TOM AND CAROL KLEINJAN request prayers for Carol's brother, Harold Mast of Grand Rapids, MI. Harold began chemo treatment on Friday for kidney and liver cancer.

### PRAYER REQUEST FROM MARGE KLEINJAN (a CRC member):

Marge would like us to pray for successful aortic valve replacement surgery on Tuesday, July 26 at Avera Heart Hospital in Sioux Falls.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

ARE YOU IN NEED OF AN EXTRA TABLE? There are four 3'x 6' tables set up at the west end of the fellowship hall. If you would like one, please contact one of the deacons (Don, Howard, Kevin W, or Sako). Also, if you are interested in an 8' table (which are NOT set out), please contact one of the deacons.

JULY SERVICE PROJECT: MESA would like to promote the Compassion International Child Survival Program. Please put your contributions in 'The Coin Tower'. This program combats infant and maternal mortality rates and promotes early childhood development. Every year 2.6 million babies in poverty do not survive the first 28 days of life.

BIBLE STUDIES: Pastor Gary would like to have a short meeting during fellowship time concerning the upcoming bible studies. Please meet in the youth room.

RIGHTNOW MEDIA: Just a reminder that you should have received an email invitation to RightNow Media. Our church pays the monthly fee which means this is free to you. We hope you will take advantage of this resource. If you haven't received an invitation or prefer a different account, please contact Robyn Mulder or the church office.

VOLGA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL will hold its ANNUAL SOCIETY MEETING on Monday, July 25 at 7 p.m. The meeting will be held in the commons of the school. All supporters of VCS are welcome to attend. FY2022 budget will be approved, one board member will be elected and updates for the school year will be discussed. All who are interested in VCS, are encouraged to attend. Thank you for your continued support for the Volga Christian School.

TEACHERS NEEDED AT VCS: VCS is in need of a Kindergarten Prep teacher and a 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade homeroom teacher. Please spread the word and continue to pray for these positions to fill quickly! Any questions or inquiries can be made by calling the school office at 605.627.9286 or emailing Mrs. Eich at [beth.eich@k12.sd.us](mailto:beth.eich@k12.sd.us).

### SERVING THE LORD NEXT SUNDAY, July 31

Greeters – Jim and Karen Janssen

Nursery – Laura and Olivia Hove

Library – Susan Vander Wal

Coffee Servers – Sako and Wiekie Vandermeer

Offering – General Fund and Deacon's Fund

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