

FIRST REFORMED CHURCH

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 5, 2026 9:30 A.M.

Pastor: Gary Mulder

Organ: Joyce Post

Keyboard: Karen Knutson

Worship Team

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PATRIOTIC SELECTIONS :

600 – *America the Beautiful*

602 - *America*

* *God Bless America* (words are on the screen)

* OPENING PRAYER

* GREETING ONE ANOTHER

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

PRAISE MINISTRY – Robyn Mulder

RESPONSIVE READING (words are on the screen)

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

OFFERING (General Fund and Building Fund)

This Is My Country

CHILDREN’S OFFERING (Compassion Child – Nelly and Raj)

(Please sign the friendship pads as the offering is received)

* DOXOLOGY (page 623)

* OFFERTORY PRAYER

SCRIPTURE: Micah 6:5-8 p. 1447

MESSAGE: *Rights and Responsibilities*

* HYMN: 514 – *God of Grace and God of Glory*

* BENEDICTION

* CLOSING HYMN: 542 – *O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee* (verse 1)

POSTLUDE

*Please stand if you are able

TODAY

WELCOME to all who have come to join us in worship and praise today. We come together as a body of believers wanting to know more about our responsibility as a Christian citizen.

SERVING THE LORD TODAY:

Greeters: Kevin and Kari Vander Wal

Ushers: Jerry and Cam Heier

Nursery: Shirley Van Duyn and Landon Sapp (for newborns-age 4)

Coffee Servers: Howard and Loretta Lindberg

SUNDAY SCHOOL will resume in September.

NEXT SUNDAY (July 12, 2026)

- To begin the service, the mixed quartet will lead the congregation in singing some well-known hymns as well as providing praise ministry
- A group will be going to Dakota Sun to provide a short service there with the residents.

THIS WEEK’S OPPORTUNITIES FOR CHRISTIAN GROWTH

MONDAY: 7 p.m. – Fresh Hope

WEDNESDAY: 3 p.m. – Men’s Discipleship Group

THURSDAY: 2 p.m. – Ladies Bible Study Romans 14
Leader – Robyn Refreshments – Jan

FUTURE DATES

July 7.....	MESA Team
July 14.....	Buildings and Grounds Team
July 24-29.....	Rocky Mountain High
July 26.....	Serve a meal at Freedom’s Gate

July 28	FRC will become a 'vote center' because of the Samara Ave. construction
August 2.....	New Member Class
August 23.....	Outdoor Worship Service

PRAYERS AND PRAISE

PRAYER CONCERNS:

Your on-going prayers for others in need of healing and those taking treatments would also be appreciated: **George Cotton, Gary Egeberg, Whitney Goetsch, Lois Kleinjan, Jodi Koerner, Bernita Kooima, Dawn Lucas, Tammy Mullett, Joel Schonewill, Harold Van Hoepen, and Gina Vander Wal**

Also continue to pray for **Howard Rozendal** who resides at United Living Community in Brookings, **Donald Langland** who is at the Estelline Nursing and Care Center, **Marilyn Kleinjan** and **Carolyn Cotton** are at Dakota Sun in Volga and **Adriana Kleinjan** and **Harold Van Hoepen** who are homebound.

THANK YOU: FRC Volga, We are blessed by your generosity with this gift. Thank you, not only for your financial contribution, but also your prayers and encouragement. May we be good stewards of the gifts that God have given us, both at camp and church. Blessings! – Inspiration Hills Team

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ARE YOU WILLING to present a short program at Dakota Sun (the 3rd Thursday of the month)? Also, if you are willing to provide refreshments, please sign the sheet posted on 'The Ladder'. If you have any questions, please contact Susan. Thank you in advance for your willingness to share love and joy with the residents at Dakota Sun.

BOWLS AND PANS: If you are missing a bowl or pan, please check the table in the kitchen. Thank you!

NEXT SUNDAY, July 12, 2026

Greeters: Sako and Wiekie Vandermeer Family
 Ushers: Jerry and Cam Heier
 Nursery: Susan and Rebecca Olson
 Coffee Servers: Darin and Megan Sinner
 Offering: General Fund and Volga Christian School

DAKOTA SUN SERVICE: The following are encouraged to worship with the residents at Dakota at 11 a.m.: Ron & Karen, Chr., Susan, Stan & Joan, Jan Clapp, Rollyn & Beth, Larry & Barb, Bernita Kooima, Bruce & Dawn, Patricia Mast, Dave Nettleton, Doug & Ruth, Wayne & Carolyn, Keith & Shirley, James & Missy, Brad Vander Wal, Kyle & Allyson, Sako & Wiekie
 Even if your name is not on the list, you are welcome to worship and fellowship with the residents!

THE VOLGA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL is requesting nominations to the school board for a 3-year term. Per the constitution, nominations must be submitted prior to the regular monthly meeting which is July 14. Nominees must be confessing members, in good standing, of a Christian church. Election will take place at the VCS Annual Society Meeting on July 27 at 7 p.m. at the school.

Discussion will be held at the society meeting for amendments to the constitution in regard to Article 4:VCS Board and Article 5: Officers. All society members are strongly encouraged to attend this annual meeting. Please submit nominations to any board member by July 14.

(July 5, 2026 bulletin)