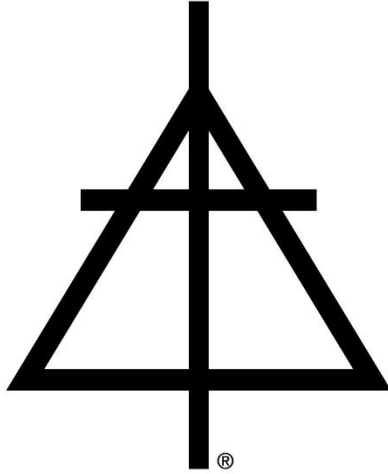


# PEACE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH



Jesus Christ is the same yesterday,  
and today and forever. Heb. 13:8

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## CHURCH

306 N. High St.

Menno, SD 57045

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Worship at 9:30 a.m.

## **Welcome to guests and visitors.**

If you do not have a church home, we would be glad to visit with you about making Peace CRC your church.

*Peace Christian Reformed Church*  
*Menno, SD*  
*March 24, 2024*

**Organist** Alita Guthmiller  
**Welcome & Announcements** Rev. Ryan VanderWees

\* **Call to Worship**

\* **Greeting from God/Greeting One Another**

\* **Opening Hymn:** Blue Hymnal 348 - *All Glory, Laud, and Honor*

**God's Will for Our Lives**

\***Hymn:** Red Hymnal 210 - *Ride On, Ride On, O Savior-King*

**Congregational Prayer**, followed by the Lord's Prayer

**Offering Box** by the Exit in the back of the sanctuary-General Fund

\* **Hymn:** Blue Hymnal 349 - *Hosanna, Loud Hosanna*

**Scripture:** John 12:20-43

**Sermon:** *Whoever Loves His Life Loses It*

**Prayer**

\* **Hymn:** Blue Hymnal 184, Psalm 95 - *Now With Joyful Exultation*

**Lord's Supper Preparatory** – Blue Hymnal pg. 155

\* **Hymn:** Blue Hymnal 273, Psalm 130 - *From Out the Depths I Cry*

\* **Apostles Creed & Catechism** - Lord's Day 12, Q.31-32

\* **Benediction**

\* **Closing Hymn:** Blue Hymnal 493 - *The Doxology*

**Afternoon Service Information:** Lord's Days: 11-12; John 15:1-8;  
Psalm 110; Acts 2:14-21; The Christ and His Christians

\***Please stand if able**

## **Today/This Week:**

- March 24 - Worship Service/Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.  
Afternoon Service, 3 p.m. (note time change due to Cantata)  
Easter Cantata at Salem Reformed Church, 7 p.m.
- March 27 - Women's Bible Study, 10 a.m.  
Confirmation Class, 6 p.m.  
Women's Bible Study, 7 p.m.  
Men's Bible Study, 7 p.m.
- March 29 – Good Friday Service, 7 p.m.

## **Upcoming:**

- March 31 – Worship Service/Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.  
Easter Breakfast, serving begins at 7:45 a.m.
- April 3 – Women's Bible Study, 10 a.m.  
Confirmation Class, 6 p.m.  
Women's Bible Study, 7 p.m.  
Men's Bible Study, 7 p.m.

**March 17:** Attendance – 73; Collection - \$1707 General Fund  
Special Offering, Minnkota Diaconate - \$500

**USHER for March:** Elliot Thomas  
**USHER for April:** Brent Haberman  
**SOUND SYSTEM for March:** Brett Guthmiller  
**SOUND SYSTEM for April:** Daniel Hauck

**WEEKLY PRAYERS:** Each week throughout the year we as a consistory are asking for prayers for the families and individuals of Peace Christian Reformed Church. The families to keep in mindful prayer for this week of March 24 - Ralph & Carol Schnabel, Rich & Colleen Viet, and Earl & Mary Zeeb.

**PASTOR RYAN'S CONTACT INFORMATION:** If you would like to get a hold of Pastor Ryan during the week you can call/text him at 616.240.8166 or email [ryan.vanderwees@gmail.com](mailto:ryan.vanderwees@gmail.com).

**UPCOMING OFFERING SCHEDULE:** The offering at the Good Friday service will be for The Bible League. The Easter Sunday offering will be for World Missions, now called "Resonate".

## **Recommended Reading for Family Discussion or Personal Reflection:**

The Catechism and (Belgic) Confession may be found at the back of the Blue Hymnal or online

at: <https://www.crcna.org/welcome/beliefs/confessions>

Week of March 24: The Cost of Restoration

Sermon, John 12:20-43, Whoever Loves His Life Loses It

March 25: Smitten by God: Isaiah 53

March 26: Our Debts are Paid: Colossians 2:6-15

March 27: Our Atonement: Confession 21

March 28: Forsaken of God: Psalm 22

March 29: Good Friday Service

March 30: Made Right With God: Confession 23

March 31: Easter Sunday

**CONGRATULATIONS:** Thursday afternoon (March 21)

Darcy Lynn Schaeffer was born to Andrew and Whitney. Both mother and child are healthy.

**SERVE LEADERS:** We are still looking for a SERVE leader to go with our group to Stephenville, TX, June 6/15-6/22/24. (Leave on 6/14), preferably a male leader. The day away will be a trip to the Fort Worth Stockyards rodeo and cattle drive. Please talk with Rachel if you have questions or would like more information.

**MENNO COMMUNITY EASTER CANTATA:** The Menno-Olivet Ministerial Association annual Easter Cantata will be performed on Sunday March 24 beginning at 7:00 p.m. at Salem Reformed Church in Menno.

This year's selection is "Worthy: Song of the Ages" directed by Martin Sieverding, accompanied by Kay Smidt and narrated by Betty Janke. A freewill offering will be taken to help support the projects of the Menno-Olivet Ministerial Association. The public is invited to come and worship, through song and word, the death and resurrection of our Savior.

**Easter Breakfast:** The Easter breakfast is March 31. Serving will start at 7:45 a.m. We are looking for a few more people to donate egg bakes. Please talk to Rachel if you can donate.