

WELCOME

to Maurice Reformed Church

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2025

-- *Dordt University Worship* --

9:30 AM Worship led by Pastor Jeremy Van Genderen

Fall Series: Words To Live By — 1 John 2: Walk Like Jesus

1st Grade Bibles

1st Graders will be receiving their Bibles this morning. We continue to be blessed by and grateful for the parents and many other influential people in the church who encourage and raise our children in the faith. And a special thank you to the Stitches of Love ladies for sewing each individual Bible bag. What a special gift!

Special Music

Leading Worship: Dordt University Worship Team

Offertory Special Music: Anna Haverdink, Brooke Roetman, Laura Haverdink

Thank you for using your gifts & talents to lead us in worship this morning!

10:45 AM Sunday School

NEXT SUNDAY AT MRC

9:30 AM Worship led by Ben Van Genderen


Fall Series: Words To Live By — 1 John 3: Children of God are Different

10:45 AM Sunday School

GET CONNECTED

WHETHER YOU ARE NEW OR HAVE BEEN COMING A WHILE, WE WOULD LOVE TO HELP YOU GET CONNECTED & STAY INFORMED. CHECK OUT THE DIFFERENT WAYS BELOW TO GET PLUGGED IN!

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MRC HAPPENINGS

College & Young Adult Sunday School - Attention all college and young adults! Join us as we dig deep into God's Word and study the book of Romans. We will study this book chapter by chapter. We will learn what Paul wrote about faith, church, and our calling as Christians. This study will challenge you to grow deeper and reflect on how God has called His children to live in our fallen world. Join us! We promise there to be lots of deep discussion, times of food, and great relationships!




Burgers & Ball - September 21 @ 4pm, Sioux Center - All are invited to come to another community softball and family night! Men and women are invited to play (contact Bryan Van Gelder if interested). Then be sure to stick around for food and a time of fellowship with other area churches! This will take place in Sioux Center at the softball fields north of the football field. We hope to see you there!

How Much Is Your Time Worth? - All of our kitchens at church were recently professionally cleaned. We hire this job out because we know how valuable time is and how busy life can get! We are still looking for donations to cover the cost of this. Donations can be placed in the cleaning bucket at the information table, in the offering plate, or brought to the church office. Thanks for your help & support!



CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

 **Sunday School** - We started Sunday School on Sunday and it was amazing. Just a couple of things to remember:

- We take an offering each week. What a great way for kids to tithe. Thank you for helping remind your children to bring an offering each week. The total offering for week one was \$17.45.
- Sunday School ends at 11:30. Kids need to find parents and not be running the halls. Please remind your children that running in church is not acceptable and can cause injuries. Your help in this matter is greatly appreciated.

Quest for the Kingdom - The first week of Quest was awesome! We had many more kids than we had registered, which is awesome.



The only problem is we simply need more volunteers. Would you consider being a mentor to a couple kids starting this week? Talk to Bonnie Wolf today. **Reminder**, at the end of Quest, students need to be picked up in the sanctuary at 7:30pm. Students that have parents volunteering in Jr. GAP will be walked down to the Refuge. All other students need to be picked up in the sanctuary. Thank you for abiding by this policy, which is in place for the safety of all children. We will keep students in the sanctuary until parents come in and get them. Thank you for being on time as the mentors stay with the students until a parent arrives.

YOUTH MINISTRY

JR. GAP	SR. HIGH
September 17 - Theme Reveal <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Snacks: Reid W, Kingsten VO, Kale S September 24 - Lesson Night: Noah <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Snacks: Teagyn R, Ceondre N, Ashley M	September 17 - Theme Reveal <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Snacks: Maddie W, Kolten VO, Carter VG September 24 - Lesson Night: Noah <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Snacks: Elsie VB, Madison S, Tegegn S

JR. GAP ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jr. GAP Sub Sandwich Fundraiser - Our annual Sub Sandwich Fundraiser is upon us! **There are forms available on the table by the bulletin board in the Fellowship Hall.** This fundraiser is an amazing fundraiser for our group, and the money raised will go towards reducing the cost of our summer mission trip. **Please contact Jenn Leusink if you have any questions (712-395-0906).** We will be assembling subs on Wednesday, October 1. Parents, you are invited to help with this night!



Pop - We are asking that each student be responsible for bringing pop and snacks again for youth group this year. **There has been a change this year.** We are asking that Jr. GAPpers bring two 2-liters & 2 dozen bars or cookies on the night you are scheduled.

JOINT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Youth Contacts - Please note that Stacy Jasper will be the admin contact for youth ministry (712-540-7673), Jenn (Greg) Leusink will be the Jr. GAP contact (712-395-0906), & Julie Vis will be the Sr. High contact (712-395-0099). Please read more about this in the September Maurice Moments!



Paintball Outing - Sunday, October 12 - Leaving MRC @ 12:45pm - This is open to anyone 6th grade or above. The cost is \$25 per person (checks can be made out to MRC Sr. High). Meet at the bus barn at 12:45pm and we should arrive back around 6:00pm. We will be at a new location this year (Linn Grove, IA—an hour away). Feel free to bring snacks/drink if desired for the drive. Please remember to dress appropriately (sweatshirt, jeans, hat). If you have your own paintball gun, you are allowed to bring those if you would like. You can sign up at the information table or you can contact Julie Vis at 712-395-0099

SR. HIGH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pop - We are asking that each student be responsible for bringing pop and snacks again for youth group this year. **There has been a change this year.** We are asking that Sr. Highers be responsible for bringing a 24-pack of pop on the first night of youth group. On the night you are scheduled to bring snack, please bring 2 dozen bars or cookies.



	NURSERY SCHEDULE
Sept 14	Matt & Jade Kleyer Emily Hoekstra
Sept 21	Casie Lethcoe, Zoe Vermeer
	PRAYER SCHEDULE
Sept 14	Lisa Smit (Service) Jocelyn Muilenburg (S.S.)
Sept 21	Sharon Vermeer (Service) Jerry Vermeer (S.S.)

THIS WEEK AT MRC

Sunday, September 14 - Dordt Worship

8:30 AM Post High Ministry Breakfast
9:30 AM Worship led by Pastor Jeremy
10:45 AM Sunday School

Tuesday, September 16

9:30 AM Staff Meeting
1:00-5:00 PM Stitches of Love

Wednesday, September 17

6:30 AM Prayer
5:30 PM Wednesday Night Meal
* *BBQ hamburgers, hot dogs, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, potato salad, chips, fruit salad, cookie*
6:20 PM Quest for the Kingdom
6:20 PM Jr. GAP
7:50 PM Sr. High

Thursday, September 18

6:45 PM Sunday AM Rehearsal

Friday, September 19

5:30 PM Recycled Teens @ Burns Grill

Sunday, September 21

8:30 AM Post High Ministry Breakfast
9:30 AM Worship led by Ben VG
10:45 AM Sunday School

MISSIONARY OF THE MONTH

For the month of September, we ask that you be in prayer for **Brad Schelling** as he provides support for **First Priority** clubs in schools across the nation. Pray for students to rise up & share the gospel with their peers.

TODAY'S SONGS

"Here I Am To Worship"

"King Of Kings"

"Lord I Need You"

Offertory: Cello Duet - "Be Thou My Vision"

"Proof Of Your Love"

"My Lighthouse"

CHURCH FAMILY PRAYER

Pray for those with ongoing treatments & concerns:

Marlene De Jager, Evelyn De Vries,
Ruth Heidebrink, Daryl Holtrop,
Debbie Hubers, Amy Muth,
Delmar Van Klompenburg,
Norm & Marge Van Ommeren,
Stan Van Ommeren, Jessica Williams,
Linda Zevenbergen

MONTHLY SPECIAL OFFERING

Our offering for September & October is for Paradise Junior School in Uganda, as they provide whole care for at risk children. You can read more about this in the September Maurice Moments.

MRC CORE VALUE TEAMS

Below is the list of consistory members & the teams in which they serve:

- **Admin:** Adam Maassen, Alan Muilenburg, Jerry Vermeer, Steve Vis, Pastor Jeremy
- **Congregational Life:** Lloyd Cleveringa, Myron Dekkers, Matt Kleyer, Rog Van Regenmorter, Bryan Van Gelder
- **Discipleship:** Evan Grotenhuis, Blaine Reuter, Travis Rozeboom, Marc Scheitler, Bonnie Wolf, Youth
- **Service/Mission:** Dave Dykstra, Brian Oolman, Nick Van Oort, Roger De Weerd
- **Worship:** Dan Bruxvoort, Justin Schrock, Michael Vander Schaaf, Pastor Jeremy