

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2026

ORDER OF *Worship*

PRELUDE
"Just That Good"

WELCOME + ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP
"I Belong To Jesus"
"You Never Let Go"

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

OFFERING
Special Music: Master's Ringers
"For The Beauty Of The Earth"
"This Is My Father's World"

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE
Led by Kira Schrock

SCRIPTURE + SERMON
Pastor Jeremy Van Genderen
1 Timothy Series
Truth & Nothing But The Truth
1 Timothy 4: "Training"

RESPONSE + BENEDICTION
"Build My Life"

MASTER'S RINGERS

Thank you to the Master's Ringers for using their gifts and talents to bless MRC with the gift of music this morning!

FALL MEETING

Please note that our fall congregational meeting will take place immediately following worship. Be sure to stick around!

GET CONNECTED

We would love to help you get connected and stay informed. If you would like to receive church emails with important info and prayer requests, email Emily at info@mauricereformed.org. Or check out the other platforms for staying connected below!

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ADDITIONAL MRC *Happenings*

THANKSGIVING EVE OFFERING

Our annual Thanksgiving Eve Grocery Offering will support 3 local food pantries: Orange City Food Pantry, The Hope Food Pantry in Sioux Center, and the new pantry at This & That Thrift Shop in Orange City. Donation suggestion lists are available at the info table. Please attach the color-coded slip to your donations. No dented cans, home-canned items, or expired goods can be accepted. Thank you for blessing those in need!

THANKSGIVING OFFERING GIVING OPTIONS

As you prepare and discern where to give this Thanksgiving, the MRC Deacons & Mission Team have a few suggestions listed based on current needs. To support any of these needs, simply label your check memo or giving envelope. You may also designate gifts towards the MRC Mission Fund (general fund) with any undesignated gifts being disbursed by the Deacons.

Giving opportunities include:

- Lexy Krogman (Cadence International) for a new hangar roof for ministry space
- Tom Johnson (Corem Deo) for ministry funding
- Inspiration Hills for ministry expenses

If you have any questions, please reach out to a deacon or a member of the mission team. Thank you for considering giving this Thanksgiving season!

POINSETTIA SIGN UP

If you would like to purchase a poinsettia in memory or in honor of a loved one this holiday season, sign up at the info table! There will be 16 red poinsettias available. The cost is **$23.55**.

FULL SEND MINISTRY

Full Send Ministry exists to equip, empower and encourage us to live 100% committed lives to Jesus Christ daily. To do this, Full Send Ministry sends out daily tools via text, email or their app as well as hosts a yearly conference here at MRC. Take a moment today to sign up for the conference, which is January 29-31, by going to the website at www.fullsendministry.com. You can also sign up for the daily tools by scanning the QR code.

MAURICE REFORMED CHURCH *Life*

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Be sure to stick around after the service today for our congregational meeting. There is no Sunday School today due to TEC weekend being held at MRC. This will be a brief meeting where we will approve the 2027 budget, hear a report from the intergenerational team, as well as hear some exciting updates that will be coming up in January.

PHOTO & MEDIA PERMISSION FORMS

Maurice Reformed Church enjoys sharing photos of our church family and the many activities happening at MRC! Please take a moment to complete a Photo & Media Permission Form so we know what you are comfortable allowing us to share on our church's social media, website, and other publications. Forms have been placed in your church mailbox (there are extra at the information table) and should be **returned by December 13** to the labeled box at the information table. Thank you!

STRINGS FOR THE KING

We will be sharing a special musical piece during the worship service on Sunday morning, December 20, and would love to include our string players! Our rehearsals will be held on Sunday, December 6 and 13, from 8:45–9:15 AM in the room across from the Sr. High Youth Room. On December 20, we will meet at 8:45 AM to tune and run through the piece in the sanctuary. The song is "Bell Carol Tidings," a Christmas favorite! We would love to include all string players who have completed Lesson Book 1 in their school orchestra program. If you meet this requirement, please contact Laura Haverdink by email (lhaverdink@mocfv.org) or text (712-395-3115) to let her know you are interested and available. Even if you have participated in the ensemble before, please check in so she can confirm our musicians for this year. She will place the music in your church mailbox before the first rehearsal so you have time to prepare. Thank you for sharing your musical gifts to honor God and be a blessing to others!

MRC CROPLAND

The corn crop on the MRC cropland was harvested in October. It yielded 215 bushel per acre and was sold for $43,351.72. A big thank you goes to all who contributed in any way to the crop this year!

JR. GAP + SR. HIGH *Ministry*

UPCOMING YOUTH GROUP SCHEDULE

November 25

- We will not be having youth group this Wednesday so that everyone can attend the Thanksgiving Eve Service at church (7 PM). May you spend some time thanking God for the many blessings He has given each one of us.

December 2

- Deb Rensink from Whispers of Love, Hope, and Joy will be sharing her testimony. Whispers of Love, Hope, and Joy is a non profit organization whose mission, through Christ, is to recapture the voices of women and children impacted by domestic violence.

December 9

- Amanda Dykstra will be leading a lesson night titled "Remembered Dust", which focuses on the idea that God sees people that others overlook. This comes from the story of Hagar in Genesis 16:1-14.

December 16

- This night will be our Christmas Party! Join us for a night of fun! Before we turn you loose until next year, we are going to get together and have a great night of fun and fellowship! Snacks will be provided by the leaders. Feel free to dress in your favorite Christmas sweater/PJs!

No youth group on December 23 & 30 for Christmas Break

UPCOMING SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE

November 22

- We will not be having Sunday School today as MRC is hosting TEC for the weekend. Since TEC will be using the entire lower level of the church, we ask that everyone please be respectful of their space and plan to remain in the Fellowship Hall area. Thank you for helping us provide a welcoming space for our TEC guests!

November 29

- We will not be having Sunday School next Sunday for Thanksgiving break. Enjoy your time with family!

No Sunday School December 27 & January 3

WEEKLY EVENTS *Schedule*

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22
9:30 AM Worship led by Pastor Jeremy
- Cong. Meeting to follow the service

No Sunday School (TEC @ MRC)

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23
7:00 PM Faith Bible Study
- Leader – Jeanette; Hostess – Steph

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24
6:45 PM Sunday AM Rehearsal

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 25
7:00 PM Thanksgiving Eve Service

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26
Happy Thanksgiving!

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29
9:30 AM Worship led by Pastor Jeremy
No Sunday School (Thanksgiving Break)
6:00 PM Unplugged Worship Service

VOLUNTEER *Schedules*

NURSERY
November 22:
- Nikita & Evie K (Service); *No S.S.*

November 29:
- Sharon V, Cambrie V (Service); *No S.S.*

December 6:
- Susan L Family (Service); Nicole P, Lily C (S.S.)

PRAYER
November 22:
- Charlene O (Service), *No S.S.*

November 29:
- Lisa S (Service), *No S.S.*

December 6:
- Nancy M (Service), Jerry V (S.S.)

CHURCH *Prayer*

Please keep **Mark Kleyer** in your prayers after his recent tests did not provide any significant answers. He will have more tests done in about 3 months, so we just pray for strength and patience in the meantime.

Please keep **Darrel and Mick Van Regenmorter** in your prayers following the passing of their son-in-law, Brian Moser. Please also remember Brian's wife, Melissa, and their children during this difficult time. We also ask for prayers for Rog and Nov as they grieve the loss of their nephew.

Pray for those with ongoing treatments and concerns:
Daryl De Groot, Marlene De Jager, Evelyn De Vries, Dale Grasmeyer, Wendi Groen, Gloria & Jim Feenstra, Ruth Heidebrink, Wanda Kuiken, Amy Muth, Leroy Punt, Don Van Horssen, Norm & Marge Van Ommeren, Bonnie Wolf

MRC *Consistory*

ELDERS
Dan Bruxvoort, Phil Dykstra, Evan Grotenhuis, Lee Maassen, Brian Oolman, Marc Scheitler, Justin Schrock, Steve Vis, Shane Walter

DEACONS
Eric Cleveringa, Mike Klemme, Matt Kleyer, Joel Leusink, Adam Maassen, Blaine Reuter, Travis Rozeboom, Michael Vander Schaaf, Nick Van Oort