

## Church Calendar

### Name Tag Sunday ~ August 12

Pastor Joel Schreurs is preaching. Offering is for First CRC General Fund. Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

### Monday ~ August 13

9:15am – Prayer For Persecuted Believers  
6:30pm – Count Committee

### Tuesday ~ August 14

1-3pm - Staff Meeting, rm. 21

### Wednesday ~ August 15

6:30pm – Council Committee

### Thursday ~ August 16

7pm - Worship Team in Sanctuary

### Friday ~ August 17

9:30-11:30am - Library is open

### Saturday ~ August 18

7:00am – Men's Morning Bible Study

### Sunday ~ August 19

Pastor Joel Schreurs is preaching; offering is for Brother's Redevelopment.

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### Thank you to all serving this Sunday, August 12th:

**Children in Worship:** Davinia Lyon, Gabrielle Vance, Charlotte & Ellie Reynolds

**Nursery:** Jessica Benson & Cadance Vance

**Camera:** Matthew Jonker

**Lyrics:** Micah Dehaan

**Sound:** Jim DeHaan

**Prayer Ministry Elder:** Cal Van Heukelem & Anne Buteyn

**Coffee:** DenBraber

### Thank you to all serving next Sunday, August 19th:

**Children in Worship:** Brianna Van Andel, Hannah DeBoer,

Logan Posthumus, and Sam Lamsma

**Nursery:** Kelsie Ruter, Sheri DeHaan, James Jonker

**Camera:** Ian Reynolds

**Lyrics:** Charlotte Reynolds

**Sound:** Bob Reynolds

**Prayer Ministry Elder:** Dave Cady & Sheri DeHaan

**Coffee:** Schans

**Welcome to our visitors!** Elders are available up front to answer your questions and pray. A children's coloring/activity bulletin, called *Sweet Rewards*, can be found in the foyer. Coffee and Lemonade are set up for you outside. The Lord's Supper/Communion will be celebrated this Sunday. All Baptized believers, who place their faith in Jesus Christ for salvation are welcome to receive this sacrament. Teaching materials for children are available from the office to equip parents to prepare children to participate in the Sacraments.

## Part-Time Business Associate – Hope Fellowship

Primary Function: This position is responsible for administering the business affairs of the church and serves as the communication liaison between staff and the Admin Team, Facilities Team, and Finance Team. Responsibilities include overseeing contracts, insurance, finance, accounting, payroll, facilities and maintenance operations, and information technology.

### Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities Required

- Education: Bachelor's degree in accounting, finance, or business is required. Human resources and IT experience preferred.
- Minimum of 4 years of related experience.
- Working knowledge of forecasting and financial reports.
- Ability to work with all staff and members of the congregation and to build solid relationships as expected in a Christian environment.
- Strong organizational, problem-solving, and analytical skills with ability to manage priorities and workflow.
- Versatility, flexibility, and a willingness to work within constantly changing priorities with enthusiasm.
- Proven leadership and business acumen skills.
- Excellent written, communication, and presentation skills.
- Commitment to excellence and high standards.
- Demonstrated high level of proficiency in QuickBooks and MS Office Suites (Word, Excel, and PowerPoint) required.

This position is anticipated to be 10-12 hours/week. Flexibility and attending meetings on weeknights is a requirement.

Full job description available upon request.

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# FIRST CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

DENVER, COLORADO

Sunday August 12th, 2018

## First Christian Reformed Church

*A Family of God, Living our Faith and Growing by:  
Joyfully surrendering to Jesus, Freely sharing our lives, and Humbly  
embracing the hurting.*

## Gathering

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Processional

\*Call to Worship: from Psalm 91

Whoever dwells in the shelter of the Most High  
will rest in the shadow of the Almighty.

**He is our refuge and our fortress,  
our God, in whom we trust.**

His faithfulness will be your shield and rampart.  
**He will command His angels concerning us  
to guard us in all our ways.**

\*Song: *Praise the Lord Sing Hallelujah* LUYH 518  
*My Shepherd Will Supply My Need* LUYH 369

\*God's Greeting and Mutual Greeting

## Renewal

Prayer of Confession

Song of Renewal: *I am Not My Own*

Offering: General Fund

Offertory

Offertory Prayer

## Word

Children in Worship Dismissal

Leader: The Lord is here.  
The Lord is there.  
The Lord is everywhere.  
The Lord is high. The Lord is low.  
The Lord is on the path we go.  
People: **The Lord be with you.**  
Children: **And also with you.**

Heidelberg Catechism: Lord's Day 19

Scripture: Mark 4:35-41, page 1005

Prayer for Application

Sermon

Song and Prayer of Response: *Don't Be Afraid* LUYH 429

## Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving:

Lift up your hearts.  
**We lift them up to the Lord.**  
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.  
**It is right for us to give thanks and praise.**

Thanksgiving for the Work of God in Creation

Acclamation:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord,  
God of power and might,  
Heaven and earth are full of Your glory.  
Hosanna in the highest.  
Blessed is He who comes in the name of the Lord.  
Hosanna in the highest.**

Thanksgiving for the Work of Christ

Words of Institution:

We give thanks to God the Father that our Savior, Jesus Christ, before He suffered, gave us this memorial of His sacrifice, until He comes again...  
Therefore we proclaim our faith as signed and sealed in this sacrament:

**Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.**

Prayer for the Work of the Holy Spirit

Invitation

Distribution Songs:

*Jesus Paid It All*  
*There is a Redeemer* LUYH 833

Communion

## Sending

Sending Prayer

\*Sending Song: *Even So Come*

\*Blessing

Postlude

Minister of The Word: Rev. Joel Schreurs  
Director of Faith Formation: Dr. Bret Lamsma  
Worship Coordinator: Kyle Cooper with First CRC Band  
Accompanist: Christy Bol

## Up ~ Prayer

*Our Congregational Prayer Focus for Persecuted Believers through August is the country of **North Korea, #1 on the World Watch List**, as the most oppressive place in the world for Christians. Pray for freedom for entire Christian families imprisoned in hard-labor camps, where unknown numbers succumb to torture, overexertion and starvation. They ask us to pray that the love of Christ will soften the hearts of all government leaders, bringing them to a place of repentance and complete surrender to Jesus. Commit to pray through the sheet in the foyer this summer.*

Congratulations to **Ed and Cyndi Berghuis** who celebrated their **50th** wedding anniversary this past week!

Congratulations to **Ryleigh & Reed Vanden Broeke**, celebrating their wedding this Saturday, Aug. 11, then moving to Omaha for Reed's continued Physical Therapy education at Creighton University.

**Edna Houtkooper** would like to thank everyone at First CRC for prayer, cards, meals, grocery trips and especially the fellowship of your visits.

Thoughts and prayers for **Carolyn Smith** as she recovers from a really bad fall at The Center at Lowry: 8550 East Lowry Blvd., rm 246, Denver 80230

We continue prayer for **Marge Rozendaal** and family, as she adjusts to *Harvard Square Gardens Memory Care*: 10200 East Harvard Ave. Denver 80231, Room 108.

We lift up **teachers, staff and administrators** as they prepare to welcome students into each classroom. May the Lord fuel each ambassador of Christ with the joy of the Lord, and renewed strength and purpose.

We pray for **students** of all ages, and life stages, as they begin another school year. May the Lord protect them from fear, anxiety and violence, and equip them to love learning as they grow academically, physically and spiritually.

Please pray for safe travel for **Issachar Community** students on a trip.

We pray that the kindness of God will bring **repentance and forgiveness** into a family situation. May relationships be renewed in Christ Jesus, for the sake of the Kingdom of God.

## IN ~ Events & Upcoming Activities

**August 13** – Prayer for Persecuted Believers, rm. 12/13, 9:15am

**August 14** – YFC Tour of Mt. View Correctional Facility

**August 15** – Council Meeting, rm. 24, 6:30pm

**August 18** – Men's Bible Study, rm. 21 at 7:00am

**August 21** – Senior Moments to Pine Valley, meet at 9am at church.

**August 22** – Coffee Break Social at 6pm, in the library.

**August 25** – Stamp Class: design greeting cards, 1-3pm in rm. 12/13

**August 26** – Youth Group to Cherry Creek Reservoir!

**Coffee Break Women's Bible study** will have a **Potluck** dinner at 6:00 p.m. on **Wednesday, August 22** in the Library to conclude their summer meetings. We will meet again in the EMERSON HOUSE on September 5 when Family Night begins.

**Senior Moments:** Tuesday, August 21st, is our event to Pine Valley Ranch Park. On the agenda is hiking around a scenic lake, or finding a comfortable place to enjoy the scenery. Coffee time with Duffy's rolls. Bring your own lunch; *s'mores* for dessert. Plan to leave church at 9:00 am. Remember to sign up for this event by **Sunday, Aug. 19th**. Please see flyer for details. Questions: Betty K. 303-514-6251, or Beth P. 303-947-1085.

## OUT ~ Living Our Faith & Growing by:

### **Humbly Embracing The Hurting:**

Please review your *Family Promise* information sheet, and pray over ways you might like to contribute to receiving others in temporary need.

### **Freely Sharing Our Lives:**

**Save The Date: September 6, 4-9pm** for an Open House to celebrate 30 Years of Mile High Ministries at 913 North Wyandot Street, Denver CO 80204! This is not a Fundraiser, a FREE family friendly pot-luck party.

**Joyfully Surrendering To Jesus:** Volunteer with *World Renew's* Haiti Reforestation Team in 2019 - Are you passionate about the environment and serving God internationally? **World Renew is hosting an inter-generational team of service and learning volunteers in Haiti from Jan. 26 - Feb. 3, 2019.** This is a fantastic opportunity to work alongside community members to plant trees that build the soil. To find out more or register, call 800-552-7972, ext. 2737, or email [globalvolunteer@worldrenew.net](mailto:globalvolunteer@worldrenew.net).

### **Travel to Southern Spain and Andalucia region - March 2019.**

Led by Prof. Cynthia Slagter, this tour includes Granada's Alhambra Palace, Sevilla's cathedral, and a walk between cities in the Alpujarras. See [calvin.edu/go/travel](http://calvin.edu/go/travel) for full tour details. Sponsored by the Calvin Alumni Association and Calvin Academy for Lifelong Learning; open to all.