Welcome to St. John's Reformed Church



Lord's Day Sunday, October 5, 2025

2 Peter 3:13 (and Revelation 21) An Already We Miss



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Ongoing...

- * Monday Night *Bible Study* 6:30-8:00pm Fellowship Hall. Current study: Acts
- * We have a *prayer time* before service at 8:40 downstairs in our prayer room to the right of the nursery. Please plan to come so that we can prayer together.
- * Every 1st Sunday after service around 11:30 we have a potluck lunch in our fellowship hall.
- * Want to receive a weekly copy of the **sermon manuscript** for further study of God's Word? Let Pastor Matt know.
- * During service parents are welcome to use the nursery or preschool room downstairs for your young kids if need be.
- * Downstairs we have a growing *library* of books that you can check out. Plus free booklets and t-shirts to take.

 "Print ministry" donations are always welcome as offerings.
- * There is a *mother and baby room* available downstairs next to the library/lounge area for those who need it.
- * If you are interested in becoming a member of St. John's please talk to Pastor Matt for more information on a *membership* class and more.
- * We always have a need for **bottled water and paper products**. If you would like to donate, it is much appreciated. They can go on any counter in the kitchen.
- * If members need a *Member Directory*, talk to Pastor Matt.
- * Offerings can be given during service, in the offering boxes located at the top of the stairs in the back of the sanctuary or in the foyer of our west entrance, or through our app.
- * Our *church app* is available through allofchrist.org or any app store

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Welcome and Announcements

* Call to Worship * Psalm 43

* <u>Songs of Praise</u> *
The Prayer of St. Patrick
I Am Not My Own
Come Let Us Return to the Lord

Catechism

Pastoral Prayer

Sermon 2 Peter 3:13 (and Revelation 21) An Already We Miss

Offering and Song of Preparation
Take My Life and Let It Be

Offering Prayer

Confession of Sin and Assurance of Pardon

Lord's Supper

* Song of Response *
All Things

* Benediction and Closing Doxology *

[* If able, you are invited to stand *]

2 Peter 3:13 (Revelation 21) - An Already We Miss

Revelation 21:

Old to New and the ascension:

4 ways righteousness dwells in the New Covenant era now:

Sermons are usually uploaded by Monday and can be accessed thru our website at www.allofchrist.org

Westminster Shorter Catechism:

Q. 104. What do we pray for in the fourth petition?

A. In the fourth petition, which is, "Give us this day our daily bread," we pray that by God's free gift we may receive a sufficient portion of the good things of this life and enjoy his blessing with them.

Announcements...

Today at 4pm Pastor Matt will begin October's class on The Place For Natural Law.

Pastor Matt has 7 free gifts of a year's access to Canon+ where you can stream Canon Press audiobooks and more on your phone, desktop, and TVs. This is first-come-first-served. Please talk to Pastor Matt if you'd like to take advantage of this.

Today we will have out monthly potluck lunch after service starting around 11:30.

Thank you to all who contributed to the Yard Sale yesterday!

Save the date for:

Sat Oct. 25th - 3-8pm - Fall Fest This is a great time of fellowship with good food, a hay ride, bounce house, and more.

Sat Nov. 1 is our next FLINT event: The Man As Provider

Sunday Nov. 30th we will be planning an end of the Institute year potluck dinner with our Christmas tree lighting to go with it.

Today's flowers are for the glory of God and in celebration of the 38th wedding anniversary of Lesa and Randy Frederick.

Elders: Pastor Matt, Ethan Tuke, and Denis Ryabyy

Deacons: Ronnie Hikes, Kevin Elwood, and Andrew Killian

Consistory:

Deacons listed above and Marie Laubenstine, Nancy Umbenhaur, Debra Marbarger, Amy Laubenstine, Tara Laubenstine, and Ashley Elwood

If there are any specific needs you can contact any Council member listed above or:

Music Leader:

Andrew Horvath

Building/Maintenance/Safety:

Ronnie Hikes Andrew Killian Mike Dixon Sharon Dixon

Finance:

Nancy Umbenhaur

Hospitality/Mercy/Benevolence/Emergency:

Kevin Elwood
Ashley Elwood
Marie Laubenstine
Debra Marbarger (in cha

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Prayer List: Bob Baum

All contact information can be found in your church directory. If you need a directory, please ask Pastor Matt for one.