

Platte Christian Reformed Church

“In All Things, Christ Pre-Eminent”

Pastor Drew Hoekema



*Everyday may not be
good, but there is
something good in
every day that is
because God is Good,
All the Time!*

Reflection from Psalm 31:19

#inspiringwhispers

Sunday, April 14, 2024

10:00 AM Morning Worship Service

11:15 AM Sunday School for K-12th Grades

6:00 PM Evening Worship Service

Both services will be Live Streamed on web & scanners.

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Mission Statement

To Know Christ-as Savior and Lord

To Be Like Christ-by Our Words and Actions

To Share Christ-at Home and Throughout the World

Sunday Morning Worship

April 14, 2024

Preaching: Dr. Andrew Hille

Organist: Harriett Sybesma

Praise of God

Welcome and Announcements

*Call to Worship and Greetings

**We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise* – CH 213

**He Has Made Me Glad* – CH 214

**You Are My All In All* – CH 583

Reconciliation with God

Apostle's Creed

By His Grace – CH 339

Word of Assurance

Thanksgiving to God

Special Music: Peter Backes- *How Great Thou Art*

Morning Pastoral Prayer

Guidance from God

Scripture Reading: **Acts 4:1-21**

Message: **“Learning to be BOLD for the Gospel”**

Prayer for Application

Sending by God

**Facing a Task Unfinished*

*Benediction

**Let the Peace of Christ Rule in Your Heart* - CH 231

*Collection will be taken by the deacons for the **Wunderinks-TeachBeyond** at the exits as you leave*

(*) – indicates congregation standing (**) – indicates member or praise team led

April 14, 2024 – Morning – Acts 4:1-21
“Learning to be BOLD for the Gospel”

What **one truth** struck you about this message?

What **one thing** will you seek to do differently this week?

Sunday Evening Worship
April 14, 2024
Preaching: Pastor Scott Nichols
Organist: Harriett Sybesma

Gathering

Call to Worship

Invocation

*God's Greeting

**Blessed Be the Name – CH 52*

Learning

Catechism Teaching: Lord's Day 43 – Q/A 112

Scripture Reading: **Proverbs 15:1-4**

Sermon Title: **“The Tongue of the Wise”**

Prayer for Application

Sharing

Lord, Speak to Me – CH 667

Evening Pastoral Prayer

Sending

**Open My Eyes That I May See – CH 563*

*Benediction

**Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow – (tune of PH 472)*

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*“One thing have I asked of the Lord, that will I seek after;
that I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life,
to behold the beauty of the Lord, and to inquire in His temple.”*

Psalm 27:4

WELCOME: We welcome you to our worship and fellowship today. To God be the glory! And may we be richly blessed! Please **join us after the morning service** for a time of refreshment in the Fellowship Hall.

Children aged 3-5 meet **Kim Lieuwen** in the foyer before the sermon this morning for **Children’s Church**.

This morning, we welcome Dr. Andrew Hille to bring God's Word, and this evening, Rev. Scott Nichols of Corsica CRC.

PRAYER & PRAISE

Continue to be in prayer for **Ken and Dee Kredit**, members of our church family who have relocated to Des Moines, IA, as it was determined last weekend that Dee's heart was beginning to fail. She returned home under hospice care. Ask the Lord for His peace to bless this family, and for His promises to encourage Dee as she appears to approach the end of her earthly journey. The Kredits' contact info is posted on our bulletin board.

Please be in prayer for **Rena Hassler**, a longtime member of our church who has since moved to Kalamazoo, MI, and an aunt to Vern Van Vuren. Rena's health recently declined to the point where she has been placed into hospice care. Ask for God's peace to the Hassler and Van Vuren families.

OUR ANNOUNCEMENTS

Tackling Tough Topics: A series of spring seminars will be again next Sunday in the **fellowship hall** at **6pm**. On 4/21 and 4/28 we will cover the tough topic of forgiveness. *These seminars will be streamed on scanners, but not via video on the web.*

Nursing Home Hymn Sing: TODAY at 2:30 pm, Group 1 is in charge of the Nursing Home Hymn Sing. We encourage as many as possible in group 1 to attend.

Reminder!!! Please turn in all receipts to the office when you charge items for the church at County Fair!

Vine's Table: THURSDAY, May 9 at 5:30pm. Menu: Ham. Sign up in foyer or call Norma.

AREA ANNOUNCEMENTS

Request Program: Grandview Reformed Church in Armour will be hosting a request program on **Sunday, April 14, at 7pm.** An offering will be taken for New Hope Bible Camp south of Platte. Refreshments will be served.

Fundraiser: Harrison community church top your tator supper on **Wednesday, April 17 from 5 pm to 7:30 pm** at faber center of south church. Free will offering for new building fund!!

Workshop Opportunity: Do you ever feel reluctant in personally sharing your Good News? At a 5-hour Saturday workshop in Sioux Falls, let's dig into the Word, learn to express our personal God-stories, and then interact with those who may be struggling without Him. Gain an "I-can-do-that" feeling, causing you to feel more natural in speaking spiritually with those you know. For information, dates, or to sign-up for Everyday-Ambassadors Practicum, **www.sfnewroots.com/our-ministries**.

Women's Retreat at New Hope: April 26th-27th at New Hope Christian Camp in Platte, SD the Women of Hope present "**Come As You Are.**" A weekend that will quip you to fight chaos with countercultural practices of simplicity, prayer, and community. Our guest speaker will be Chelsey (Munneke) Nugteren. Please check the church bulletin board for more information.

THIS WEEK PRAY FOR OUR FELLOWSHIP

Sunday–Missionaries: Calvin & Jessica Wunderink, TeachBeyond

Monday: Special Grace: Mary Ellen Feiok

Tuesday: Richard, Molly, Watson, & Navy Sternberg

Wednesday: Roy & Norma Lorensen, Craig Boltjes

Thursday: Duane & Tammy Meyerink, Tami Boltjes

Friday: Randy & Nancy Pheifer, Briana DeGroot

Saturday: Lyle & Everine Schipper, Jackson DeGroot

ADVANCE NOTICES

****Sun., April 28 - Communion**

****Tues., April 30 - Deacons Mtg. @ 6 PM, Council Mtg. @ 7 PM,
Elders Mtg. @ 8 PM**

****Sun., May 5 - Last Day of Sunday School**

***Work group #3** will be in charge of the next event/funeral.

Serving Schedule:

<u>Date:</u>	<u>Sound</u>	<u>Proj.</u>	<u>Nursery</u>	<u>Valet</u>	<u>Coffee</u>	<u>Offering</u>
Apr. 14	Joel S.	Tony H.	Molly S./ Alyssa M.	Vic B.	Harlan VG/ Ryan VZ	Wunderinks- TeachBeyond
Apr. 21	Jared P.	Peter B.	Melissa S./ Addison K.	Ryan VZ.	Ivan VD/ Ken VZ	DCS

2024 ELDERS AND DEACONS DISTRICTS

NORTH

Elroy Kaemingk Kris Sybesma	<i>N.W. Country</i>	Curtis Sybesma Ian Kuipers	<i>N.E. Country</i>
Dennis Kok Dale Severson	<i>N.W. Town</i>	Jim Buitenbos Jay Sybesma	
	<i>S.W. Town</i>	<i>S.E. Town</i>	
Elmer Visscher Bob Middendorp		Larry Hansum Jared Peters	
	<i>S.W. Country</i>	<i>S.E. Country</i>	
Elmer Visscher Bob Middendorp		Elroy Kaemingk Kris Sybesma	

SOUTH