

Morning Order of Worship
April 21, 2024 - 9:30 a.m.

Morning Message Notes
John 10:7-21
I Am the Good Shepherd

REJOICING IN THE LORD

Prelude

Welcome and Call to Worship

*Opening Song of Worship

Gray #452, vs. 1, 2, 3 – *He Leadeth Me*

*God's Greeting and Mutual Greeting

*Hymn of Praise

Gray #488, vs. 1, 2, 3 – *I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say*

APPROACHING THE LORD

God's Will for Our Lives

*Hymn of Confession

Gray #254, vs. 1, 2, 3 – *Remember Not, O God*

Congregational Prayer

Offerings for Hope Haven and Christian Education

LISTENING TO THE LORD

*Hymn of Preparation

Blue #417, vs. 1, 2, 3 – *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us*

(During the first verse, children ages 3-TK are dismissed for Children and Worship.)

Scripture: John 10:7-21 (page 1062)

Message: ***I Am the Good Shepherd***

Prayer of Application

*Hymn of Application

Gray #497, vs. 1, 2, 3 – *How Vast the Benefits Divine*

LEAVING TO LOVE AND SERVE THE LORD

*God's Parting Blessing

*Doxology – Gray #638 – *Praise God, from Whom All Blessing Flow*

*Postlude

**Please stand, if able*

Worship Participants

Worship Leaders: Rev. Jordan Helming

Organist: Maria Byker

Pianist: Ema McBrayer

Evening Order of Worship
April 21, 2024 - 6:00 p.m.

Evening Message Notes
Joshua 2
Rahab

A TIME OF PRAISE

Prelude

Welcome and Call to Worship

*Opening Song of Worship

Gray #239, vs. 1, 2, 3 – *Amid the Thronging Worshipers*

*God's Greeting

A TIME OF FAITH

Songs of Praise

Gray #499, vs. 1, 3, 4, 6 – *My God, How Wonderful You Are*

*Gray #121, vs. 1, 2 – *To the Hills I Lift My Eyes*

*Apostles' Creed (p. 813)

Congregational Prayer

Offering for Bethesda Christian Counseling

A TIME OF LEARNING

*Song of Preparation

Screen, vs. 1, 2 – *Ancient Words*

Scripture: Joshua 2 (page 208)

Message: **Rahab**

Prayer of Application

*Hymn of Application

Gray #543, vs. 1, 2, 3 – *Guide Me, O My Great Redeemer*

A TIME OF LIVING

*God's Parting Blessing

*Doxology - Gray #634, vs. 1, 2, 3 – *Father, We Love You*

*Postlude

**Please stand, if able*

Worship Participants

Worship Leader: Mr. Barry Miedema

Organist: Kate Noteboom

Pianist: Anita Nykamp

Sunday, April 21, 2024

Welcome to worship today! We are glad you have chosen to worship God with us!

Nursery is available on the lower level of the church for child care. Refreshments are served after the morning worship service. Please stay and visit.

This Week

Today

- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service – Rev. Jordan Helming
Offering: Hope Haven, Christian Education
- 10:45 a.m. Sunday School Classes
- 11:00 a.m. Catechism Classes
- 11:00 a.m. Post High Sunday School Class
- 11:45 a.m. Post High Meal
- 4:15 p.m. LIFE
- 6:00 p.m. Worship Service – Mr. Barry Miedema
Offering: Bethesda Christian Counseling

Wednesday, April 24

- 6:45 p.m. GEMS will meet at Immanuel CRC
- 6:50 p.m. Cadets will meet at Calvary CRC
- 7:00 p.m. Youth Group Senior Send Off
- 7:00 p.m. Post High Outing to Thunder Road

Sunday, April 28

- 9:30 a.m. Worship Service – Rev. Bernie Haan
Scripture: Hebrews 4:14-16
Message: *In the Presence of God, the Father*
Offerings: GEMS Girls' Club, Christian Education
- 10:45 a.m. Sunday School Classes
- 11:00 a.m. Catechism Classes
- 5:00 p.m. Combined GEMS Worship at Immanuel
Rev. Cliff Hoekstra
Offering: Orange City GEMS

General Announcements

Welcome:

We welcome our Pastor of Congregational Care, Rev. Jordan Helming as he leads us in worship this morning.

This evening, Mr. Barry Miedema from Sioux Falls, SD will lead us in worship. Mr. Miedema is principal/teacher at Hills Christian School in Hill, MN, and also serves as the pastor at Bethel Reformed Church in Davis, SD.

From the Nursery Committee: We have sorted out some toys and books that are no longer being used. These items are on the counter in the first room of the nursery. Feel free to look through the items and help yourself to anything you'd like. Anything left after today will be donated.

Post High Group:

Our last post high meal for this school year is today! There will be a Sunday School lesson in the sanctuary from 11-11:30, with the meal to follow at 11:45 in the fellowship hall.

Come for a fun night of unlimited go-karts, mini-golf, laser tag, and more at Thunder Road in Sioux Falls, on Wednesday, April 24, from 7:00-9:00 p.m. Let Ross or Krista know if you would like a ride. We hope you'll make plans to join us!

Mark Your Calendar: There will be an all church potluck dinner on Sunday, May 5, to conclude the church education year. Check next week's bulletin for more details.

2024 Graduates: If you are graduating from middle school, high school, college or grad school, we'd love to celebrate you! Please email the office (office@firstcroc.org) with info about you – education you are completing, future plans, summer plans, and anything else you'd like to include. Please send this info by Friday, April 26 for inclusion in the May Reflections.

July Installation Service: We are hoping to sing "Not to Us, O Lord" at Pastor Terpstra's installation service on July 7 AM. If you are available on July 7 and interested in participating in singing that song, please let Anita Nykamp or Maria Byker know by May 1. This song was sung

by the combined 1st CRC and 1st Reformed choir for the 150th anniversary, and the youth group sang it at convention a couple of years ago. Everyone is welcome!

Serving in Ministry

	Today (4/21)	Next Sunday (4/28)
AM Refreshments	Ryan & Jennifer Noteboom Brent & Anita Nykamp Reagan N. & Carissa R.	Ross & Krista Oolman Caleb & Sarah Pluim Ryan V.S. & Wyatt N.
AM Nursery	Anita Jeltema Jennifer Mills Connor Schuller	Sarah Pluim Maria Noteboom Brenna Bolkema
Children & Worship	Leader: Christina Zuiderveen Greeter: Reagan Noteboom	Leader: Jennifer Mills Greeter: Lauren Noteboom
PM Nursery	Audrey Schuller Audrey Zuiderveen	<i>Combined GEMS Worship at Immanuel</i>
Greeters	SE-Caleb & Sarah Pluim FHW-Don & Ruth Post	<i>Combined GEMS Worship at Immanuel</i>
Media	Greg De Groot Matt Van Schepen Nicholas Noteboom Linda Ver Steeg	Gary Jeltema Jon Hellinga Austin Van Donge Phil Kuiken
Intentional Greeter	AM-Brian Kroeze PM-Ryan Noteboom	AM-Matt Van Schepen PM- <i>Combined Worship</i>