

LORD'S DAY WORSHIP

10:30 AM

Welcome and Announcements

Opening (* Please stand if able)

- *Call to Worship and Greeting
- *Invocation and Lord's Prayer
- ***Glory Be to the Father** →
- ***Nicene Creed** (p.13)
- ***Hymn 76** "Praise My Soul the King of Heaven"

"Glory be to the Father
and to the Son and to the Holy
Ghost. As it was in the
beginning, is now and ever
shall be, world without end."

Confession and Prayer

The Reading of the Word and Will of God: **Romans 12:1-22**

Pastoral Prayer

Responsive Reading: **Lord's Day 39** (p.43)

NEW MEMBERS AND BAPTISM: THE SANCHEZ'S

- ***Hymn 411** "Shine Thou upon Us Lord"

God's Word Read and Applied

Scripture: Ephesians 6:10-20 **Text: Ephesians 6:17-20**

Sermon: PUT ON THE ARMOR OF GOD, STAY ALIVE AND PRAY

Points: I. The Helmet of Salvation

II. The Sword of the Spirit

III. The Essential Role of Prayer

Concluding Worship

Tithes and Offerings for the Ministry of ORC

- ***Hymn 93** "The Tender Love a Father Has"
- *Benediction
- *Doxology →

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, you heavenly host
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost."

WELCOME in the Name of the Lord Jesus! We are glad you are here and hope you are blessed by worshiping with us. Please sign our guest book and fill out a visitor card to help us get to know you. As we worship we enter into the presence of Almighty God through His Spirit and Word. We come to Him who is supremely worthy of praise. Be encouraged and remember these words:

"You are worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honor and power; for You created all things, and by Your will they exist and were created."
Revelation 4:11

"Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ." Gal. 6:2

- **PRAY FOR OUR OUTREACH TO OMAHA** that the Lord would bless our efforts to plant and grow a congregation here. We can plant and water the seed, but only God can make it grow. So remember to pray!
- **HEALTH CONCERNS:** the **Boucher's Grandmother** (mobility) and **Mary Lincoln's** daughter **Sienna. Monte Bernhagen** (son of Keith and RoseMarie).
- **CULTURAL CONCERNS:** Pray for our country, especially those in civil and military service, and the upcoming election.
- **MISSIONS:** Pray for the **Mission Works in the RCUS**. This week pray especially for **Rev. Jonathon Merica** and his labors in **Stockton, CA**.

NEW MEMBERS AND BAPTISM TODAY

Today we will receive into our membership **Clyde and Amanda Sanchez** and their daughter **Collins**. After their membership vows **Collins** will receive the Sacrament of Holy Baptism.

UPCOMING EVENTS

WED EVENING NIGHT STUDIES (LESSON 3 THE TRUTH PROJECT) 7:00 PM
SAT (OCT 1) FALL CHURCH SOCIAL AT THE BERGSTROMS 12 NOON
ADDRESS: 14701 ROCK BLUFF AVE PLATTSMOUTH, NE 68048
DIRECTIONS TO FOLLOW BY EMAIL. Join us for leisurely afternoon of fun, food, fellowship and yard games.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT STUDIES: TRUTH PROJECT LESSON 3

On Wednesday at 7:00PM we will continue our study of Focus on the Family's **THE TRUTH PROJECT**. This week's Lesson will be on **Anthropology** (the study of man).

INSTRUCTIVE QUOTATIONS

"Loss of interest in the word of God is loss of interest in God." —John Piper

"Hell is full of people who think they deserve heaven. Heaven is full of people who know they deserve hell." —Trevin Wax

"Open transgression of God's law slays its thousands, but worldliness its tens of thousands."—J.C. Ryle

"Worry is not believing God will get it right, and bitterness is believing God got it wrong." —Tim Keller

OUR HERITAGE

Omaha Reformed Church is a mission work of the Reformed Church in the United States (founded in 1748). Our history goes back to the Protestant Reformation of the sixteenth-century. The Reformers summarized the teachings of Scripture in several historic confessions that came to be known as **The Three Forms of Unity**: the **Heidelberg Catechism** (1563), the **Belgic Confession** (1561) and the **Canons of Dort** (1619). We embrace these confessions, along with the **Apostles, Nicene and Athanasian Creeds** of the early church, as our own. We believe they continue to accurately summarize the teachings of God's unchanging word, the Holy Bible.

OUR AUTHORITY

With the church throughout history we believe that the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments are the **only divinely inspired, infallible Word of God**. They are the final authority for all questions of doctrine and life. The Spirit of God creates faith in our hearts through the preaching of the Gospel. The Lord Jesus is the only Head of the Church and has appointed pastors, elders and deacons to oversee His people. As officers they affirm and vow to uphold our church confessions, make joint decisions and be accountable to their fellow officers in the Classis and Synod of the Reformed Church in the U.S.

OUR FAITH IN CHRIST

"There is no other name under heaven given among men, by whom we must be saved" (*Acts 4:12*). Jesus Christ is the only eternal Son of God and His life of perfect obedience and willing self-sacrifice for our sins is the basis of our salvation. To those who believe, He grants forgiveness of sins, true righteousness, and eternal life. These gifts, which we can neither earn nor deserve, are freely given to those who by true faith are engrafted into Him. In response to this salvation, we will be grateful and strive to live uprightly before Him. As we grow in grace, we will more and more love God, His Word and His Ways, and at the same time come to hate sin and flee from it. We trust in the grace of God to preserve us in this faith to the end. We believe that the Lord Jesus now possesses all authority in heaven and earth (Mt. 28:18) and will, on the appointed day, return to judge the living and the dead.

OUR PRAYER FOR YOU

If you're a visitor and share these convictions, we encourage you to continue worshipping with us. We have a responsibility to preserve and proclaim **"the faith once for all delivered to the saints."** We offer **rest** to the weary, **comfort** for the distressed and **hope** for all. Our members and pastor will gladly visit with you about these things.

OMAHA REFORMED CHURCH

is a mission work of the **Reformed Church in the United States (RCUS)** under the oversight of **St. John's Reformed Church of Lincoln, NE**.

Pastor Randy Klynsma is our pastor and has been serving Christ's Church for over 25 years, earnestly proclaiming **"the faith once for all delivered to the saints"** Jude 3. He can be reached at the church phone # **(402)281-3263**

Omaha Reformed Church

"Where the Truth Lives!"

"And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God; praying always...."

Ephesians 6:17,18a

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**Sunday Worship at
4905 N 96th Street
Omaha, NE 68134**

**10:30 AM
Discipleship 9:00 AM
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