

# Morning Order of Worship

Sioux Center United Reformed Church  
Sunday, August 14, 2022

## OPENING OF SERVICE

- \* Call to Worship
- \* Prayer of Invocation
- \* God's Greeting
- \* Hymn of Praise: 241 *O God beyond All Praising*

## SERVICE OF RECONCILIATION

Call to Confession  
Prayer of Confession  
Hymn of Assurance: 257:1,2,5,6 *Children of the Heavenly Father*  
God's Will for Our Lives

## SERVICE OF BAPTISM

The Promises, Instruction and Vows (pg 13)  
The Baptism of Mary Grace Evertse  
Baptismal Prayer

## SERVICE OF GRATITUDE

Hymn of Praise: 534 *Fill Thou My Life, O Lord My God*  
Preparing for the Lord's Supper  
Congregational Prayer

## SERVICE OF THE WORD

- \* Hymn of Preparation: 412 *Lord, Keep Us Steadfast in Your Word*
- Prayer of Illumination
- Scripture: Ephesians 3:14-21
- Message: **"I BOW MY KNEES BEFORE THE FATHER"**
- Prayer of Application

## CLOSING OF SERVICE

- \* Hymn of Response: 240:1,3 *O Love of God, How Strong and True*
- Offertory Prayer
- Hymn of Thanksgiving: 429 *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing*
- Offering: General Fund (offering received during song)
- \* Benediction
- \* Doxology: 100B:1,4 *All People That on Earth Do Dwell*  
(unannounced)

*\*Please stand if you are able*

## "I BOW MY KNEES BEFORE THE FATHER"

Scripture: Ephesians 3:14-21  
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1. That He May Grant You Strength (Vs. 16-17)
2. That You May Comprehend and Know the Love of Christ (Vs. 18-19a)
3. That You May Be Filled with the Fullness of God (Vs. 19b-21)

## Questions for Personal and Family Devotions

1. How strong is God's glory?
2. What is Paul praying that the Ephesians will join all the other saints in understanding?
3. How can we be rooted and grounded in love?
4. What is the fullness of God?

# Evening Order of Worship

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**“YOU ARE THE BODY OF CHRIST AND INDIVIDUALLY MEMBERS OF IT”**

Belgic Confession, Article 28

Scripture: I Corinthians 12:12-31

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## THE CHURCH GATHERS TOGETHER

- \* Call to Worship
- \* Prayer of Invocation
- \* God’s Greeting
- \* Psalm of Praise: 22C *Amid the Thronging Worshipers*

## TO AFFIRM OUR FAITH

- \* The Apostles’ Creed (pg 851)
- \* Psalm of Response: 133B *How Good and Pleasant Is the Sight*

## TO PRAISE GOD

Psalm 141

Psalm of Praise: 141:1,3,5,8 *O LORD, to You I Call*

## FOR SERVICE OF GRATITUDE

Congregational Prayer

## TO HEAR GOD’S WORD

- \* Hymn of Preparation: 403 *Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken*
- Belgic Confession, Article 28
- Prayer of Illumination
- Scripture: I Corinthians 12:12-31
- Message: **“YOU ARE THE BODY OF CHRIST AND INDIVIDUALLY MEMBERS OF IT”**
- Prayer of Application

## AND DEPARTS TO SERVE

- \* Hymn of Response: 410 *Christian Hearts in Love United*
- Offertory Prayer
- Psalm of Thanksgiving: 92A:1,2,4,5 *It’s Good to Thank the LORD*
- Offering: Mission Fund (offering received during song)
- \* Benediction
- \* Doxology: 563 *May the Grace of Christ Our Savior* (unannounced)

*\*Please stand if you are able*

1. A Gathering of the Saved

2. Members of Each Other in the Same Body

3. Separated from the World

### Questions for Personal and Family Devotions

1. What is church membership?
2. Why is church membership necessary?
3. Explain how there is no salvation apart from the church.
4. What does the body metaphor mean for you and your service?
5. What are the responsibilities that we have as members of the body of Christ?