

THIS I BELIEVE

First Reformed Church - March 29, 2026

Welcome Visitors! We are glad you are here, and we have been praying for you. Visit the Welcome Center and pick up a free gift, or connect with us at frcoc.org/welcome.

Valet Parking available at the south canopy entrance.

Nursery available for infant to age 3.

Children's Busy Bags & Bulletins available at the Welcome Center.

Promise Kids (3-TK) dismissed from worship before the sermon.

Kids Sunday School: 9:40 am (Children's Ministry Area)

Youth Sunday School: 9:45 am (Loft)

Young Adults & College Real Talk: 9:45 am (Library)

Adult Education Classes: 9:45 am

- *The Heidelberg Catechism* (Office Conference Room)
- *Journeying as Disciples* (Chapel)

Morning Services (8:30 & 10:30 AM)

Worship Songs:

Only a Holy God
Hosanna Loud Hosanna

The Power of the Cross
Living Hope

Children's Palm Processional

Kids' Choir

Alleluia *Shout Hosanna*

Message: *Jesus' Plan*

Text: Matthew 21:1-11

Speaking: Pastor Fred De Jong



Evening Gathering (5:30 PM)

Message: *The Resurrection*

Text: 1 Corinthians 15

Speaking: Riley Bruxvoort

ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
Come Any Sunday, Leave Encouraged

Journeying as Disciples

The Richness of God's Mercy led by Kate Aberson

Chapel, 9:45 - 10:25 am

Exploring The Heidelberg Catechism

Office Conference Room, 9:45 - 10:25 am

YOUNG ADULTS & COLLEGE

Real Talk: Faith & Life

This Sunday School class invites young adults to belong, grow, and lead, with a special focus on mentorship this semester.

Sundays @ 9:45 - 10:15 AM
in the Library

No Adult Christian Ed classes or Real Talk on Easter Sunday.

This Week at FRC

Sun 3/29—Today:

3:00 PM: Praise Choir & Orchestra Rehearsal (Chapel/Sanctuary)

Tue 3/31:

6:30 AM: Tuesday Morning Men's Bible Study (Library)

8:30 AM: Staff Meeting (Library)

Wed 4/1:

1:00 PM: Library Board Meeting (Bev)

6:30 PM: Praise Choir & Orchestra Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Thu 4/2:

2:00 PM: Mary Martha Circle (Luke 10:38-42; John 11:1-12:3)
(Library)

6:30 PM: Maundy Thursday Service (Sanctuary) (The service will be live-streamed on all regular platforms.)

Sat 4/4:

11:00 AM: Community Easter Egg Hunt (Windmill Park)
(Inclement Weather Location: Northwestern College's RSC)

For more information on these activities please stop at the Welcome Center after the service, visit our website at frcoc.org, or call the church office at 737-4909.



The April Prayer Calendar and FOCUS are available for you to pick up today.

Stewardship & Giving

Financial information will be available at a later date.

To give online scan the QR code or go to frcoc.org/give



Coming Soon & Announcements

FRC Job Openings: First Reformed Church is seeking part-time team members for the following roles:

- **Creative Media Coordinator** (20-30 hours/week) – Help communicate the message of the gospel and the life of our church through digital media and design.
- **Connections & FRC Groups Coordinator** (20 hours/week) – Help welcome and connect people into the life of the church while strengthening small groups and community.

Learn more and apply at frcoc.org/hire.

Valet Parking Volunteers Needed: Be part of creating a warm first impression. Volunteers assist guests on Sunday mornings as they arrive and help park vehicles. Two shifts are available, one for each service. Interested? Contact ken@frcoc.org.

Senior Adults: *Planning a Tulip Festival: Behind the Scenes.* Thursday, April 9, 2:00 PM in the Chapel. Guest presenter: Todd Vande Griend, overall grand chairman of the 2025 Festival.



First Steps: Interested in learning more about First Reformed Church? Join us for First Steps, a pizza lunch and time of exploration on Sunday, April 19, at 11:45 AM. Meet the FRC staff, enjoy a tour of the building, ask questions, and learn more about who we are and how you can get connected. Register at frcoc.org/firststeps.

Secret Church: Join us on April 17 from 6:00 PM - 12:00 AM in the Loft for a one-night event featuring a 6-hour Bible study on Elijah led by David Platt and prayer for believers around the world. Sign up at frcoc.org/secretchurch and come ready to be stretched.

FIRST REFORMED CHURCH

ELDER & DEACON NOMINATIONS

These leaders play a vital role in the spiritual care, leadership, and service of our church.

Pick up a nomination form at the Welcome Center or Church Office. **Nominations are due Wednesday, April 8.**

Please prayerfully consider who God may be calling to serve!

FRC
FREE College
Breakfast



Best Breakfast
-IN TOWN-

Today 9:30 - 10:30 AM

Breakfast will not be served April 5
Breakfast will start again April 12

GAME NIGHT

HEARTLAND STRATEGY

Friday, April 10 @ 7pm
All skill levels welcome!



Register at the Welcome Center
or frcoc.org/heartland.



Women's Studies: Three monthly women's Bible studies begin again in April.

- **Mary Martha** begins Thurs, April 2, at 2:00 PM. Led by Sue Korver, this study explores Women of the Bible. Every time is a stand-alone lesson.
- **TABS** begins Tues, April 14, at 2:00 PM. Led by April Beaver, this study will be looking at the life of Jonah through a video series by David Platt.
- **Naomi Circle** begins Tues, April 28, at 1:30 PM. Led by Lora Brandt and others, this study will be returning to the sermon series *Living the New Way*.

For details, visit frcoc.org/womensministry or email april@frcoc.org.

FRC Women (and Young Women) Spring Brunch

Friends, Faith, & Fashion

Saturday, April 18
10 AM - 12 PM

Brunch • Message by Ingrid De Jong • Fashion Show • Door Prizes

Admission \$10



Get Your Ticket!

frcoc.org/womensbrunch

REGULAR WORSHIP BROADCAST SCHEDULE

LIVE Sunday mornings at 8:30 & 10:30 AM.

- Social Media & Website (Facebook, YouTube, frcoc.org)
- First Reformed Orange City App (Google Play, iTunes, Roku)
- TV Channels (Long Lines: Flight Ch 51; Premier: Ch 77/Premier TV 700)

Replay

- KSOU 93.9 radio - Sunday @ 9:45 AM
- TV Channels - Monday, Wednesday, Thursday @ 7:00 PM
- FRC Orange City Podcast (Apple, Google, Spotify)

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