

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** →

***Apostles Creed** (p.12)

***Hymn 534** "Fill Thou My Life, O Lord My God"

"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." Amen

Confession and Prayer

God's Revealed Will: O.T.

Deuteronomy 4,5

Pastoral Prayer

Responsive Reading:

Lord's Day 7 (p. 22f)

***Hymn 37** "All That I Am I Owe to Thee"

God's Word Read and Applied

Scripture: Acts 9:10-30 Text: Acts 9:20-30

Sermon: THE GOSPEL'S ENEMY BECOMES ITS FRIEND PT. 3

Points: I. The Powerful Preaching of Saul (20-22)

II. The Murderous Response to Saul (23-25)

III. The Uneasy Reception of Saul (26-28)

IV. The Hard-Hearted Response to Saul (29f)

Concluding Worship

Tithes and Offerings for the Ministry of ORC

***Hymn 256** "God Moves in a Mysterious Way"

*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 worshiping with us. Please sign our guest book and fill out a visitor card to help us get to know you. In worship we enter into the presence of Almighty God through His Spirit and Word. We come to Him who is supremely worthy of praise: "And they sang a new song, saying:

"You are worthy...and have redeemed us to God by Your blood, out of every tribe and tongue and people and nation, and have made us kings and priests to our God...." Rev. 5:9,10

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

➤ **PRAY FOR OUR OUTREACH IN OMAHA** that the Lord would help us reach the spiritually blind with the Gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ.

➤ **CONGREGATION:** Also pray for our extended families and students: **Melanie, Andrew, Stephen, & Maggie; Dian K. The Lawsons. Annie and Mason's and Hannah and Jon's pregnancies and Kala and Jared's efforts with IVF.** Also Mason's grandfather, George Bruza passed last week. Mason and Annie plan to attend the memorial on Saturday in Louisiana. Adelle Brown (TP) mom.

➤ **DENOMINATION:** The Churches and Mission Works in the RCUS. This week pray especially for **Rev. Steve Carr** and his work in **Rogers, AR.** Ministers with health concerns. **RCUS World Missions** as well as **Westminster Biblical Missions. Seminaries.**

➤ **NATION:** Pray for our country and remember those in civil and military service, judges, leaders, and those in elected office.

➤ **WORLD:** Persecuted believers, those affected by godless governments: **Venezuela and Zimbabwe.** Hope for change in **N. Korea.** **Early Rain Covenant Reformed Church. Fikret Bocek** in Turkey.

ON THE CALENDAR

6:00 PM	THE TRUTH PROJECT: LESSON 2 VERITOLOGY	6:00 PM
6:00 PM	BRUZA REVEAL (AT CHURCH BUILDING)	6:00 PM
WED	WEDNESDAY EVE BIBLE STUDY: THE CROSS	7:00 PM
FEB 24	TRUTH PROJECT: LESSON 2 PHILOSOPHY/ETHICS	6:00 PM

THE TRUTH PROJECT VIDEO SERIES

Focus on the Family's THE TRUTH PROJECT is an outstanding presentation of the Christian Worldview. We will begin showing the series this Sunday at **6:00 PM, D.V.** If you have friends or relatives that might be interested, you are welcome to invite them. The setting will be casual and relaxed. We're expecting a number of visitors.

"Who we love above all else is who we worship, and who we worship controls us."
—Ed Welch

"In this life, victory often looks like endurance." —Mark Dever

"The most offensive claim in Christianity is that God is the Creator, Owner and Judge of every person on the planet." —David Platt

"Worry: Glancing at God while gazing at circumstances. Trust: Glancing at circumstances while gazing at God." —Matt Smethurst

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 grafted 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 28 years, earnestly proclaiming **"the faith once for all delivered to the saints"** Jude 3. He can be reached at **(402)281-3263**.

Omaha Reformed Church

"Where the Truth Lives!"

"Then all who heard were amazed, and said, "IS THIS NOT HE WHO DESTROYED THOSE WHO CALLED ON THIS NAME IN JERUSALEM...." But Saul increased all the more in strength, and confounded the Jews who dwelt in Damascus, proving that this Jesus is the Christ." Acts 9:21a, 22

February 17, 2019

**Sunday Worship:
4905 N 96th Street
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**10:30 AM
Discipleship 9:00 AM
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