



# The Reformed Presbyterian Church of Shawnee

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## Lord's Day Services April 26, 2009

Church School ..... 9:45 AM

Morning Worship ..... 11:00 AM

Call to Worship	
Opening Praise	Psalm 40C
Prayer for God's Blessing	
Praise	Psalm 34B:4
Children's Message	
Praise	Psalm 31D
Prayer of Thanksgiving and Intercession	
Giving of Tithes and Offerings	Psalm 92A
Scripture	Luke 19:11-27
Sermon	<b>The Parable of Minas</b>
Prayer of Commitment	
Psalm of Response	Psalm 149
Benediction	
Doxology	Psalm 106G

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Evening Worship ..... 6:00 PM

Call to Worship	
Praise	Psalm 106A
Prayer	
Praises	Psalm 106C, 106E
Scripture	Psalm 106
Sermon	<b>Faithful to the End</b>
Prayer of Commitment	
Praise	Psalm 106F
Benediction	
Closing Praise	Psalm 145C:13

**Welcome** - We welcome all who join us for the worship of God today. Our morning and evening worship services are being led by **Pastor Wade Mann**.

### THIS WEEK

- **Nursery**  
**Today:** AM: Lisa Hemphill, Hope Wing  
PM: Sandy Porter, Todd Porter  
**Next week:** AM: Mary Lou Patterson, Aaron Patterson  
PM: Sarah Parnell, Hannah Patterson
- **Precentors**  
**Today:** Aaron Patterson, Barb Mann  
**Next week:** Sarah Parnell, Amelia Ward
- **Wednesday, April 29**  
7:00 PM – Prayer meeting and Psalm training at the church. Prayer leader: Lucas Hanna. *(Please bring the Psalm booklet that was distributed at the Calvin Conference if you have one.)*
- **Saturday, May 2**  
7:00 PM – Communion Preparatory Service with Associate Pastor Lucas Hanna preaching.

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The Covenanter Daughters are collecting food and other items to send in **care packages to our college students**, just in time for finals! At the back of the sanctuary in the overflow room, there will be 5 paper bags for the 5 students: Joanna Ward, Ryan Hemphill, and Todd Porter bags will be packed for mailing Sabbath night; Garrett and Will Mann bags will be taken to Manhattan Sabbath afternoon (contact Lucas Hanna if you forgot something for them this morning and want to include something). Thank you for your help in advance! This is a great way to remind our students that we care.
- **Next Lord's Day, May 3**  
We plan to celebrate the Lord's Supper during the morning worship service. In order to provide spiritual oversight for the sacrament, we ask anyone who is not a member of the Reformed Presbyterian Church known to the elders, to meet with the Session to briefly share your faith in Jesus Christ and to indicate your membership in good standing of another true branch of His church. Please speak to the elders if you would like to arrange a meeting.

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

- **If you have a favorite Psalm** you would like to sing during an evening worship service, please talk to Sandy Porter or Barb Mann.
- **Miscellaneous Items**  
Please see if you can claim ownership of any of the items on the tables in the overflow room. Those remaining after a couple of weeks will be sold at the garage sale or placed surreptitiously in a circular file.
- **Baby Shower:** Ladies, there will be a baby shower for Gretchen Nicholl on Saturday, May 9th at 10:00 AM. See the bulletin board for details.
- **Open House:** Olivia Mann and Hope Wing invite you to an Open House to celebrate their high school graduation. It will be held at the church from 7-9 PM on Saturday, May 9th.
- **Thankoffering:** The WMF Thankoffering is scheduled for Lord's Day, May 10th, during the Sabbath School hour. Tom Pinson and family will be making a presentation on their work in East Asia. Please plan to attend.
- **Vacation Bible School – June 8-12**  
We are fishing for some more volunteers. Thank you to everyone who has already signed up or been willing to say yes to VBS! It's not too late to join us in the swamp by completing a volunteer card at the registration table in the narthex. Also, begin thinking about who you might invite. Our goal is to reach 50 children with God's love at Crocodile Dock. The youngest should have completed kindergarten and the oldest, fifth grade.
- **Graduates Dinner:** Our annual Graduates Dinner will be held on Friday, May 29th, beginning at 6:30 PM. This year we will be honoring Maggie Allyn, Avery Mann, Olivia Mann, and Hope Wing.
- **Church Workday:** Mark your calendars for a church workday on Saturday, May 30th at 9:00 AM. We will spruce up the grounds plus the inside and outside of the church building.
- **Annual Garage Sale – Weds, 6/ 24; Thurs. 6/25; Fri. 6/26**  
Remember – no items should be brought to church until AFTER VBS. Beginning on June 15, items for sale may be put along the west wall of the multipurpose room. A sign-up sheet for volunteers to help man the sale will be up soon.
- **Bake Sale:** We are planning to offer home-baked food items for sale during the garage sale. Take this time to think about what you would like to prepare, display, and sell to provide additional funds for those wishing to attend summer camps! Be creative!