ORDER OF WORSHIP February 23, 2020

Welcome to Morning Worship! We're glad **you** are here!

You are encouraged to welcome those around you! Let us be intentional about welcoming all to worship. Pray for God's blessing on our worship time.

Prelude: Softly and Tenderly

The Family Approaches God

*Songs of Praise: *You Are Holy Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty* Welcome and Announcements Offering: *Amazing Grace* FRC Family Prayer

The Family Listens to God

Scripture: Hebrews 5:II-6:I2 (pg. II87) Message: "The Expectation of Maturity"

The Family is sent by God

*Unison Reply

*Blessing

*Song of Sending Out: *Doxology*

*Postlude: I'm Bound for the Kingdom

Classis Prayer Church and Pastor of the Week: Faith Reformed Church, Lanark ~ Herb Bollman - Pastor

The "My 1" prayer team meets Sundays at 9:00 – 9:10 a.m. in the library.

TODAY - Kid's Fellowship and Adult ExploreKid's Leader ~ Feb. 23 - Lou AnnMarch 1 - Joan

If you are on Facebook, remember to "share" the FRC worship.

Men's Conference: "As Iron Sharpens Iron" ~ *March 7th. Commitment is needed by Tuesday, Feb. 25 to buy tickets.* See Pastor Lyle for info. Bring a friend! (Sign-up in back...)

Women's Retreat ~ IF: Gathering 2020 ~ March 7th.

This is a popular retreat that happens yearly in Texas, but will be streamed by video in German Valley at Grace Valley Reformed Church. Cost is \$20 and coffee time begins at 8:30. Retreat runs from 9 - 3:30 with lunch included. See Amy Zumdahl if interested.

Women's Bible Study Group: Wednesday Group ~ February 26 at 6:30.

Thank you to all who donated toward the Change for Life campaign for the Freeport Pregnancy Center. The bottle total was \$193.50.

We are making a difference in the communities we represent. A BIG thank you to everyone who helped make the 3rd Forreston 1st Responder Dinner a success. Your donations of food and time were greatly appreciated. Dinner was served to nearly 50 village employees, ambulance, fire, police members and guests.

The season of Lent, a time of preparation for the celebration of Easter, begins this week with Ash Wednesday, Feb. 26. While FRC does not have an Ash Wednesday service, you may find one in the area to attend. Silver Creek Reformed Church, German Valley has an Ash Wednesday service at 6:00 p.m. FRC will be passing out the nails we carry through the Lenten season on Sunday, March 1.

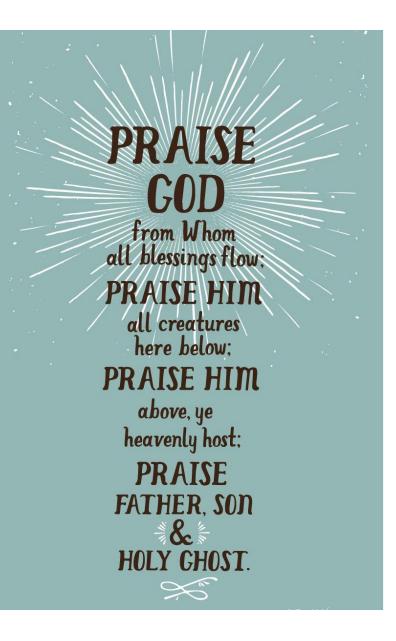
Men's Breakfast: Saturday, March 7th ~ Monty Cotter with Quartet Singers

<u>Community Events: Check out bulletin board for more details</u> Community Choir Concert: First Free Rockford ~ Sat., March 7^{th} – 6:00 p.m.

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General Fund	\$1876.50

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