

First
REFORMED CHURCH
with a
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Worship Service
9:30am

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Nov. 15, 2026

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PRELUDE

"That's Why We Praise Him"

WELCOME

"Rejoice, the Lord is King" (Hymn #370)
"Behold Our God"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: *Lord, open our eyes so that we may see You for who You are in Your glory and holiness. Help us also see ourselves for who we are: sinners in need of Your saving grace. Forgive us for being blinded to our need for You through our own foolishness and stubbornness and pride. Forgive us for looking the other way when You wanted us to see an opportunity to bless others and be a witness. Forgive us for looking where we shouldn't look and choosing temptation over obedience. Help us fix our eyes on You, Lord Jesus. Amen*

WORDS OF ASSURANCE: John 6:40

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

"Revelation Song"

SERMON Pastor Brad
"The Big Reveal" Revelation 1:1-8, 17-18; 22:13

OFFERING
"How Great Is Our God"

BENEDICTION



The author of Psalm 42 remembers going with the crowd to the house of God "with the voice of joy and praise" (Psalm 42:4, NKJV). May we share that same spirit of gladness today as we gather to worship our Creator and approach his throne of grace. A warm welcome to all!

THIS WEEK

TODAY
9:30am Sunday Worship
10:45am Sunday School
MONDAY
6:30pm Men's Bible Study meeting at Dale Wingert, W2715 Miley Rd, Sheb Falls
WEDNESDAY
6:30pm CrossCenter
THURSDAY
2:30pm Women's Bible Study

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Wed., Nov. 25, 6:30pm
Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name. For the Lord is good and his love endures forever; his faithfulness continues through all generations. (Psalm 100:4-5)

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD



Our annual collection of shoeboxes for Operation Christmas Child has started, and will be taking place over the next few weeks. Boxes will need to be returned to Church by Sunday, Nov. 15. Last year we had 42 boxes and I would love to fill the 50 shoeboxes we have! If we run out of boxes, any box can be used. Please pray for the success of this wonderful mission that reaches out to children worldwide to not only give them shoeboxes filled with special gifts but to teach them about Jesus and His great love for us. If you have any questions, please contact Nancy Van Wyk.



Calling all Bakers and Candy Makers!! The **ANNUAL COOKIE WALK** will be held on Dec. 5 in the Family Life Center. CrossCenter is looking for donations of small cookies, candies and breads for this event for our fundraiser which helps support the students for their Winter Retreat. Please get those recipes ready and start thinking about what you will bake! Items will need to be dropped off on Dec.4.



CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

If you would like to purchase a poinsettia in memory or to honor a loved one, please fill out an information sheet and place it in the box on the foyer table. Flowers may be taken home after the Christmas Eve service on Dec. 24. Cost is $11; the deadline for ordering is Nov. 29.

GOOD NEWS HOPE PACKS

Join us in supporting Good News jail ministry by donating items for Hope Packs that will be given to inmates and to corrections staff this Christmas season. Donations of fruit snacks, cookies (no nuts), or chips/crackers (no hot or spicy) can be placed in the designated bin between now and December 6.



All men are invited to take a break from life for a weekend and enjoy some time together up north at Lake Lundgren Bible Camp Jan. 22-24, 2027. The **MEN'S RETREAT** is a perfect way to pause and reconnect with God and other men.

There will be great food and fun activities, but the true highlight for many is a chance to get away and refocus on what is more important: the truth of the Gospel. Camp fills up fast, so you are encouraged to sign up asap!

Info sheets are on the back table. Please contact Aaron Lund with any questions.



No sound system. No band. No guitar. No entertainment. No cushioned chairs. No heating or air-con. Nothing but the people of God and the word of God. And strangely, that's enough. God's Word is enough for millions of believers who gather in house churches... Jungles... Rainforests, and middle-eastern cities. But is his Word enough for us?

David Platt

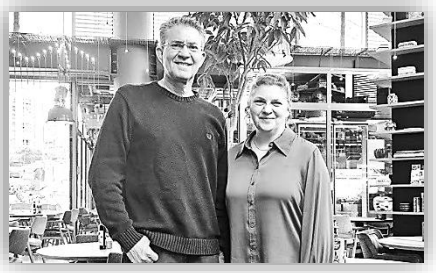
PRAISE & PRAYER

To add a request to the page for yourself, or for a family member or friend, simply contact the church office by phone, or by email, or by leaving a note. In addition to prayer requests, we would also like to list opportunities to praise God for His goodness in our lives.

"You servants of God, your Master proclaim,
and publish abroad his wonderful name;
the name all-victorious of Jesus extol;
his kingdom is glorious and rules over all!"

Hymn: O Worship The King All Glorious Above

MISSION of the WEEK



Avant

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Since the 1890s Avant Ministries has focused on planting and developing the church in the unreached areas of the world.

Through church planting, church support ministries, media, education, camp and business, Avant hopes to establish churches among the unreached*: mature, nationally-led churches that desire to plant more churches, first in their own city, and then all over the world.

Avant trains, sends and serves missionaries in 50 countries globally.

*Avant defines "unreached" as places where less than two percent of the population is evangelical Christian.

Little Word, Big Difference

God says to give thanks in everything. That doesn't mean you need to give thanks *for* everything. You don't need to give thanks *for* that bad day. Or *for* that bad relationship. Or being passed over at work. Financial hardship. Whatever it is — you are not to give thanks *for* the difficulties but rather *in* the difficulties.

That is a very important distinction, and one I think we often miss. Giving thanks *in* everything shows a heart of faith that God is bigger than the difficulties and that he can use them, if you approach him with the right heart and spirit, for your good and his glory.

—Tony Evans

The Big Reveal 11-15-26

Revelation 1:1-8, 17-18; 22:13

Series: *Name Above All Names*

10/11	Lamb of God	11/1	Good Shepherd
10/18	Rabbi	11/8	King of Kings and Lord of Lords
Today	Alpha and Omega		

"I am the Alpha and Omega, the First and the Last, the Beginning and the End."
- Revelation 22:13

"I make known the end from the beginning, from ancient times, what is still to come.
I say: my purpose will stand, and I will do all that I please."
- Isaiah 46:10

What is revealed in the revelation of Jesus Christ:

1. The Sufficiency of the Alpha and Omega *Who Is*

   He is the r_____.

   The beginning of His _____is the end of our _____.

2. The Sovereignty of the First and the Last *Who Was*

   He is the r_____.

   The beginning of His _____is the end of our _____.

3. The Eternity of the Beginning and the End *Who Is to Come*

   He is the r_____.

   The beginning of His _____ is the end of our _____.

"We may speak about a place where there are no tears, no death, no fear, no night; but those are just the benefits of heaven. The beauty of heaven is seeing God."
— Max Lucado



OUR VISION

Following Jesus together in mission as His love transforms lives for God's glory.

OUR MISSION

At First Reformed Church of Sheboygan Falls, through the leading of the Lord, we seek to:

***Live with Jesus**, seeking the greatness of God through worship, the Bible, and prayer, in unity with the Lord and with each other.*

***Live like Jesus**, seeking to glorify God and fulfill His kingdom mission of transformation in the power of the Holy Spirit.*

***Live for Jesus**, seeking to share the good news of the gospel and make disciples of all nations.*

		MINISTERING TODAY Nov. 15	**NEXT WEEK Nov. 22**
USHERS		Dennis Beach Curt Teunissen	Dennis Beach Curt Teunissen
GREETERS		Marty & Sherri Halverson	Ning Zhang & Tong Wang
CAMERA		Kylah Kappers	Ethan Teunissen
SOUND		Corey Kappers	Sheila Teunissen
COMPUTER		Abby Kappers	Jared Veenendaal
GREET/ASSIST PEOPLE	*After Service*	Dick Huibregtse	Ning Zhang
CHILDREN'S SERMON		xxxx	xxxx

OUR STAFF

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