



Welcome to Living Life Reformed Church in Firth, Nebraska August 7, 2022

OUR MISSION:

To grow a loving community equipped to take the message of Jesus to our world.

GKC 2022-2023!! God's Kids Club will be starting before we know it! Our first night will be Wednesday, September 14, 2022. Family meals will be served from 5:30-6:30 p.m., with God's Kids Club from 6:30-7:30 p.m. God's Kids Club is for children who are 3-year-olds, and potty trained through 5th grade. God's Kids Club offers many ways to learn about God's Love including lessons, crafts, service projects, and music. We are still in need of volunteers. Please contact Kari Gottwald (402) 560-6682 or Mandy Cramer (402) 540-0303 if you are interested in helping or have a question. Please register your kids on the church website, livinglifereformed.org, as soon as you can help with planning and ordering materials.

The 4JC and Fire!!!! 4JC & The Fire are a big part of our Wednesday Night programs for middle and high schoolers. 4JC (For Jesus Christ) is for all 6th through 8th-grade middle schoolers. The Fire is for all 9th through 12th graders. We'll start our new program year Wednesday, September 14. Our community meal will begin at 5:30 pm, followed by 4JC beginning at 6:30 pm and ending at 7:30 pm. The Fire will begin at 8:08, "don't be late!" and will finish around 9:30 pm. We'd love for new and returning students to fill out a quick updated registration form. This will help us keep you connected with more details for our program kickoff on September 14th. The 4JC & The Fire registration form can be found at livinglifereformed.org on the homepage scrolling banner. We're looking forward to an awesome year! Let us know how we can make it even better!

Savannah Clapper & Zaine Willesden Housewarming and Engagement Party! We are so excited to celebrate with so many of the people who are cheering us and Oikos on Saturday, August 13th from 6 to 10 pm. We are getting married! And Oikos has a home. Come to our engagement-themed housewarming party, or is it a housewarming engagement party? Either way, we are here for it and excited for you to come and see and celebrate. We just need to know how many to prepare for. There could be a lot of us. Because of that, we have a come-and-go party so that we don't overcrowd the neighborhood. You can be dropped off behind my house through the alley, as you can't stop on Holdrege, while your driver finds a spot in the neighborhood. Thanks for working with us through Lincoln's Road construction. Finally, please sign up on the clipboard that will be passed around to the congregation during worship. They need to know how many tacos we should plan on making. The address of this fun event is 3134 Holdrege in Lincoln.

Cards in the library! The library offers a nice variety of cards! Browse the selection of birthday, get well, sympathy, anniversary, and other cards! The cards only cost 50 cents and you can put the money in the card box on the desk.

The nursery is open!!! We are looking for volunteers to help during morning worship for the kids that are not old enough for children's church or just want to come and play in the nursery. A signup sheet in the fellowship hall is on the table if you are interested. Any questions please contact Beth Sieck at 402-480-0079 or Lesa Morrison at 402-440-8399.

First Time Guest! We are glad that you are here! Please check out our welcome center in the fellowship hall, fill out a connection card, and bring some information home about our church with you if it is your first time. We also have a gift for you to say thank you for coming to our church today.

Firth Mom's Group meets on Saturdays at 3:00 pm at the Living Life Reformed Church gym two times each month. On Facebook, you can search Firth mom's Group where we post the dates we meet during the month. All you need to do is click on "Join" and we will approve your request. Any mom is welcome to come.

We continue to pray for Dick Wagner, Bruce Docter, Doug Goering, Rick McNeese (Mel Harm's brother-in-law), Claudette Docter, Vergene Vandergriend, and Sally Jennings.

Family Life Center!! If you would like to use the Family Life Center or the church facility, please contact Beth first to see if it is available. We will need everyone to sign new policies for gym usage for 2022. You can call or text Beth at 402-480-0079. Please leave your name if you get my voicemail. Thank you!!



Formerly ShopWithScrip For those of you not familiar with the Scrip program the name has changed to Raise Right. Everyone here has the opportunity to purchase gift cards from various organizations at their face value. Living Life Reformed Church will get a percentage (which varies by the retailer) of the price we put towards various missions. They also have a new mobile app. We typically have cards for Hy-Vee, Super Saver, and Wal-Mart/Sam's Club, but check the Scrip Card table in the Fellowship Hall or <http://www.raiseright.com/brands> for a list of over 600 available merchants! Members from the Great Commission Team will be at a table in the Fellowship Hall before and after Sunday morning worship with cards for purchase. All proceeds from July and August go to the Norris Backpack Program.

Giving Options!

Don't forget to contribute so that God's vision and ministry can continue in the days ahead.

There are numerous ways to give financially. You could:

- 1) Drop your gift in the offering plate by the door on Sundays.
- 2) Signup to give through an automatic withdrawal (ACH) from your Farmers & Merchants Firth Account—talk to Kendall Weber (402-430-0348) if you would like to start this. The form needs to be emailed or mailed to Kendall for him to submit to the bank.
- 3) Check out the online giving options through our church website at livinglifereformed.churchcenter.com/giving
This is a secure site with an easy set-up process.
- 4) "Or Text to Give": All you must do is text any dollar amount (example: \$20) to "84321" to give. A quick set-up process will be needed that will tie your mobile phone to LLRC, your donation account (for year-end giving statements), and a payment source. After that initial setup, giving is as easy as sending a text message!

If you have questions about online giving or text giving, contact Taylor at 402-450-4446.

<u>Offering</u>	<u>July 31</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<u>Budget Needs (32 Weeks)</u>
Offering	\$3,365	\$202,876	\$239,404 (\$7497 x 32)
SS			\$39 Norris Backpack Program
Building Loan:	\$397,788		

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