

OUR MISSION: To grow a loving community, equipped to take the message of Jesus to our world.



Welcome to Living Life Reformed Church Firth, Nebraska January 21, 2024

We Continue to Pray for Cheryl Gouldin, Mike Brown, Nathan & Jamie DeJong's family, Jody Null, Sarah Lefferdink & family, and Gene Muff. Thank you for your Prayers!

Pray for the family of Dave Hobelman as they grieve the loss of his brother Wayne.

Pray for Marvin Weber as he is recovering at Hillcrest Firethorn Rehab in Lincoln.

Are you in need of a gift even after the Christmas Season or do you have a project you're starting? The Great Commission Team still has some RaiseRight (formerly Scrip) cards left over that we'd love to see put to good use! We have cards for Barnes & Noble (\$25), Cenex (\$100), Menards (\$100), and Village Inn (\$25) ready to go. Please text or call Mike Brown at 402-840-1478, email brownmalan@aol.com, or find Mike after Sunday morning services.

Women's Bible Study starting next week on Wednesday, January 24 from 6:30 to 7:30pm during GKC 4JC, and Fire. We will be doing a 6-week study by Jenny Allen called The Good Gospel. Would love to have anyone join us in the library. Please contact Mary Jean at 402-450-8183 if you're interested.

Contribution Statement: Please check your mailboxes to get your contribution statements for 2023. Thanks, Beth

The Great Commission Team

Are you aware that:

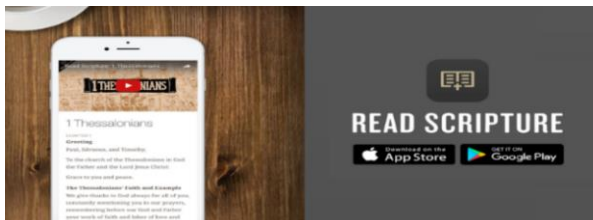
- 1 out of every 10 individuals sold for sex in Nebraska is too young to buy alcohol.
- 900 Individuals are sold in the State of Nebraska per month, often multiple times.
- 200 individuals are sold in the City of Lincoln per month, often multiple times.
- 1 out of 250 female high school students in Nebraska enter the commercial sex trade every year.
- The average age of a child entering the commercial sex trade is 13 years old.
- 45% of individuals cross state lines to be sold for sex, whether traveling into or out of Nebraska

Paul Yates from "I've Got A Name" will join us on Sunday, January 21 to share how they care for the victims of this area and are looking to put an end to this trafficking issue in Nebraska. This is our first focus mission for 2024 and we will be taking a free will offering. Please add "I've Got a Name" to the memo line on your check. You can also put a check in next week's offering for this mission.

Family Life's Weekend to Remember

We all make investments for our future in one way or another...we invest in life and/or health insurance, we make financial investments, as well as investments in our careers or possibly an investment in our children's future education. Yet when was the last time you invested in your marriage? There's still time to take advantage of the half-off sale (the sale ends Monday, January 22nd) and invest in an upcoming Weekend to Remember Getaway. Check out the local getaways in Omaha and Lincoln or one of the many others around the country. If you are still undecided when you want to get away OR if you want to give it as a gift to a special couple, gift cards are also half off and can be used at a later date. Go to WeekendToRemember.com for more information or contact Terri Petersen (402) 310-2112 with questions. For more information and to register, go to: www.weekendtoremember.com and use group name LivingLife to register. You could make an investment that can impact generations to come.

How Will You Equip Yourself in 2024? We have different plans for Bible reading in 2024. There are paper guides to read from your bible in the fellowship hall on the table or a bible reading phone app. Please consider the best way for you to grow in your relationship with God by daily reading his Word!



Sunday Worship Nursery

- Babies through 3-year-olds who are not yet ready for Kids Church.
- Always staffed with 2 adults or an adult/high schooler combo.
- Join our volunteer rotation! Contact Beth: church@livinglifereformed.org
- A changing table and private place for moms are also available.
- A great place to bring your child so you and others can focus on the morning message.

Jesus' Little Lamb Kids Church

- Sunday School for potty-trained 3YO to kindergarten during worship!
- **Offering:** Please bring items for the Norris Area Food Pantry.
- Please pick your child up from room 18 at the end of worship.
- To join our teacher rotation, contact Kathy: kathyandmark1993@gmail.com
- Lesson plans & special activities or crafts are provided each week for you.

Youth Sunday School

- 1st Grade through 5th Grade
- **Current Challenge:** Memorize The Lord's Prayer
- **Offering:** Norris Food Pantry
- Video Bible lesson and discussion
- **Parent volunteers are welcome!** Contact Ron to join the rotation: ronderosa@windstream.net
- Please pick up your children from the gym at the end of worship.

Church Event Cancellation

The decision to cancel **Sunday Worship** due to weather will be made by 7:00am Sunday. It will be posted online, and an email announcement will be sent to our church family.

Wednesday Evening activities or any other church events or meetings will be canceled if Norris Schools close or dismiss early due to weather.

We will try to notify you by email, but if you are unsure of the status of an event, please contact the church (402-791-5800) or please check our LLRC Facebook page.

Come to Wednesday Family Night for the Fellowship & Wonderful Food!!



Jan 24: Meatloaf, Mashed potatoes w/gravy, Green Beans, Roll, Salad, Dessert
(The meal is subject to change)

LLRC Little Food Pantry



- Located outside the east doors.
- Please leave donations for the pantry inside the church in the marked tote by the main entrance (NOT in the Pantry)
- Please do not bring expired food!
- Monetary donations are also welcome. Note LLRC Food Pantry in memo line.
- Contact Peg Reutzel (402-791-3034) with any questions

GIVING OPTIONS!

Please continue to give so LLRC's vision and ministries can continue. There are numerous ways to give including...

- **Sunday Morning Offerings:** For special mission gifts, please note the mission in the memo line.
- **Automatic Withdrawal** from your bank account. Contact Ken Weber (402-430-0348) for an ACH form.
- **Online Giving** through our church website livinglifereformed.churchcenter.com/giving or the QR code→.
- **Text to Give** any dollar amount to "84321".

For more information about online or text giving, contact the Deacons.



THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE:

Sun, Jan 21	9:30am	Morning Worship/Sunday School Paul Yates Guest Speaker
Tue, Jan 23	6:30pm	Prayer Gathering
Wed, Jan 24	5:30pm	Family Night!
	6:30pm	GKC, 4JC, The Fire
	6:30pm	Bible Study (Andy J/Pastor Office)
	6:30pm	Bible Study (Mary Jean T/Library)
Fri, Jan 26	6:00am	Men's Group (Youth Room)
Sun, Jan 28	9:30am	Morning Worship/Sunday School Brian McPike Guest Speaker
		Communion
	11:00am	Celebration Sunday w/Meal

Sunday Volunteers

	<u>Jan 21</u>	<u>Jan 28</u>
Elder:	Bruce Docter	Doug Goering
Greeter:	Brittany Hart	Ilene Docter
Coffee:	Jared & Brenda B	Linda D & Pearl W
PowerPoint:	Tammy Goering	Jenn Childers
Video:	Matthew Sieck	Randy Sieck
Sound:	Randy Sieck	Taylor Sieck
Nursery:	Beth S & Helper	Kylie S & Helper
KC 3-Kind:	Haley G & Courtney D	Sandy N & DeAnn W
SS 1st-5th Gr:	Andy & Lainey J	Ron DeBoer

Contact the church office to join our volunteers!

