

First CRC Fulton
Oct. 31, 2021
1 John 5:4
What's In The Way?
Bulletin/Leader

Prelude: Battle Belongs - Phil Wickham

Welcome and Call To Worship - Pastor Ken R.

Greeting - Pastor Ken

Invitation to Worship through Song:

By Faith

Stand Up For Jesus

My Faith Looks Up to Thee

Reading (From Athanasian Creed):

Leader: Whoever wants to be saved should above all cling to the catholic faith.

All: Whoever does not guard it whole and inviolable will doubtless perish eternally.

Leader: Now this is the catholic faith: We worship one God in trinity and the Trinity in unity, neither confusing the persons nor dividing the divine being.

All: For the Father is one person, the Son is another, and the Spirit is still another.

But the deity of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit is one, equal in glory, coeternal in majesty.

Leader: What the Father is, the Son is, and so is the Holy Spirit.

All: Uncreated is the Father; uncreated is the Son; uncreated is the Spirit.

Leader: The Father is infinite; the Son is infinite; the Holy Spirit is infinite.

All: Eternal is the Father; eternal is the Son; eternal is the Spirit: And yet there are not three eternal beings, but one who is eternal; as there are not three uncreated and unlimited beings, but one who is uncreated and unlimited.

Leader: Almighty is the Father; almighty is the Son; almighty is the Spirit: And yet there are not three almighty beings, but one who is almighty.

All: Thus the Father is God; the Son is God; the Holy Spirit is God: And yet there are not three gods, but one God.

Worship through Song:

He Is Lord

Yield Not to Temptation

Lord Jesus, I Long to Be Perfectly Whole

Congregational Prayer: Angie V.

Children's Message: Michelle R.

God Speaks to Us Through His Word: 1 John 5:4

⁴for everyone born of God overcomes the world. This is the victory that has overcome the world, even our faith.

Message: What's In The Way? - Pastor Ken R.
Prayer

We Depart with God's Blessing

Announcements -

Parting Song: Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone

Blessing: Pastor Ken

Church News

We welcome Ken Renkes to First CRC to share God's word with us this morning.

Remember in prayer our members in care facilities and those that are home bound:

Dorothy B	Carroll E	Mark S
Ken B	John S	Bernie V
Jeanette B	Betty S	Albert W

New Websites - The website for Morrison CRC is now www.morrisoncrc.org
The website for Bethel is now www.bethelfulton.com

Deacons' News

Please place your offerings in the plates located on the back table.
Offering received 10/24/21

Amount budgeted per week:	\$1,827.82
Amount received:	<u>\$ 777.00</u>
Amount short:	\$1,050.82

Ministry Shares: \$128.00
Offerings today: General Fund-Food Pantry
Offerings Next Sunday: General Fund-Building Fund

Youth Group

We will not meet this week, Sunday, October 31, 2021. Our next meeting will be Sunday, November 7, 2021

I will be registering our group for SERVE on November 1. So far I have 8 teens and 3 adults. If you want to go to SERVE and you have not talked to us, please let me know so we can add you to our list. Remember your \$50.00 registration fee on November 7 or before, checks can be made to Gateway Youth Group.

I have one parent signed up to bring soup, please let me know what kind of soup you will be bringing ASAP. We will also need desserts. If you have extra ground beef we NEED that too :)

We will need everyone at the church on Tuesday, November 9 after school to help set up for the soup supper and also on Wednesday, November 10 to work :)

Community News

Laurie Pessman Ybema, daughter of Arlyn & Jane Pessman-

A gathering is planned to commemorate the life of Laurie Pessman Ybema who died on September 29th in Hopkins, Michigan. Her husband Marty, daughters, Adrianna, Karrie, Jonalyn, Grace and Lizzie and families along with parents Arlyn & Jane Pessman, sisters Brenda & Al Schaver and Sally & Tom Byrnes want to greet friends and family in the town she grew up in to say thank you to those who supported them during her cancer fight. There will be an Open House Sunday, November 14 from 1-3 pm at the Morrison Christian Reformed Church at 300 W. South St. Morrison, Illinois. Please come and meet her family.

Blood Drive: First CRC will be hosting their semi-annual Blood Drive on Wednesday, November 17th from 3:30-6p.m. Masks and appointments are required. To schedule an appointment, please contact Amy Dykstra at 563-357-8555 or go online to www.bloodcenter.org use group code #2371. Last date to donate elsewhere was 9/22/21. Thank you for saving lives!

Annual Coat Giveaway will be held on November 6&13 from 9am-1pm at First CRC.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, October 31	Worship Service	9:00 a.m.
Saturday, November 6	Coat Giveaway	9am-1pm

	Today	Next Sunday
Recorder & Sound	David D	Paul T
Nursery Attendant	Celia B	Lynell B
Snack Provider	Michelle V	Sara B
Server	Michelle V	Amy D
Children's Message	Michelle R	Brenda A

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