

Decatur First Reformed Church

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THE CONSISTORY

Executive Committee

Amanda Brewster	Vice President
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Bob Emmendorfer	Treasurer
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Bob Emmendorfer	Clerk
Betty Boze	Clerk of Elder Board



Elders

Betty Boze
Amanda Brewster
Loraine Houseman

Deacons

Rod Cramer
Bob Emmendorfer
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BUILDINGS and GROUNDS	Bob Emmendorfer (269) 929-4318
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WE BELIEVE - the Bible to be the infallible Word of God and, therefore, the final authority for faith and practice. WE BELIEVE - in Jesus Christ as the only Son of God, and the Savior of those who accept Him by faith. WE BELIEVE - in the forgiveness of sins through the work of Christ on the cross. WE BELIEVE - in the fellowship of the Church of Christian growth through regular worship.

First Reformed Church exists to reach the disconnected and grow the connected in Christ.

Our vision at Decatur First Reformed Church is a church on the GROW.

We will grow in our love for God and neighbor
We will grow God's kingdom
We will reach out with Christ's light and love
In two years we will

- 1) grow through focus on our families and our friends
- 2) grow through community outreach
- 3) see each unchurched person of this community as a potential member of this church
- 4) be known as the church that serves

Announcements - July 8, 2018

- † VBS announcements:
 - † The food needed for treats for VBS has been completed with the exception of five dozen of frosted cupcakes.
 - † There is a sign-up poster for VBS volunteers in the Fellowship room.
 - † There will be a VBS working session this Tuesday at 9:00 am and Thursday at 6:30 pm.
 - † VBS color sheets are available from Patti.
 - † Monetary donations for prizes, t-shirts and other necessities can be given to Carrie, Patti or Loraine.
- † We are having a Bible Study at the Prayer Room on Thursdays 10:00 am. Please consider joining this group for a closer look at God's Word.
- † Do you shop at Family Fare? Save your receipts and deposit them in the white church on the table under the bulletin board in Social Room. This helps earn money for our church. Our receipt total to date: \$ 23,159!

TITHES and OFFERINGS for June 10

General: \$ 1,061
Building: \$ 30
Missions: \$ 5
VBS: \$ 100

TITHES and OFFERINGS for June 17

General: \$ 1,177
Building: \$ 5
Missions: \$ 5
VBS: \$ 50

TITHES and OFFERINGS for June 24

General: \$ 1,840
Building: \$ 30
Missions: \$ 5
Memorial (Cramer): \$ 50

TITHES and OFFERINGS for July 1

General: \$ 1,180
Building: \$ 5
Missions: \$ 5
Memorial (Groendyk): \$ 75