

# Decatur First Reformed Church

319 1/2 West Delaware Street  
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(269) 423-8136 - Church

## THE CONSISTORY

### Executive Committee

Amanda Brewster . . . . . Vice President  
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Betty Boze . . . . . Clerk of Elder Board

### Elders

Betty Boze  
Amanda Brewster  
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YOUTH GROUP . . . . . Patti Rittenhouse (269) 539-0120

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 - January 27, 2019**

† Carl & Elizabeth Wright of First Baptist Church are celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary with a renewal of vows ceremony and reception at the church on February 2 at 11 am. Everyone is invited to attend. RSVP to Mari at (269) 674-8923.

† 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. Total receipt value collect so far is \$30,956.

**Prayer Partners  
February 2019**

2/1/2019	Maxine & Rich Buss	
2/2/2019	Jill & Todd Hemenway	
2/3/2019	Jan Hellenga & Pat Cray	Sunday Service
2/4/2019	Judy Fusko & Betty Boze	
2/5/2019	Patti Rittenhouse & Joe Gossler	
2/6/2019	Loraine & Lewis Houseman	
2/7/2019	Maxine & Rich Buss	
2/8/2019	Jill & Todd Hemenway	
2/9/2019	Jan Hellenga & Pat Cray	
2/10/2019	Judy Fusko & Betty Boze	Sunday Service
2/11/2019	Patti Rittenhouse & Joe Gossler	
2/12/2019	Loraine & Lewis Houseman	
2/13/2019	Maxine & Rich Buss	
2/14/2019	Jan Hellenga & Pat Cray	
2/15/2019	Judy Fusko & Betty Boze	
2/16/2019	Patti Rittenhouse & Joe Gossler	
2/17/2019	Loraine & Lewis Houseman	Sunday Service
2/18/2019	Maxine & Rich Buss	
2/19/2019	Jill & Todd Hemenway	
2/20/2019	Jan Hellenga & Pat Cray	
2/21/2019	Judy Fusko & Betty Boze	
2/22/2019	Patti Rittenhouse & Joe Gossler	
2/23/2019	Loraine & Lewis Houseman	
2/24/2019	Maxine & Rich Buss	Sunday Service
2/25/2019	Jill & Todd Hemenway	
2/26/2019	Jan Hellenga & Pat Cray	
2/27/2019	Judy Fusko & Betty Boze	
2/28/2019	Patti Rittenhouse & Joe Gossler	

**Special Events and Activities  
February 2019**

February 3	Dennis Pickens Birthday
February 14	Dorothy Nelson birthday
February 27	Betty Boze birthday