

Decatur First Reformed Church

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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 - March 31, 2019

- † It is time to start working on VBS and your help is greatly needed. Please mark your calendar and come to the planning meeting on this Tuesday at 6:30pm. Our theme this year is called SonWest Roundup and we are really excited. Come prepared for a “rip-roaring good time.” Snacks will be provided.
- † The Fifth Sunday of Praise is today, 3:00 pm, at First Baptist Church.
- † 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.

Today

3:00 pm Fifth Sunday of Praise at First Baptist

This Week

Tuesday 6:30 pm VBS planning meeting

Future Events

April 7	10:00 am	Ross Tarantino
April 14	10:00 am	David Penning
April 16	6:30 pm	Outreach planning meeting with Mike Van Bruggen
April 21	10:00 am	Ross Tarantino
April 23	6:30 pm	VBS planning meeting
April 28	10:00 am	Ross Tarantino
May 5	10:00 am	Ross Tarantino
May 12	10:00 am	Ross Tarantino
May 19	10:00 am	Ross Tarantino
May 26	10:00 am	Ross Tarantino

Prayer Partners - April 2019

4/1/2019	Maxine & Rich Buss	
4/2/2019	Jill & Todd Hemenway	
4/3/2019	Jan Hellenga & Pat Cray	
4/4/2019	Judy Fusko & Betty Boze	
4/5/2019	Patti Rittenhouse & Joe Gossler	
4/6/2019	Loraine & Lewis Houseman	
4/7/2019	Maxine & Rich Buss	Sunday Service
4/8/2019	Jan Hellenga & Pat Cray	
4/9/2019	Judy Fusko & Betty Boze	
4/10/2019	Patti Rittenhouse & Joe Gossler	
4/11/2019	Loraine & Lewis Houseman	
4/12/2019	Maxine & Rich Buss	
4/13/2019	Jill & Todd Hemenway	
4/14/2019	Jan Hellenga & Pat Cray	Sunday Service
4/15/2019	Judy Fusko & Betty Boze	
4/16/2019	Patti Rittenhouse & Joe Gossler	
4/17/2019	Loraine & Lewis Houseman	
4/18/2019	Maxine & Rich Buss	
4/19/2019	Jill & Todd Hemenway	
4/20/2019	Jan Hellenga & Pat Cray	
4/21/2019	Judy Fusko & Betty Boze	Sunday Service
4/22/2019	Patti Rittenhouse & Joe Gossler	
4/23/2019	Loraine & Lewis Houseman	
4/24/2019	Maxine & Rich Buss	
4/25/2019	Jill & Todd Hemenway	
4/26/2019	Jan Hellenga & Pat Cray	
4/27/2019	Judy Fusko & Betty Boze	
4/28/2019	Patti Rittenhouse & Joe Gossler	Sunday Service
4/29/2019	Loraine & Lewis Houseman	
4/30/2019	Maxine & Rich Buss	

Special Events and Activities - April 2019

4/2	Richard Buss Birthday
4/2	Lewis & Loraine Houseman Anniversary
4/9	Dan & Elaine Mroczek Anniversary
4/18	Rod Cramer Birthday
4/30	Jan Hellenga Birthday
4/30	Mark Houseman Birthday