THIS WEEK

Monday | September 8

7: 00 PM Friendship Bible Study begins at ROL CRC. We are expecting 67 registrants so looking forward to a busy year! We welcome anyone interested in what we do in one hour. It's a night of singing, worship in God's word and Fellowship. Come and join us!

Thursday | September 11

7:00-7:30 AM | MORNING PRAYER

Everyone is welcome!! We meet in the church library

Upcoming Service Reminders Sunday, September 14, 2025 11:00A.M

Service Host: Wes J. Assistant Host: Paul B.

Cookies: Ryan & Marish D. and Aaron & Jodi W.

We celebrate the Lord's Supper on the 1st Sunday of each month.

From the Deacons

8-24-2025

TOTAL \$4,199.00

General Fund \$ 3,673.00 Benevolent Fund: \$ 165.00 MOM \$ 371.00

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Pastor Brett Barksdale September 7, 2025

We welcome you to our worship today and invite you to join us in our multi-purpose room after the morning worship service for a time of fellowship.

Announcements & Greetings

Call to Worship (God speaks)

Hymn of Adoration: Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God Almighty

(vs 1-4) (We respond)

Law (God speaks)

Confession (We respond)

Assurance of Pardon (God speaks)

Praise Time (We respond)

Children's Message (God speaks)

Congregational Prayer (We respond)

Scripture and Sermon: Exodus 12:1-28 (God speaks)

How to Prepare for the Passover

Hymn: Come, Share the Lord (v.1-3) (We respond)

(General offering gathered.)

The Lord's Supper

Benediction (God speaks)

Closing Hymn: Sent Forth By God's Blessing (vs.1)(We respond)

**Officer nomination voting closes today

9:30 A.M.....Worship Service

Service Host: Aaron S. **Assistant Host:** Wes J.

Cookies: Aaron & Lisa S. and Paul & Eileen D.

THANK YOU

"God Bless all of you who sent me cards and notes for my 90th Birthday-What A Surprise!!!

I was very blessed- Helen Hoekstra"

"We want to thank our church family for helping us celebrate our 50th Wedding Anniversary. We are truly blessed to be a part of Roseland Reformed Church and the family of God!!" -Paul & Colleen Brouwer

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Today, Session ballots are needed to be handed in on the display table, in the designated box. If you are in need of ballots or a copy of eligible members, please talk with Pastor Brett.

Adventure Club for pre-school through 5th grade will begin Wednesday, Sept 17 with a family potluck at 6:00pm and an activity. Bring a hot or cold dish to share. Bread, beverage and dessert will be provided.

If your child(ren) will be attending Adventure Club this year, please sign the sheet on the display table. This will

give us a better idea of numbers for class sizes and meal planning.

Advance notice: Family Promise service opportunity to provide a meal on October 6, 7, and 9. More details to come.

Roseland Church is hosting the Rivers & Lakes Presbytery Meeting on September 26-27.

There will be a meal (catered) for the Presbytery attenders on Friday night at 6pm. (Not for the congregation.) Yet, we are looking for the following:

- 3 couples or 6 people that are willing to help cut and serve desserts, pour milk, set out water bottles, make coffee and put in carafes on the tables.
- -10 desserts for the dessert table.

If you can help, please contact Stephanie (Adam) Slagter at 320.894.8861

(**There will be a 7:00pm Worship service, open for our congregation to attend that evening.)

LADIES: Join us on Saturday, October 4 from 9-11am, for a special Women's Paint & Sip Coffee event at church! This relaxing and creative gathering is open to women of all skill levels- no painting experience necessary. We'll be painting a beautiful winter-themed scene, guided step-by-step in a supportive and fun atmosphere. Sip on coffee, have a muffin, enjoy good company, and express your creativity with other women in the church community. The cost is \$20 per person, and payment must be made prior to the event to reserve your spot. Don't miss this opportunity to connect, create, and be inspired! To sign up, please reach out to Steph (Nick) Slagter or Erynn Johnson for more information, questions, and payment! There is also a sign-up sheet on the table in the Narthex- we hope to see you there!

The Red Cross will be in Raymond, MN on Wed., Sept. 17 at St. John's Lutheran Church at 401 Day St. from noon-6 p.m (Last available appt. at 5:30) for a blood drive. Donors are desperately needed. Please consider joining us. If you need help registering, please contact Susan Honken at 905-2412.

Pastor Brett Barksdale September 7th, 2025 How to Prepare for the Passover Exodus 12:1-28

Exodus 12:1-28
Step 1-We need to find an unblemished lamb
Step 2-We need to make sure the lamb gets killed
Step 3-We need to make sure that lamb's blood is on the doorposts of our houses
Step 4-We need to have a continual meal that helps us remember what God has done
Step 5-We need to remove the leaven from our lives by the power of the Spirit

Step 6-We need to worship...

Westminster Larger Catechism

Q. 57. What benefits have been gained by Christ's mediation?

A. By his mediation, Christ has gained redemption1 with all the other benefits of the covenant of

grace.2 1.Heb 9.12, 1 Cor 1.30. 2.2 Cor 1.20, Rom 8.32.

Q. 58. How do we share in the benefits Christ has gained?

A. We share in the benefits Christ has gained, as a particular work of God the Holy Spirit, Iwhen they are put into effect in us.2

1.Ti 3.5-6, Jn 3.5-6. 2.Jn 1.11-13.

Q. 59. Who shares in the redemption through Christ?

A. Redemption is inevitably and effectively imparted to all those for whom Christ purchased it,1 who in the process of time are enabled by the Holy Spirit to believe in Christ as presented in the

gospel.2

1.Eph 1.13-14, Jn 6.37,39, 10.15-16, Rom 8.29-30. 2.Eph 2.8, 2 Cor 4.13, 1 Pt 1.2, 2 Thes 2.13.

Q. 60. Can those who have never heard the gospel and so neither know Jesus Christ nor believe in him be saved by living according to their own natural understanding?

A. Those who have never heard the gospell and do not know Jesus Christ2 nor believe in him cannot be saved3 no matter how hard they try to live a moral life according to their own natural

understanding4 or try to obey the rules of some other religion.5 Salvation comes from no other

than Christ alone,6 who is the savior only of his body, the church.7

1.Rom 10.14. 2.2 Thes 1.8-9, Eph 2.12, Jn 1.10-12.

3.Jn 8.24, Mk 16.16, Acts 4.12, Rom 1.18-32. 4.1 Cor 1.20-24, Rom 1.18-32, 3.9-19.

5.Jn 4.22, Rom 9.31-32, Phil 3.4-10. 6.Acts 4.12.

7.Eph 5.23, Jn 6.39,44, 17.9.

PRAYERS

General Prayers:

- -revitalization and leadership for Mayer Zion Lutheran Church and school
- -Mary P. continued health challenges
- -Lavonne Negen's grandson Zachary passed away in his sleep. Please pray for his family and friends.
- -Those who lost loved ones at the shooting in Minneapolis and protection from evil
- -help for those negatively impacted by the weather and the stopping of rain
- -all kids going back to schools and colleges, blessing, growth, and provision
- -Prayers to help your people be the Body of Christ to the world
- -prayers for our Christian missionaries
- -We pray for our servicemen, police officers, military, EMS, firefighters and others who serve and protect us.
- -For those who couldn't be with us today for LaVonne, Ruth P, Ellanor, Eleanor, Ethel , Helen H.

For those grieving the loss of:

- -Dennis Pluimer
- -Brian Johnson
- -Steve Sportel's wife Karen

For the success of the upcoming health procedures and those recovering:

- -Praise God that Warren and Jan's daughter, Jina is now home and recovering
- -Darla Ryks in intensive care
- -Stacey Linquist kidney challenges
- -Colleen's sister Pam's procedure and recovery
- -Lisa's grandmother recent stroke and recovery
- -Gary Hoekstra
- -Warren Damhoff
- -Ellanor Raske

Healing and strength for those going through cancer or treatments of any kind:

- -Ashley (Hoekstra) Vande Vegte who has recently been diagnosed with breast cancer. Pray for wisdom as her care team develops a treatment plan, strength for Ashley.
- -Sue's friend Tammi
- -Sherri's friend Mike
- -Gary Wubben

