THE CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH OF STRATFORD

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2026

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Services are broadcast live

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Celebrating 75 years – God is Faithful – Deuteronomy 7:9

"This is the day that the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it." Psalm 118:24. We give thanks to God for He is good! His love endures forever. The Lord is our strength and our might. Come and worship our God. Please join us downstairs after the service for a time of fellowship and refreshments.

ORDER OF SERVICE
10:00 am – Mr. Tim DeWeerd

Prelude: "He Is"

God Calls Us to Worship
Welcome & Call to Worship
Silent Prayer & Song of Response: "Spirit of the Living God"
*God's Greeting
*Mutual Greeting
*Opening Praise: "O Come to the Altar"
"Graves into Gardens"

God Speaks His Word to Us
Children's Message
During the Song of Approach children ages 3 to Grade 3 are dismissed for Sunday school)

Song of Approach: "I Am Not My Own"
Prayer of Illumination
Text: Romans 8:28-39
Sermon: "Comfort"
Confession of Faith: Heidelberg Catechism Q&A 1
*Hymn of Response: "Our God"

We Respond with Prayers and Offerings
Congregational Prayer
Offerings: 1. General Fund / Ministry Shares 2. ReFrame Ministries
Offertory: "Made for More"

We Go with God's Blessing
*Benediction
*Closing Song: "This is Amazing Grace"

**means stand if you are able*

TODAY'S OFFERING: ReFrame Ministries – More than 85 years ago, CRC Churches recognized they would be stronger together by forming a shared media ministry that could carry the gospel farther than any one congregation alone. That ministry became ReFrame Ministries. Though this united effort, we produce resources like the Today Daily Devotional. Groundwork, and Kids Corner. The ministry works with international partners to share the gospel in ten languages. Through ReFrame, people all around the world are hearing the gospel and finding life-giving hope of the good news of Jesus Christ. Learn more or support this ministry at reframeministries.org.