

Opportunities at Rapid City First This Week:


Monday, 13 October:	Office	Closed
	5:00pm	Karate
	7:30pm	Alcoholics Anonymous
Tuesday, 14 October:	9:00am	MMO
	3:45pm	Suzuki
	5:00pm	Karate
	6:30pm	Suzuki
	6:30pm	Narcotics Anonymous
Wednesday 15 Oct:	5:30pm	Mission Possible, Interactive Worship
	7:00pm	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
Thursday, 16 Oct:	9:00am	MMO
	5:00pm	Karate
	6:00pm	Praise Team Practice
	6:30pm	Narcotics Anonymous
Friday, 17 Oct:	11:30am	Primetimers- Thirsty's
	7:30pm	Narcotics Anonymous
Saturday, 18 Oct:	9:00am	AI Anon Prayer Group
Sunday, 19 Oct.:	3rd Sunday	Offering

Ways to give: -online at www.rapidcityfirst.org

-send a check to 629 Kansas City St. Rapid City, SD 57701

-scan the QR code to give online

-place offering in offering plates when passed around



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Did you know? That Margot Burton had one of the 1st classes that became Youth and Family Services Class for teenage girls.

9:00am- 10:00am- Shepherds are needed during 9:00am Children’s Church. A Shepherd is an adult who is willing to be upstairs on Sunday mornings to be eyes & ears, providing a Safe Sanctuary for our children. Please contact Anne Torgerson for information.

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP
October 19, 2025, 11:00am



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Order of Worship

October 19, 2025, 11:00am

19th Sunday after Pentecost; Color: Green

Services at Rapid City First are livestreamed and recorded for later distribution.

**Please stand as you are able*

Welcome and Connection Opportunities

Prelude: *“Melody in E Flat”*
Peter Tchaikovsky

*Call to Worship

L: We gather today, proclaiming God’s love and seeking God’s blessing.

P: God loves us with an immeasurable love. God is with us always, even when we are unaware, even when we feel lost or alone.

L: In gratitude we come, proclaiming our thanksgiving and seeking to live out our love.

P: In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone.

L: Thanks be to God. Let us worship God.

*Hymn of Praise: #140 *“Great is Thy Faithfulness”*

Children’s Message: Kaylee Houghton

* Sharing our Connection:

Epistle Reading: 2 Timothy 2: 8-15

*Hymn of Faith: #57 *“O’ For a Thousand Tongues”*

Gospel Reading: Luke 17: 11-19

Message: “A Story of Gratitude” Pastor C C

Offering/Chancel Choir: *“ Be Still, My Soul”*
arr. Mack Wilberg

Doxology:

*Benediction Song: FWS #2036 *“Give Thanks”*

*Benediction:

*Postlude: *“Pastorale on ‘Holy Manna’ ”*
Gordon Young

3rd SUNDAY OFFERING
SHIFT Garage

We have a unique non-profit organization, SHIFT Garage, an automotive repair center, that operates with a dedicated team of volunteers, including retired mechanics who contribute their expertise. Funding is secured at various churches and through the sale of good used cars. These sales help cover operational costs and employee salaries.

Monetary donations and vehicle donations are also critical to the ongoing work. We provide crucial services to individuals and families experiencing financial difficulties, charging only for parts.

For those seeking assistance, Shift Garage directs individuals to their website, shiftgarage.org/rapid-city, to complete an application. The organization utilizes specific criteria to ensure that assistance is provided to those genuinely experiencing significant financial difficulties.