# HE'S BEEN HERE BEFORE...

christ the comedian | dec 13 @ 8:30 & 10:30am

## first reformed church | december 13, 2020

The services are broadcast live on TV, on KSOU 93.9 radio at 9:45, and available at <u>www.frcoc.org</u>, Facebook, the App, YouTube and Roku.

**Welcome Visitors!** We are so glad you are here. We would love to connect with you. Go to <u>www.frcoc.org</u>, complete the Connect Card and we will donate \$5 to your favorite charity.

**Today:** Promise Kids during both services. Children & Youth Sunday School between services @ 9:35 AM. **No Adult Sunday School.** 

## 8:30 & 10:30 AM Morning Worship

Special Prelude music 20 min. prior to service: Men's Vocal Quartet

## Praise Team & Brass Worship Songs:

It's Christmas Open Up The Heavens Here Comes Heaven Angels We Have Heard On High Peace Be Still

**Message:** Pastor Mark continues the Advent series: He's Been Here Before... Christ The Comedian. Teaching text: Genesis 18

**5:30 PM Kids Christmas Program:** We will have a special broadcast of the kids Christmas Program at 5:30 PM. <u>No 4 PM service broadcast</u>.

**Praying Together Separately:** This week pray for the conclusion of school semesters. Join us in prayer @ 9, noon or nightfall any day.

Please be sure to pick up the **2020 Milestone** at the Welcome Center or the north entry of the church. New articles and pictures from this past year. You can also find it on our website under Publications.

## STEWARDSHIP & GIVING

Offering: 12/4/20 – 12/10/20: \$37,886 Weekly Offering Goal: \$24,708 Fiscal YTD Total Offering: \$596,857 Fiscal YTD Offering Goal: \$568,284 To give electronically go to <u>www.frcoc.org</u> church website, "Give".

## UPDATES & NOTIFICATIONS

Tues., Dec. 15, 7:00 PM: Full Consistory Meeting
Wed., 6:30 PM: Prayer Warriors
6:30-7:30 PM: Catechism
6:30-7:30 PM: Middle School Youth Group
8-9 PM: High School Youth Group

Thur., Dec. 17, 7:30 AM: Women's Thursday Morning Bible Study

**College Students:** A breakfast of egg bake, rolls/muffins and juice will be served between the two morning services today. Breakfast will resume again on Jan. 10.

### **Upcoming Events:**

**Today, 5:30 PM:** Children's Christmas Program. Offering will be received for Children of the Promise.

Thursday, Dec. 17, 6:30 PM: Blue Christmas Service in Sanctuary

Sunday, Dec. 20, 6 PM: Congregational Christmas Carol Sing in the Sanctuary.

**Thursday, Dec. 24, Christmas Eve Services:** 4:30 PM, 6 PM (with Promise Kids), and 7:30 PM (with communion). **Only the 7:30 PM service will be broadcast.** Offering will be received for Atlas, Genesis House, and Center for Financial Education.

**Children's Ministry needs party size bags of Starburst.** Please drop them off at the children's check-in desk in the Fellowship Hall.

#### Please note:

- There will be no Wednesday evening children & youth ministries on Dec. 23 & Dec. 30.
- No Sunday school on Dec. 27.

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