

**FIRST CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH**  
Evening Worship Service 6:00 PM – September 10, 2023  
Rev. Tim Ouwinga...Minister

**WE GATHER TO PRAISE GOD**

Prelude

Call to Worship

\*Opening Hymn: SW#22:1,2 *“Great Is the Lord”*

\*Opening Prayer

\*God’s Greeting

\*What We Believe: Athanasian Creed (PH pg. 815)

Hymn of Praise: #504:1-4 *“Holy God, We Praise Your Name”*

**(children may leave for children’s church)**

**WE OFFER OUR PRAYERS AND GIFTS**

Congregational Prayer

Offering: Christian Ed Fund

Offertory

**WE HEAR GOD’S WORD**

\*Hymn of Preparation: #276:1-5 *“Teach Me, O Lord, Your Way of Truth”*

Prayer for Illumination

God’s Word Read: I Timothy 6:17-19

God’s Word Proclaimed: **“Sending Our Treasure on Ahead”**

Prayer of Application

**WE RESPOND IN THANKSGIVING**

\*Hymn of Response: #296:1-5 *“We Give You But Your Own”*

\*Parting Blessing

\*Doxology: #320:1,2 *“Lord, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing”*

\*Postlude

\*indicates congregation stand  
pianist: Dana Fedders

**Sunday evening, September 10, 2023**  
**Sending Our Treasure on Ahead**  
**I Timothy 6:17-19**

Intro. Scripture gives many reasons to give generously for the causes of God's kingdom.

I. In This Life

- A. Generous Giving Shows Gratitude
- B. Generous Giving Shows Trust
- C. Generous Giving Helps the Kingdom
- D. Generous Giving Brings Joy

II. In the Life to Come

- A. Generous Giving Safeguards our Faith
- B. Generous Giving Has Eternal Consequences
- C. Generous Giving is Rewarded in the Next Life

Conclusion – Learn the joys and benefits of investing in what has eternal consequences.