

December 25, 2022

(Services available on website northstreetcrc.org)

Morning Worship Service

9:30 AM

Message by Rev. Dirk Koetje

“The Word Became Flesh”

John 1:14

Evening Worship Service

5:30 PM

Message by Rev. Dirk Koetje

“The Three Appearing’s Of Christ”

Hebrews 9:24-28

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - December 25, 2022

Accompanists: AM Sue Arendsen, Ruth Meekhof
PM Sue Lucas

Ushers: AM & PM Ethan VanDussen (East), Jeff Klein (Center), Nathaniel VanDussen (West)

Rover: AM Tim Meekhof PM Mark DuBois

Nursery: AM Shawna Bouwkamp, Elizabeth Venema, Grant Boerman
PM Jasmine Vincent, Naomi VanDussen, Lydia Busscher

Audio/Visual Operators: AM Matt VanderPloeg, Ron Oskam, Mitch Boerman
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Children’s Worship: No Children’s Worship tonight

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - January 1, 2023

Accompanists: AM Sue Lucas
PM Sue Lucas

Ushers: AM & PM Mitchell Boerman (East), Terry Boerman (Center), Andrew Boerman (West)

Rover: AM Steven VanAst PM Joel Poortvliet

Nursery: AM Erin Koetje, Nakisha DeJong, Sarabiah Worley, Abby Venema
PM Ruth Meekhof, Barb Harmsen, Hunter Vincent, Derek Bostrom

Audio/Visual Operators: AM Jerry Redder, Larry Redder, Jackson Busscher
PM Martin Bostrom, Larry Redder, Jackson Busscher

Children’s Worship:

Bulletin Announcements should be submitted by noon on Thursdays.

You may submit announcements by e-mail (carol@northstreetcrc.org), by calling Carol (772.1557),

Or write them out and place them in the Bulletin Editor’s mailbox in the Narthex.

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THIS WEEK

Sunday - December 25 - Christmas

- 9:30 AM Morning Worship Service
NO Sunday School/Catechism
5:30 PM Evening Worship Service
NO Children's Worship tonight
NO High School Youth Group Meeting

Tuesday - December 27

- 6:30 AM Elder Prayer Time
3:45 PM Worship Planning Meeting

Wednesday - December 28

NO GEMS/Cadets

Thursday - December 29

Men's Bible Study will not meet

Saturday - December 31

- 6:00 PM Hilltoppers Game Night

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Jan. 1 New Year's Service - AM Service
Jan. 3 Building & Grounds Committee Meeting
Jan. 4 Bell Choir Rehearsal
Jan. 4 Executive Committee Meeting
Jan. 4 GEMS/Cadets Meet
Jan. 5 Men's Bible Study
Jan. 8 Sunday School/Catechism resumes
Jan. 8 H.S. Youth Group Meeting



PRAYER CORNER



The 24 Hour Prayer Line Numbers:

Local: 879.0057 & Toll Free: 1.800.401.6640

Henry Meppelink: Please continue to remember Henry in your prayers for patience and healing as his recent swallow test indicated that he will have another 5 weeks of nasal gastric feeding tube.

Jane TenHarmsel: Please continue to pray for Jane as she remains under Faith Hospice care at Trillium Woods in Byron Center. We pray that the Lord would be near to Jane and her family during this time.

Jennie VanderWoude: Please continue to remember Jennie in your prayers as she recovers from a fall. We pray that Jennie would be able to make a full recovery.

Council Member of Focus:
Elder Brian Mast

FOCUS ON MISSIONS

The Bridge Ministries of Zeeland provides a safe environment for the youth in the Zeeland area to spend leisure time. Volunteers and staff are there to provide counseling and mentoring. For more information, check out the website www.bymczeeland.org.

David & Emily Romero (and Eli and Davicito) sent the following message following their visit to North Street on December 11: "It was so nice to meet all of you at North Street! We were so blessed by our time together at church and we really appreciate all you guys did to make it such a special and meaningful visit! Thank you for all the love, support, and prayers from the church body. We are very blessed by you! You are also impacting the earthly and heavenly futures of our students' and their families' lives. Thank you to every one of you!"

AT HOME MEMBERS

Ken & Toni VerBeek live at Royal Park Place in Zeeland.
(500 Parkside Drive, #230, Zeeland, MI 49464)

CHURCH FAMILY



A **Grocery Shower** is taking place for **Aaron & Emma Bos**. TODAY is the last day to place your gifts in the grocery cart in the Narthex.

Dale VanderYacht would like to say "Thank You for all the Christmas cards, family picture cards, and the poinsettia plant. It was wonderful to receive so many cards and wishes from the congregation!"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Hilltoppers: Anyone age 55+ that would like to enjoy an evening of games and snacks on New Year's Eve (Saturday, December 31) in *'The Grove'*; please sign-up at the *'Sign-up Station'* in the Narthex for planning purposes. Any questions, talk to Terry or Linda Boerman.

The High School Youth Group will be returning to West Virginia to work with ARO for their summer Mission Trip July 1-7. As you think about your end-of-year giving, please consider supporting the youth of our church as they prepare for this trip.

Looking ahead to 2024, the High School Youth Group is planning to go to Alaska again during the week of June 22-29. Space will be limited, so if you are interested in coming along, talk to Dan Sterk.

Merry
Christmas

COUNCIL NEWS

Offering Schedule:

Dec. 25: AM Doors Of Hope
PM City on a Hill
(<https://coahm.org/ways-to-give/>)

Jan. 1: AM Upward Bound
PM Mission India
(<https://missionindia.org/donate/>)

A New Member's Class will be offered on Sunday, January 8 and 15 following the Morning Worship Service. This class is for anyone who is interested in becoming a member at North Street. Plan on attending both Sundays. If you have any questions, please talk to either Allyn Arendsen or Brian Mast.

The Elders approved the transfer of membership of **Steve Huizenga** to Community Reformed Church. We pray that God blesses Steve in his new church home.