June 25, 2023

(Services available on website northstreetcrc.org)

Morning Worship Service 9:30 AM

Message by Rev. Dirk Koetje
"The Returned Exiles Worship"
Ezra 3:1-6a

Evening Worship Service 5:30 PM

Message by Rev. Dirk Koetje
"The Peace Of God"
Psalm 4:1-8

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - June 25, 2023

Accompanists: AM Ruth Meekhof

PM Ruth Meekhof, Derek Bostrom

Ushers: AM & PM Jeff Klein (East), Bill Lyzenga (Center), Luke Mast (West)

Rover: AM Carl Weener PM Brian Mast

Radio: AM Zach VandenHeuvel/Brent Leegwater PM Zach VandenHeuvel/Brent Leegwater

Nursery: AM Mari-Joy Peerbolt, Nancy Oskam, Sadie DuBois, Elizabeth Venema PM Shawna Bouwkamp, Suann Zwiers, Andrew Boerman, Thijs DuBois

Audio/Visual Operators: AM Martin Bostrom, Ron Oskam, Tyler Bostrom

PM Jerry Redder, Ron Oskam, Tyler Bostrom

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - July 2, 2023

Accompanists: AM Sue Arendsen

PM Sue Arendsen

Ushers: AM & PM Ryder Boersema (East), Lyle VanKlompenberg (Center),

Lincoln Boersema (West)

Rover: AM Scott Hoek PM Tim Schutt

Radio: AM Todd VandenHeuvel/Mark DuBois PM Todd VandenHeuvel/Mark DuBois

Nursery: AM Gabriella Sal, Grace Hilbelink, Rebecca Boerman, Makayla Peerbolt

PM Jasmine Vincent, Heidi Bostrom, Adrie Koetje, Clara Klein Audio/Visual Operators: AM Jerry Redder, Ron Oskam, Matt VanderPloeg

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Bulletin Announcements should be submitted by noon on Thursdays.

You may submit announcements by e-mail (bulletin@northstreetcrc.org), by calling Carol (616.772.1557), or write them out and place them in the Bulletin Editor's mailbox in the Narthex.

THIS WEEK

Sunday - June 25

9:30 AM Morning Worship Service

Baptism - Harper Janae Bronkema

5:30 PM Evening Worship Service

Monday - June 26

7:00 PM Elders/Deacons Meetings

<u>Tuesday - June 27</u>

6:30 AM Elder Prayer Time

3:45 PM Worship Planning Meeting

Wednesday - June 28

6:45 PM Boys & Girls Church Softball Game Faith United vs. North Street Drenthe Grove Park (615 - 68th Avenue, Zeeland)

UPCOMING EVENTS

July 3 Executive Committee Meeting

July 4 Building & Grounds Committee Meeting

July 5-7 High School Summer Retreat

July 5 Boys & Girls Church Softball Game

North Street vs. 14th Street Drenthe Grove Park

FOCUS ON MISSIONS

Rev. Fikret & Darlene Bocek work for *Global Church Ministries* on church planting, discipleship, Bible and book distribution, and evangelism in their home country of Turkey. More information is available at www.globalchurchministries.us.



PRAYER CORNER



The 24 Hour Prayer Line Numbers: Local: 879.0057 & Toll Free: 1.800.401.6640

Terry Boerman: Please keep Terry in your prayers as he received 2 pints of blood and an iron infusion this past week. We pray that he will find renewed strength and energy because of these things.

Trudy Holwerda: Please keep Trudy in your prayers as she recovers at home following successful knee surgery.

Helaine Miedema: Please keep Helaine in your prayers as she continues to receive chemo treatments. We pray that they will be effective in ridding her body of the cancer.

Kristin Sterk: Please keep Kristin in your prayers as the results of her blood test for leukemia came back as inconclusive. She will be going to Ann Arbor on Tuesday for a bone marrow biopsy in hopes that it will show that the reading was a false positive and that she hasn't relapsed. Pray for patience in the waiting and peace for whatever the results may be. She hopes to find out the biopsy results by the end of the week.

Todd VandenHeuvel: We give thanks that Todd was able to return home following his back surgery. We pray for continued healing and relief of pain during his recovery.

Elaine Venema: Please keep Elaine's sister and brother-in-law, *Holly & Troy*, in your prayers. Their daughter, *Charlotte*, (born just a few weeks ago) is now having symptoms from her heart defect (fast, shallow breathing, unstable oxygen, and sleeping way too much). They went to the cardiologist this past Friday for more ultrasounds, X-rays, and testing. Please pray that they can find some path forward for treatment/management of the symptoms. Please keep Holly & Troy in your prayers as well, as this is very difficult for them as parents.

Council Member of Focus: Deacon Josh VandenBosch

AT HOME MEMBERS



John Holwerda 90 on June 26

CHURCH FAMILY



Congratulations to Nick & Briana Unema on the birth of a healthy baby girl, *Brinlie Rose*, who was born on Monday, June 19, weighing 8lbs., 3 oz., and was 21inches long. Mother and baby are doing well!

(Congratulations, also to grandparents Brent & Val Leegwater on their first grandchild!)

A Baby Shower is beginning for **Brinlie Rose Unema**, newborn daughter of *Nick & Briana*. Please place your gifts in the playpen in the Narthex by Sunday, July 16.

COUNCIL NEWS

Offering Schedule:

June 25: AM Samaritan's Purse-Disaster Relief

PM Doors of Hope

July 2: AM North Street CAP

PM City On A Hill



ANNOUNCEMENTS



The Church Youth Softball Summer League is in full swing. The games are at 6:45 PM on Wednesdays. If you would like to come and cheer on our youth, please see details under the Church Calendar section.

Alaska 2024 Mission Trip: If you would like to participate in the Alaska 2024 (June 22-29) Mission Trip, please sign-up by Sunday, July 30, with a \$100.00 deposit. Priority will be given to students that have finished 8th grade by June 2024. Adults that would like to go, please also submit your name by July 30, and in the following week after we assess space availability, we will decide how many of the interested adults we can accommodate and collect a deposit from those that are interested at that time. Any questions, contact Dan Sterk.

LOCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Positive Options invites you to attend a free workshop 'Sharing the Gospel: Turning Everyday Encounters into Jesus Conversation'. This workshop is a great refresher if you've taken 'Making Life Disciples', and an excellent introduction and tool if you're new to our free resources for the church. Pastors, parents, young adults, and leaders of youth are all welcome! This workshop will take place on Wednesday, June 28, from 6:30-8:30PM at Positive Options Holland Center (339 S. River Avenue, Holland). The facilitator will be AmyJo Pleune. To register, e-mail amyjo.pleune@lpcenters.com or call (616)396.8127 ext. 400.