

July 16, 2023

(Services available on website northstreetcrc.org)

Morning Worship Service

9:30 AM

Message by Rev. Ken Baker

“Living With The Weeds”

Matthew 13:24-30, 36-43

Evening Worship Service

5:30 PM

Message by Mr. Dan Sterk

“How Long”

Nahum 1:1-15

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - July 16, 2023

Accompanists: AM Stephanie Klein, Kristi Boerman
PM Sue Lucas Baritone: James Viel
Ushers: AM & PM Bob Schipper (East), Jim Staat Jr. (Center), Luke Mast (West)
Rover: AM Curt Lucas PM Eric Sal
Radio: AM Dan Sterk/Nick Venema PM Dan Sterk/Nick Venema
Nursery: AM Rachele Sal, Nakisha DeJong, Lydia Busscher, Luke Mast
PM Leigh VanDussen, Barb Harmsen, Cora Boerman, Felicity Venema
Audio/Visual Operators: AM Jerry Redder, Larry Redder, Jackson Busscher
PM Martin Bostrom, Larry Redder, Jackson Busscher

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - July 23, 2023

Accompanists: AM Ruth Meekhof
PM Ruth Meekhof
Ushers: AM & PM Tyler Bostrom (East), Al Arendsen (Center), Derek Bostrom (West)
Rover: AM Zach VandenHeuvel PM Larry Harmsen
Radio: AM Scott Hoek/Mark DuBois PM Brent Leegwater/Mark DuBois
Nursery: AM Chelsea VandenBosch, Laura Visser, Naomi VanDussen, Alli Peerbolt
PM Suann Zwiers, Jennifer Fortosis, Sadie DuBois, Ellary Boersema
Audio/Visual Operators: AM Todd VandenHeuvel, Sheryl VandenHeuvel, Tyler Bostrom
PM Todd VandenHeuvel, Sheryl VandenHeuvel, Tyler Bostrom

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 - July 16

- 9:30 AM Morning Worship Service
Rev. Ken Baker
5:30 PM Evening Worship Service
Mr. Dan Sterk

Tuesday - July 18

- 6:30 AM Elder Prayer Time
11:00 AM Middle School Summer Splash Event
@ Dan & Kristin's home- 'til 2:00 PM
1:00 PM Worship Planning Meeting

Wednesday - July 19

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

Thursday, July 20

- All Day High School & Middle School Event
Michigan's Adventure
7:00 PM Make-up Softball Game from last week
Boys & Girls Church Softball Game
North Street vs. Borculo
Drenthe Grove Park
(615 - 68th Avenue, Zeeland)

Saturday, July 22

- 3:30 PM Wedding Ceremony @ North Street
Sydney Leegwater & James Viel

UPCOMING EVENTS

- July 24 Elders/Deacons Meetings
July 25 Middle School Summer Splash Event
@ Dan & Kristin's Home - 'til 2:00 PM
Aug. 1 Building & Grounds Committee Meeting
Aug. 5 High School & Middle School Event
Boating Night @ Mike & Mary Geerlings' Home

FOCUS ON MISSIONS

Scott Geurink serves as the **Hispanic Ministry Developer for Zeeland Classis** and is assisting the four new Hispanic CRC Church plants in Western Michigan, as well as holding Bible Studies in local greenhouses and farms in the area. He is also working with and training potential church planters. For more information, send Scott an email at smgeurink@gmail.com, and ask to be included to receive his Geurinklink.

PRAYER CORNER



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

Terry Boerman: Continue to remember Terry in your prayers as he will be starting a new, less aggressive, treatment at the end of July, in an effort to keep his cancer at bay.

Connie DeHaan: Connie continues to recuperate and receive rehab following hip surgery. She is at Freedom Village (Rm.#2210). We continue to pray that this time of recovery and rehab goes well.

Caleb Lucas (12 year old son of Curt & Jamie): Please remember Caleb in your prayers as he is scheduled to have an MRI on Friday, July 21, to address his weight loss and difficulty in swallowing. We pray that he may have an increased appetite and ability to consume the calories he needs. We also pray for his medication adjustment period to resolve.

Rick & Linda VanderPloeg, and Matt VanderPloeg: Please remember Rick & Linda and Matt in your prayers as they will be attending the 2023 Cadet International Camporee in Dunningville, Ontario, Canada from July 19-26. Please pray for safety in travel and safety for all those attending.

Rose Worley: Please keep Rose in your prayers as she remains at Blodgett Hospital after having a feeding tube surgically placed this past Wednesday. Her esophagus is not working properly. We give thanks to God for answers. Please continue to pray for Rose as she adjusts to receiving her nutrition in a different way; that she will gain strength and independence so she can return to the daily activities she enjoys.

Council Member of Focus:
Deacon Jon DeZwaan

AT HOME MEMBERS

Alma DeKock lives in her condo in Zeeland.
(250 Interlocken Court, Zeeland, MI 49464)

Winnie Machiela lives in her home in Zeeland.
(10473 Mary Ann Street, Zeeland, MI 49464)

CHURCH FAMILY



Brent & Val Leegwater would like to invite our Church Family to witness the Wedding ceremony of their daughter, **Sydney to James Viel**. The wedding will take place on Saturday, July 22, at 3:30 PM at North Street.

A Baby Shower is taking place for **Brinlie Rose Unema**, newborn daughter of **Nick & Briana**. TODAY is the last day to place your gifts in the playpen in the Narthex.



A Grocery Shower is taking place for **Sydney Leegwater & James Viel** who are planning their wedding for Saturday, July 22. Please place your gifts in the grocery cart in the Narthex by Sunday, July 23.

COUNCIL NEWS

Offering Schedule:

July 16: AM Christian Ref. Conference Grounds
PM Parkview Home

July 23: AM Winning At Home
PM North Street CAP

Pastor Dirk and family will continue their time of vacation, returning on Monday, July 17. We pray for safety and a time of relaxation together as a family. If a prayer need arises during this time, please contact your District Elder.

The Council has approved and begun work on an updated membership directory, which will include photos. If you have a current family photo you would like to submit, please send it to office@northstreetcrc.org. Please include the names of everyone included in the photo. For those wishing to have a new photo taken, times will be scheduled at a later date to provide that option.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Prayer Line Update E-mails are sent twice a week to members of North Street CRC. If you need to update your e-mail address, or would like to be added to the distribution list to receive these updates, please send a message to office@northstreetcrc.org.

From The Mission Team: Peter & Lindiwe Kirstein, from Beautiful Gate, will be coming to Michigan from August 15-29. They are looking for people who can host them for 3-4 nights. A car will be provided to them to use, so just some meals and a place to sleep are needed. Please contact **Scott & Laura Visser** if you can help.

The Mission Team is grateful to the Congregation for your prayerful and financial support received throughout the first half of the year. The Team is anticipating and scheduling visits from Missionaries into the second half of 2023. To God be the Glory!

The Church Youth Softball Summer League 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.

CALLING on North Street Cooks: Freezer meals have been depleted from the church freezer. When you are making a meal - make an extra portion that can be shared with those that are in need. Containers are available in the kitchen cupboard by the stove. Label and date and put in the church freezer.

Soups, casseroles, etc.

Single, couple, or family size servings.

Meals that can be re-heated or meals that can be baked per instructions.

Any questions - contact Linda Boerman.



North Street is looking for individuals/families who can assist with preparing the building for Sunday Services. Do you enjoy providing hospitality and have an eye for detail? This is a paid position, with duties related to opening and closing the building and Sanctuary. Please see **Ryan Boerman** for more information.