

November 19, 2023

(Services available on website northstreetcrc.org)

Morning Worship Service

9:30 AM

Message by Rev. Shane Floyd

“The Running Prophet”

Jonah 1:1-17

Evening Worship Service

5:30 PM

Message by Rev. Jim Dykstra

“Our Joy In The Lord”

Psalm 47:1-9

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - November 19, 2023

Accompanists: AM Sue Arendsen, Val Leegwater
PM Ruth Meekhof
Ministry of Music: AM North Street Bell Choir; Lynda Tiggelman, Director
Ushers: AM & PM Bob Schipper (East), Jim Staat Sr. (Center), Luke Mast (West)
Rover: AM Brian Mast PM Steve VanAst
Radio: AM Scott Hoek/Brent Leegwater PM Nick Venema/Mark DuBois
Nursery: AM Jalyn DeZwaan, Briana Unema, Lydia Busscher, Lillian Bostrom
PM Jasmine Vincent, Ellie Bronkema, Sadie DuBois, Macie Schutt
Audio/Visual Operators: AM Jerry Redder, Ron Oskam, Jackson Busscher
PM Martin Bostrom, Ron Oskam, Jackson Busscher
Children's Worship Teacher/Helpers: PM Erin Koetje, Suann Zwiers, Derek Bostrom

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - November 23, 2023 - Thanksgiving Service

Accompanists: Sue Arendsen, Val Leegwater
Ushers: Nathaniel VanDussen (East), Mitchell Boerman (Center), Ethan VanDussen (West)
Rover: Larry Harmsen **Radio:** Todd VandenHeuvel/Mark DuBois
Nursery: Emily Rottschafer, Nancy Oskam, Derek Bostrom, Alli Peerbolt
Audio/Visual Operators: Jerry Redder, Larry Redder, Mitch Boerman

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - November 26, 2023

Accompanists: AM Sue Arendsen, Kristi Boerman
PM Sue Lucas
Ushers: AM & PM Alden Lucas (East), Curt Lucas (Center), Caleb Lucas (West)
Rover: AM Dylan Beld PM Brent Leegwater
Radio: AM Scott Hoek/Brent Leegwater PM Zach VandenHeuvel/Mark DuBois
Nursery: AM Jennifer Fortosis, Grace Hilbelink, Greyson Busscher, Taryn DeJong
PM Amy Kroll, Leigh VanDussen, Cora Boerman, Lauren Boerman
Audio/Visual Operators: AM Matt VanderPloeg, Larry Redder, Mitch Boerman
PM Matt VanderPloeg, Larry Redder, Mitch Boerman
Children's Worship Teacher/Helpers: PM Erin Koetje, Andrew Boerman, Hunter Vincent

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 - November 19

- 9:30 AM Morning Worship Service
Rev. Shane Floyd
- 10:50 AM Sunday School/Catechism
Offering for Compassionate Heart Ministries
- 10:55 AM Women's Bible Study - Rm.#L-12
- 11:00 AM GROW Group - *'The Grove'*
David & Emily Romero
- 5:30 PM Evening Worship Service
Rev. Jim Dykstra
Children's Worship meets - Rm.#1
Story: *'The Parable Of The Treasure'*
- 7:00 PM High School Youth Group Meeting
Meal provided by Nick & Elaine Venema Family

Tuesday - November 21

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

Wednesday - November 22

- (all activities meet at 6:30; dismiss at 8:15 PM)
- 6:30 PM Middle School Youth Group meets
(7th & 8th grade boys and girls)
Snack: Rachel Mast

Thursday - November 23

- 8:00 AM Youth Group Fundraiser
Pancake Breakfast - 'til 9:30 AM
- 9:30 AM Thanksgiving Day Worship Service

Saturday - November 25

- 10:00 AM Visitation for Louise Grass
(Amy Kroll's Mother)
- 11:00 AM Funeral Service for Louise Grass
Both at North Street CRC

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Nov. 26 Communion Preparatory - AM Service
- Nov. 26 High School Youth Group Meeting
Meal provided by Curt & Jamie Lucas Family
- Nov. 27 Executive Committee Meeting - 5:00 PM
- Nov. 27 Elders/Deacons Meetings - 7:00 PM
- Nov. 29 3D Boys Group (7th & 8th grade boys)
- Nov. 29 GEMS & Gents Night
- Dec. 3 First Sunday of Advent
- Dec. 3 Communion - AM Service
- Dec. 3 GROW Group - Upward Bound

PRAYER CORNER



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

Randy Boeve: Please keep Randy in your prayers as he began a 7-day chemo treatment this past Monday. We are thankful that he has returned home following a stay in the hospital. Please continue to pray for him to be restored to health and strength.

Kristin Sterk: Kristin developed a full body rash in reaction to her chemo pill. We pray for relief from the itching, and wisdom for her doctors as they make a plan to address this new side-effect. We also rejoice with the news that a bone marrow donor has been found for her upcoming transplant.

Jennie VanderWoude: Please keep Jennie in your prayers as she remains hospitalized with low sodium levels. We pray that she is able to get the nutrients her body needs and that she is able to return home again soon.

Elaine Venema: We give thanks that Elaine's niece, *5-month Charlotte*, has returned home after a stay in the hospital to treat pneumonia.

Continue to pray for those battling cancer:

Randy Boeve	Gret Heuvelman		
John Heuvelman	Helaine Miedema	Kristin Sterk	Marianne Vos

Continue to pray for those facing an on-going recovery:

Connie DeHaan	Tim Meekhof
Dale VanderYacht	Ken VerBeek
Rose Worley	

Council Member of Focus:
Deacon Jon DeZwaan



COUNCIL NEWS

Offering Schedule:

November 19: AM Jubilee Centers International
PM RYS-Reformed Youth Services

November 23: Thanksgiving Day Envelopes
Loose money will go to the North Street Missions/Outreach Support Fund.

November 26: AM Parkview Home
PM City On A Hill

Thanksgiving Day Service Information: Due to the 8K Turkey Trot Race in downtown Zeeland on Thanksgiving morning, The Council encourages the congregation to enter the parking lots coming from the North on State Street, and the West on Main Street.

The Thanksgiving Day Offering Envelopes have been placed in your mailbox. Additional envelopes are at the Sign-Up Station. Listed on these envelopes are several groups/agencies that the Deacons have selected. These envelopes can be placed in the offering plate on **Sunday, November 19, or Thanksgiving Day, November 23**. All loose and undesignated money received, written in groups/agencies, and any envelopes received after Thanksgiving Day will go to the North Street Missions/Outreach Support Fund.

A New Members Class will be offered on Sunday, December 10 & 17, in the Council Room, after the AM 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 Jim Zwiers or Brian Mast.

LOCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Family Life Center is hosting a CornHole Tournament fundraiser on Wednesday, November 22. The evening will start with a Pork Dinner (donation) at 5:30 PM. At 7:00 PM the CornHole bags fly! Sign up by calling/texting Stephanie at 616.446.9215. All proceeds benefit The Family Life Center of West Michigan.

The Christian Reformed Conference Grounds is excited to be hosting *Timothy and Hosanna Noble* in concert! This Christmas Dinner Concert will be presented on Friday, December 8, and Saturday, December 9. The cost for the dinner and concert is \$20.00/person, and reservations can be made by calling 616.842.4478 or emailing ministry@crcg.org. The doors will open at 5:00 PM; Dinner will be served at 5:30 PM. Get your friends and family together and join us in kicking off the Christmas season with great food, fellowship, and praise to our almighty God for His goodness to us! Seating is limited and reservations have been filling up, but we still have room, so give us a call soon!

IRBC's (Institute for Reformed Biblical Counseling) latest edition Newsletter is available at the Sign-up Station. Please be in prayer for the 100+ students in 6 states who are currently taking the *IRBC Basic Training Course in Reformed Biblical Counseling*, along with the 10 students currently receiving advanced training towards counseling certification. Pray also for the counselors at all of the *Shepherd's Way Biblical Counseling Centers*, and for our supervising counselors who are mentoring new counselors. Finally, please pray that the Lord will bless the efforts being made to establish new centers in Kalamazoo Michigan, and in Lynden Washington.



CHURCH FAMILY

We express our deepest sympathy to **David & Amy Kroll** with the passing of Amy's beloved mother, **Louise Grass**, on November 11, after a battle with cancer. We pray also for Amy's dad, **Richard**, as he mourns the loss of his wife and adjusts to his recent move to Michigan. Visitation & Funeral Service for Louise will take place at North Street on Saturday, November 25. Visitation will start at 10:00 AM; Funeral Service to follow at 11:00 AM.

Dan & Kristin and Mazy Sterk would like to "Thank the congregation for all of the gifts, cards, love and support given during Pastor Appreciation Month, and also during Kristin's cancer journey. We are incredibly blessed to be a part of the North Street Congregation. Thank you for your faithfulness to us."

Gary & Connie DeHaan: We rejoice with Gary & Connie with the recent birth of three great grandchildren!

Directory Corrections: (as of 11-16-23)

Vern Boersen:

Remove cell phone number

Todd & Sheryl VandenHeuvel:

Remove Home phone

Add Todd Cell phone: 616.335.1828

Trevor VandenHeuvel:

Change home address to:

390 W. Hillview Drive

Zeeland, MI 49464



AT HOME MEMBERS

Cheryl Kroll lives at MediLodge of Holland.

(1221 E. 16th Street, Rm.#205, Holland, MI 49423)

Dale VanderYacht lives in his condo in Zeeland.

(8955 N. Clearwater Drive, Zeeland, MI 49464)

Happy Birthday



Trudy Holwerda

84 on November 20

Max Michmerhuizen

80 on November 22

FOCUS ON MISSIONS

Mission India is equipping and training indigenous workers to plant churches through Church Planter Training, Adult Literacy Classes, and Year-long Children's Bible Clubs, with a goal of seeing a church planted in every village. More information is available at www.missionindia.org.

Missionary Don Slager with United Bible Societies, has arrived safely in Liberia. Continue to pray that all goes smoothly as he works with the Dan and Maan teams, hoping to finish their Bibles by the end of next year. The major donor for these projects has decided to not fund them next year, so pray we can find another donor. On November 14, Liberia will have its runoff election for president. Don was hoping this election would be completed before he went. Pray it remains peaceful. Don plans to return home on December 4.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

David & Emile Romero and their family are joining us this morning. They will share briefly during the Worship Service and will be in *'The Grove'* following the Service to share in more detail of their work in Honduras. David & Emily serve at **Jubilee Centers International**, which provides a high quality, transformative Christian education to vulnerable children and youth in Tegucigalpa, Honduras in the at-risk neighborhood of LaEra. Currently, they have nearly 300 K-9th students, with the hope to add all high school grades in the next few years

The Church Office will be closed on Thursday, November 23, due to the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Christmas Program Musicians: If any Elementary through High School Musicians would like to play a Christmas song for the Prelude/Offertory for the Christmas Program on December 10 (Evening Service), please contact **Val Leegwater** by Nov. 27. She will need your song title, what instrument you will be playing, and approximately how long your song is.

Prayer Request Microphone Passers: If you would like to volunteer to be a microphone passer for our Evening Prayer Time, please sign up at the Welcome Station, so we know who would be willing to serve in this way.

Sunday Volunteers Needed: North Street needs additional adult (age 18+) men to serve as volunteers in a variety of ways on Sundays. Please contact Nakisha in the office (office@northstreetcrc.org or call 616.772.6971) for more information or to sign up to fill one of these needs:

Ushers: Arrive 30 minutes before the AM and PM services to help folks find a seat in the Sanctuary. These volunteers fill an important role as they help guests feel welcome in our church.

Rovers: Volunteers patrol the building before and during worship. These volunteers ensure the building remains secure, assist those who may arrive late, or have needs during the service.

