# February 4, 2024

(Services available on website northstreetcrc.org)

# Morning Worship Service 9:30 AM

Message by Rev. Dirk Koetje
"Two Indispensable Resources"
Ephesians 6:18-24

# Evening Worship Service 5:30 PM

Message by Rev. Aaron Vriesman "Pretty Bad Errors - Arianism: Jehovah's Witness Heresy" John 1:1-18

#### WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - February 4, 2024

Accompanists: AM Ruth Meekhof

PM Ruth Meekhof, Derek Bostrom

Ministry of Music/Praise Team: AM Grace Hilbelink, Lyndsey Smith, Briana Unema

Mitch Boerman (cajone)

Brass Players: PM Paul Mulder, James Viel

Ushers: AM & PM Luke Mast (East), Terry Boerman (Center), Tyler Mast (West)

Rover/Radio AM Mike VanAst Steven VanAst Zach VandenHeuvel

PM Josh VandenBosch Curt Lucas Zach VandenHeuvel
AM Chelsea VandenBosch Frin Koetie Sadie DuBois Carson Koetie

Nursery: AM Chelsea VandenBosch, Erin Koetje, Sadie DuBois, Carson Koetje

PM Ruth Meekhof, Nakisha DeJong, Hunter Vincent, Lauren Boerman Audio/Visual Operators: AM Matt VanderPloeg, Ron Oskam, Jackson Busscher

PM Jerry Redder, Ron Oskam, Jackson Busscher

Children's Worship Teacher/Helpers: Sara Boerman, Alden Lucas, Naomi VanDussen

# WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - February 11, 2024

Accompanists: AM Sue Lucas

PM Val Leegwater, Kristi Boerman

Ushers: AM & PM Lincoln Boersema (East), Todd VandenHeuvel (Center), Ryder Boersema (West)

Rover/Radio: AM Carl Weener Scott Hoek Zach VandenHeuvel

PM Keith Boerman Mark DuBois Zach VandenHeuvel

Nursery: AM Shawna Bouwkamp, Suann Zwiers, Naomi VanDussen, Macie Schutt PM Ellie Bronkema, Leigh VanDussen, Adrie Koetje, Tyler Mast

Audio/Visual Operators: AM Martin Bostrom, Larry Redder, Tyler Bostrom

PM Jerry Redder, Larry Redder, Tyler Bostrom

Children's Worship Teacher/Helpers: Erin Koetje, Cora Boerman, Lauren Boerman

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 - February 4

9:30 AM Morning Worship Service

10:50 AM Sunday School/Catechism

Offering for Compassionate Heart Ministries

10:50 AM Women's Bible Study - Rm.#L-12 4:30 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal - *'The Grove'* 

5:30 PM Evening Worship Service

Rev. Aaron Vriesman

Children's Worship meets - Rm.#1 Story: "Parable Of Two Sons"

7:00 PM High School Youth Group meets

Meal provided by Brian & Rachel Mast Family

#### Monday - February 5

6:30 PM Cadet Snow Derby Teams will meet

#### Tuesday - February 6

6:30 AM Elder Prayer Time

3:45 PM Worship Planning Meeting

7:00 PM Building & Grounds Committee Meeting

#### Wednesday - February 7

(all activities dismiss at 8:15 PM)

6:30 PM 3D Boys Club (Boys 7th & 8th Grades)

6:30 PM Jr.Cadets/Cadets (Boys 2nd-6th grades)

6:30 PM GEMS meet (Girls 2nd-8th Grades)

6:30 PM Bell Choir Rehearsal

#### Thursday - February 8

6:30 AM Men's Bible Study

# Saturday - February 10

9:00 AM Cadet Snow Derby Team meet @ church

12:30 PM Cadet Snow Derby

@ Cadet campgrounds

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Feb. 11 Communion - AM Service

Feb. 11 High School/Middle School Youth Group

Super Bowl Party Event

Feb. 12 Council Meeting

Feb. 14 Middle School Youth Group meets

(7th & 8th grades Boys & Girls)

Feb. 18 Rev. David VanDerWiele - AM Service

Feb. 18 Mr. Devon Scott - PM Service

### PRAYER CORNER



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

**Lisa Koetje:** We give thanks that Lisa had a successful knee replacement surgery this past Thursday morning. We pray that her recovery will be uneventful and that she will soon be restored to full strength. **Jim & Lisa** have been worshipping with us.

**Caleb Lucas (13 year old son of Curt & Jamie):** The results of Caleb's biopsies came back and they were mostly unhelpful. We continue to pray for his medical team as they seek to understand and treat his increased swallowing and digestive issues.

**Kristin Sterk:** We give thanks that Kristen was able to return home this past Monday after being re-admitted to the hospital last weekend due to an unusual sensation in her hands. We continue to pray for her during these critical weeks following her bone marrow transplant.

**Ken VerBeek:** Please keep Ken in your prayers as his back pain has worsened recently. We pray for him as he seeks relief and meets with his doctor this week.

Continue to pray for those battling cancer:

Randy Boeve Gret Heuvelman John Heuvelman Kristin Sterk

Marianne Vos

Council Member of Focus: Deacon Mike VanDussen



#### **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 <a href="https://www.missionindia.org">www.missionindia.org</a>.

#### **CHURCH FAMILY**

**Everdeane Bonnes:** If anyone wishes to speak to Evie, please disregard her personal phone number and call direct to *'The Vines Senior Homes'* in Elgin, IL (1.847.695.9600). A member of the staff will take your phone number and go to Evie's room, and dial your number on her phone so she can converse with you. Mail should be sent to her son at the following address: *Everdeane Bonnes* 

c/o Dwight Bonnes 11142 Shakespeare Avenue Westchester, IL 60154

#### AT HOME MEMBERS

Winnie Machiela lives at Royal Atrium Inn in Zeeland.
(400 Parkside Drive, Rm.#218, Zeeland, 49464)

Jennie VanderWoude lives at Holland Home/Raybrook Manor in Grand Rapids.
(2121 Raybrook St. SE #303,
Grand Rapids, MI 49546)

# **COUNCIL NEWS**

Offering Schedule:

February 4: AM Crossroads Prison Ministry

PM Doors of Hope

February 11: AM North Street CAP

PM Hungry For Christ

**North Street** is participating again this year with local churches from our classis in a *January Series'*, where each minister will preach at each church over the next two weeks at the Evening Service. **The theme is "Heresies".** The following is the list of ministers (and the church they are from) that will be here:

February 4 (North Blendon CRC)
February 11 Rev. Dirk Koetje
(North Street CRC)



#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**High School Youth Group** is looking for <u>families/couples to sign-up to bring dinner</u> for the group. Plan on around 18-20 people, but we would also love it if you stayed and ate with us! Look for a sign-up sheet by the elevator if you are interested in bringing dinner.

Attention Singers: The Worship Coordinators are looking for additional men and women to participate on praise teams during the morning and evening worship services. If you are middle school age or older, and would like more information, please contact Nakisha in the church office (office@northstreetcrc.org) or Danielle Hilbelink (danielle@hilbelink.net).

Fundraiser Dinner for the Youth Group Trip to Alaska: Get your flannel on and support Alaska! Join us for a fundraising dinner to support our youth group trip to Alaska taking place this summer. Dinner will be on <u>Saturday</u>, <u>February 10</u>, at 6:00 <u>PM</u> in 'The Grove' at church. <u>Please RSVP by February 4</u> at the 'Sign-up Station' in the Narthex. There will also be pizza and games in 'The Cellar' for the kids.

Guys: Save the Date - Saturday, February 24, for our annual Rabbit Hunt. More details later.

# LOCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Right to Life of Michigan Education Fund High School Oratory Contest will take place March 14, 2024, at Central Ave CRC, in their Ministry Center. High school students are invited to research abortion, euthanasia, infanticide, embryonic stem cell research and give a 5-7 minute prolife presentation to a panel of judges. Entry deadline is February 27. Please contact Betty Driesenga (616-396-1037 or awilson@rtl.gmail.com) with questions and to register. More info at https://rtlofholland.org/upcoming-events/ or ask Elaine Venema for a flyer.

Cornerstone United Reformed Church announces it's Annual Women's Conference entitled 'God's Grace in Seasons of change: Finding Certain Hope in Uncertain Times', to be held on Friday-Saturday, March 15 and 16, 2024. The main speaker is Megan Hill. For more information, please pick up a brochure at the 'Sign-up Station' in the Narthex.