

April 21, 2024

(Services available on website [northstreetcrc.org](http://northstreetcrc.org))

## Morning Worship Service

9:30 AM

Message by Rev. Dirk Koetje

“A Temple

For The Name Of The Lord”

2 Chronicles 2:1-18

## Evening Worship Service

5:30 PM

Message by Rev. Dan Kroeze

“We’ve Grown Accustomed

To His Grace”

Luke 13:1-5

### WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - April 21, 2024

**Accompanists:** AM Sue Arendsen, Derek Bostrom Prelude: Lillian Bostrom, Derek Bostrom  
PM Sue Arendsen

**Praise Team:** AM Vocalists: Mark DuBois, Bill Lyzenga, Stephanie Klein, Sheryl VandenHeuvel  
Cajon: Mitch Boerman

**Praise Team:** PM Bri Unema, Sydney Viel, Andie Schutt, Sadie DuBois, Evelyn Busscher

**Rover/Radio:** AM Josh VandenBosch Allyn Arendsen Zach VandenHeuvel  
PM Keith Boerman Todd VandenHeuvel Zach VandenHeuvel

**Ushers:** AM & PM Jim Staat Jr. (East), Allyn Arendsen (Center), Thijs DuBois (West)

**Nursery:** AM Laura Visser, Nakisha DeJong, Sadie DuBois, Felicity Venema  
PM Jalyn DeZwaan, Leigh VanDussen, Andie Schutt, Lillian Bostrom

**Audio/Visual Operators:** AM Martin Bostrom, Larry Redder, Mitch Boerman  
PM Jerry Redder, Larry Redder, Mitch Boerman

**Children’s Worship Teacher/Helpers:** Erin Koetje, Alden Lucas, Auggie Schutt

### WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - April 28, 2024

**Accompanists:** AM Sue Arendsen  
PM Val Leegwater, Kristi Boerman

**Rover/Radio:** AM Carl Weener Dan Sterk Zach VandenHeuvel  
PM Larry Harmsen Josh VandenBosch Zach VandenHeuvel

**Ushers:** AM & PM Andrew Boerman (East), Mitch Boerman (Center), Grant Boerman (West)

**Nursery:** AM Mari-Jo Peerbolt, Erin Koetje, Greyson Busscher, Alli Peerbolt  
PM Erica Oskam, Heidi Bostrom, Andrew Boerman, Macie Schutt

**Audio/Visual Operators:** AM Matt VanderPloeg, Ron Oskam, Jackson Busscher  
PM Matt VanderPloeg, Ron Oskam, Jackson Busscher

**Children’s Worship Teacher/Helpers:** Erin Koetje, Naomi VanDussen, Lauren Boerman

Bulletin Announcements should be submitted by noon on Thursdays.

You may submit announcements by e-mail ([bulletin@northstreetcrc.org](mailto: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 - April 21

- 9:30 AM Morning Worship Service  
Welcome of New Members:  
Mitch & Sarah, Trevor Miedema  
James (Sydney Leegwater) Viel
- 11:00 AM GROW Group - *'The Grove'*  
Mission India - Jan Ritzema
- 5:30 PM Evening Worship Service  
Rev. Dan Kroeze  
Children's Worship meets - Rm.#1  
Story: *"Jesus Commissions The Disciples"*
- 7:00 PM High School Youth Group Meeting  
Meal provided by Bill & Cindy Lyzenga, Lori Dekker

### Monday - April 22

- 5:00 PM Executive Committee Meeting  
7:00 PM Elders/Deacons Meetings

### Tuesday - April 23

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

### Wednesday - April 24

- 6:30 PM Middle School Youth Group  
(Boys & Girls - 7th & 8th Grades)

### Thursday - April 25

- 6:30 AM Men's Bible Study  
6:00 PM Classis Zeeland Elder Training Event

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- Apr. 28 Kroll Baptism - AM Service  
Apr. 28 High School Youth Group meets  
Meal provided by Eric & Nakisha DeJong Family  
May 1 3D Boys Club (Boys - 7th & 8th grades)



## PRAYER CORNER



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

**John Apotheker** will undergo back surgery this week Wednesday, April 24. We pray for a successful surgery and recovery time.

**JoAnn Kiger** had pain shots administered on Thursday, April 18, in her knees. We pray that this procedure brings long-lasting relief to her pain.

**Linda VanDyke** was diagnosed with breast cancer and underwent surgery this past Friday, April 19. We pray that surgery was successful, that recovery will go smoothly, and for God's peace to be with Rog & Linda in this anxious time.

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

**John Apotheker**      **JoAnn Kiger**  
**Tim Meekhof**        **Jennie VanderWoude**  
**Ken VerBeek**

Council Member of Focus:  
*Elder Rick VanderPloeg*

## FOCUS ON MISSIONS

**Rev. Don Slager** serves as the editor for the Bible translation handbooks of United Bible Societies, which are written for translators worldwide. He is also the consultant for Bible translation projects in Liberia. For more information, send Don an email at [75403.2436@compuserve.com](mailto:75403.2436@compuserve.com) to be added to receive his letters and daily blog while in Liberia.

## COUNCIL NEWS

### Offering Schedule:

**April 21:** AM Mission India  
PM Right to Life Education Fund

**April 28:** AM Positive Options  
PM North Street CAP

**Elder/Deacon Selection Process:** The following men have been nominated by members of the Congregation and confirmed by Council as candidates for the Office of Elder and Deacon. Following the Morning Worship Service on May 12, voting will occur by ballot. The top five for each office will have their name written on a piece of paper and placed in a container. Those names will be known only to the two men who count the votes. Just prior to the start of our Evening Worship Service on May 12, three names will be drawn for Elder and three for Deacon. Those men selected will be asked to meet briefly following the service to receive additional information.

**Elder:** *Ryan Boerman*      *Gerry DeZwaan*  
*John Klompmaker*      *Earl Mokma*  
*Tim Schutt*              *Don Mannes*

**Deacon:** *Jake Bronkema*      *Ron Oskam*  
*Blake Rottschafer*      *Jim Staat, Jr.*  
*Nick Unema*              *Steven VanAst*

*Please remember these men and the Church in prayer that the Lord would provide faithful leaders for North Street.*

**Severe Weather/Cancellation Policy:** If a **Tornado Watch or Tornado Warning** is in effect one hour prior to the start of a scheduled worship service or mid-week meeting, the service or meeting will be considered cancelled.



## LOCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Make an Impact for Mental Health!** Come join us on Saturday, April 27, for the *8th Annual Love & Lean Walk/Run for Mental Health*. Walk or run a 5K or 1.5 mile route on sidewalks, bike paths, and trails through the wetlands. Physical activity is good for mental health! The route, which starts at the Zeeland stadium, will be lined with memorial pictures, motivating interaction, sidewalk chalk inspiration, and encouraging message signs. This annual event was inspired by the loss of **Zach Kroll**, who silently suffered from depression and died at the age of 15. Let's come together as a community to support each other and help reduce the shame and secrecy surrounding mental health, so less people struggle silently and more people seek help. More information can be found at <https://runsignup.com/Race/MI/Zeeland/LoveLeanWalkforMentalHealth>.

**Borculo Christian School** will be hosting a Clay Shoot on Saturday, April 27. Proceeds from this event will go to the general fund of the school. Registration forms are available in the school office.

**Borculo Christian School** will be having a Pancake Breakfast and a 5K Fun Run/Walk on Sat., May 4. The pancake breakfast proceeds will go towards the athletic programs of the school. Registration forms for the fun race are available in the school office.

**Jubilee Centers International in Tegucigalpa, Honduras** invite you to join them on a short-term Mission trip July 20-27, 2024. The cost is \$80.00 + Airfare (and any associated costs in the US such as luggage, meals, hotel, and ground transfers). Visit <https://www.jubileecentershm.org/mission-trips> for more information or email [lsullivan@jubileehh.org](mailto:lsullivan@jubileehh.org). The deadline for this trip is April 30.

**A National Day of Prayer Event** will take place on Thursday, May 2, at Zeeland City Hall (21 S. Elm Street) from noon - 12:30. The theme is *'Lift Up The Word - Light Up The World'*, using II Samuel 22:29-31. Come join us for this event.

## CHURCH FAMILY

**Alma DeKock** passed away on Friday, April 12. Her funeral service was held on Thursday, April 18, at Yntema Funeral Home. Our sympathies are extended to her family and pray for God's peace and comfort for her family in this time of loss.

**Randy Boeve** would like to say "Thank You to everyone for your thoughts, prayers, cards, and words of encouragement during this time of my health struggles. A special Thank You to Pastor Koetje for his much-appreciated visits."

**JoAnn Kiger** would like to say "Thank You for all the well wishes and Birthday wishes. Thank you for your continued prayers for relief from pain."

**Zach & Heather VandenHeuvel (Kristoijn, Maatje, Kees)** would like to say "We are so blessed by the gifts and support you have bestowed upon us with the arrival of Kees. Each gift has/will be put to good use."

## AT HOME MEMBERS

**Kris Michmerhuizen** lives at home in Holland with her husband, Max.  
(4283 - 56th Street, Holland, MI 49423)

**Dale VanderYacht** lives in his condo in Zeeland. (8955 N. Clearwater Drive, Zeeland, MI 49464)



**Ted VandenBrink**  
88 on April 23

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**GROW Group Session this morning:** *Jan Ritzema*, Associated Regional Director of Mission India, will join us following the Morning Worship Service. Plan to come to 'The Grove' and hear an update on Mission India.

**Attention North Street Campers:** Time is fast approaching for final reservations to be made. If you signed up to camp at Dutch Treat Campground, June 15-22, or still wish to do so, please meet in 'The Grove' on Sunday, April 21, after the Morning Worship Service for a short meeting to discuss the details. If you have any questions, before that date, please contact Earl & Judy Mokma (Earl-616.635.9582; Judy-616.772.4001).

**North Street will be hosting the Elders Conference** this week Thursday, April 25, that will benefit CAP recipients. Help will be needed for set up on Wednesday, kitchen help and clean up on Thursday. See the sheet at the 'Sign-up Station' in the Narthex, or call/e-mail Linda Boerman.

**Sunday Volunteers:** North Street uses adults (age 18+ men) to serve as volunteers in a variety of ways on Sundays. A new schedule for the upcoming months is being worked on. Please contact Nakisha in the office (e-mail [office@northstreetcrc.org](mailto:office@northstreetcrc.org) or call 616.772.6971) for more information or to sign up to serve in one of these roles:

**Ushers:** Arrive 30 minutes before the AM & PM services to help people 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.

