

September 22, 2024

(Services available on website northstreetcrc.org)

Morning Worship Service

9:30 AM

Message: Rev. Dirk Koetje

“The Eyes Of The Lord”

2 Chronicles 16:1-14

Evening Worship Service

5:30 PM

Message: Rev. Dirk Koetje

“The Uniqueness Of Jesus”

Psalm 49:1-15

Belgic Confession; Article #19

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - September 22, 2024

Accompanists: AM Kristi Boerman, Val Leegwater
PM Sue Arendsen

Ministry of Music/Praise Team: AM Bri Unema, Lyndsey Smith, Sydney Viel
Cajon: Nick Unema

Rover/Radio: AM Tim Meekhof Allyn Arendsen Zach VandenHeuvel
PM Tim Schutt Todd VandenHeuvel Zach VandenHeuvel

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

Nursery: AM Emily Rottschafer, Nancy Oskam, Derek Bostrom, Lauren Boerman
PM Kathy Busscher, Erica Oskam, Sadie DuBois, Mazy Sterk

Sound/Projection/Camera Operators: AM James Viel, Ron Oskam, Tyler Bostrom
PM James Viel, Ron Oskam, Tyler Bostrom

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - September 29, 2024

Accompanists: AM Sue Arendsen, Derek Bostrom
PM Ruth Meekhof

Rover/Radio: AM Todd VandenHeuvel Josh VandenBosch Zach VandenHeuvel
PM Allyn Arendsen Steven VanAst Zach VandenHeuvel

Ushers: AM & PM Greyson Busscher (East), Ben Velderman (Center), Jackson Busscher (West)

Nursery: AM Nakisha DeJong, Jan Klompmaker, Andrew Boerman, Taryn DeJong
PM Ellie Bronkema, Linda VanderPloeg, Adrie Koetje, Abby Venema

Sound/Projection/Camera Operators: AM Matt VanderPloeg, Larry Redder, Jackson Busscher
PM Martin Bostrom, Larry Redder, Jackson Busscher

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 - September 22

9:30 AM Morning Worship Service
10:50 AM Sunday School/Catechism meets
11:00 AM Mission Presentation - *'The Grove'*
Scott Geurink and Pablo Lee
4:30 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal - *'The Grove'*
5:30 PM Evening Worship Service
7:00 PM High School Youth Group - *'The Cellar'*
Meal provided by Mike & Renae Van Ast

Monday - September 23

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

Tuesday - September 24

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

Wednesday - September 25

6:30 PM Jr.Cadets/Cadets meet
(Boys - 2nd - 6th grades)
6:30 PM Middle School Youth Group meets
(7th & 8th grade Boys and Girls)

Thursday - September 26

6:30 AM Men's Bible Study meets - *Fireside Rm.*

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sept. 29 GROW Group Presentation - 11:00 AM
Dave Sytsma - Rehoboth Christian School
Sept. 29 Women's Bible Study meets
Sept. 29 High School Youth Group meets
Meal provided by Brian & Rachel Mast family

AT HOME MEMBERS

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

John Heuvelman lives in his home in Hudsonville.
(4809 - 40th Avenue, Hudsonville, MI 49426)



PRAYER CORNER

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

Randy Boeve has been re-admitted to the hospital and is fighting an infection. Please continue to keep Randy & Sue in your prayers during this difficult time.

Cheryl Kroll was able to have her surgery this past Monday to remove kidney stones. We give thanks that the surgery took place as planned, that the kidney stones were removed, and that Cheryl tolerated the surgery well. Cheryl was able to return home to MediLodge for further recovery.

Sarah Miedema received the results of her pathology reports and we give thanks to the Lord that she needs no further treatment! Please pray for Sarah as she continues to recover from her surgery.

Elaine Venema underwent a procedure this past week to remove polyps. We are thankful that this procedure went well.

Continue to pray for those battling cancer:

Terry Boerman **Randy Boeve**
Sarah Miedema **Carol Redder**
Linda VanDyke

Council Member of Focus:
Elder Tim Schutt

CHURCH FAMILY



A **Baby Shower** is taking place for **Owen Lee DeZwaan**, infant son of **Jon & Jalyn**. TODAY is the last day to place your gifts in the playpen in the Narthex.

Carol Nagelkirk's brother-in-law, **Martin Nagelkirk**, passed away on Sunday, September 15. Martin was also a nephew to **Geneva Nagelkirk**. We extend our sympathy to Carol and Geneva and the Nagelkirk family, and pray that God's peace will be with them.

FOCUS ON MISSIONS

Scott Geurink serves as the **Hispanic Ministry Developer for Zeeland Classis** and is assisting with several current and potential Hispanic CRC plants in Western Michigan, training and mentoring the leaders. He seeks new opportunities to minister to the Hispanic community by holding Bible Studies in local greenhouses and farms in the area. For more information, send Scott an email at smgeurink@gmail.com and ask to be included to receive his Geurinklink.

Scott Geurink (Hispanic Ministry Developer for Zeeland Classis) and **Pablo Lee**, will be presenting an update on their local work through Zeeland Classis. Come to *'The Grove'* following this morning's Worship Service. All are welcome to come and listen and ask questions.

Advance Notice: **Dave Systema** from Rehobeth Christian School will share an update during the GROW Group time in *'The Grove'* on Sunday morning, September 29.

COUNCIL NEWS

Offering Schedule:

September 22: AM Upward Bound
PM North Street CAP

September 29: AM Positive Options
PM GVSU Campus Ministries

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jennifer Fortosis is teaching an adult education class on Worship in the early church as part of her seminary requirements. The class is being held at 2nd Grand Haven CRC on Wednesday nights at 6:30 PM from now until October 23, and we are invited to attend! She describes the class this way: *'Worship is a very important piece to our life with God. We enjoy worship together as a congregation when we sing and listen to God's Word. Beyond that, worship is also the way in which we focus our attention on God as we go about our daily liturgy. This course will explore our liturgical practices in the present as we look back in time to the liturgical life of the early church. Come and worship the Lord with me!'*

North Street is doing a diaper and wipes drive for the **Family Life Center of West Michigan 24/7 Blessing Center**. The Blessing Center is open 24 hours per day, every day for families to pick up diapers, wipes, and other necessities. The Blessing Center gives out over 8,000 diapers and 300 packages of wipes every month. They urgently need larger size diapers (5 & 6) and pull-ups/training pants, as well as wipes. Please bring donations from now through October 19 to the table set up in the narthex. Please contact **Elaine Venema** or the Deacons with any questions.

Children's Worship will begin during the Evening Worship Service on October 1, for children ages 3-first grade. If you are interested in being a **Helper** (6th grade-adult), please sign-up in the Narthex. Any questions - talk to **Rachel Mast**.

North Street is sponsoring a multi-generational family mission trip to Guatemala in February 2025 - the deadline to sign up is October 1. The team will be serving with Casas por Cristo (<https://casasporcristo.org/>) to build a three-bedroom home that is given as a gift to a local family, in addition to helping at a local Christian school (<https://www.ceibavida.org/liberty-academy>). No prior building experience or Spanish language is necessary to attend - just a desire to serve the Lord and His people! Please see **Eric or Nakisha DeJong** if you have any questions or to express your desire to join the trip.

Mid-Life Group (20, 30, and 40-somethings single and couples): Please save the date for a Fall Fling on **Saturday, October 19, at 6:00 PM**. Join us at *Upward Bound* for a night of fun, games, bowling, and a little friendly adult competition. More details to come. Any questions, see **Sara Boerman** or **Kathy Busscher**.

LOCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Bridge Youth Center is looking for volunteers for their **'Bridge to Excellence'** program. We join with them in praying that the right people will feel led to spend time mentoring kids. Any questions - call The Bridge (616.772.3843) or contact them at info@bymczeeland.org.