

September 29, 2024

(Services available on website northstreetcrc.org)

Morning Worship Service

9:30 AM

Message: Rev. Dirk Koetje

“James”

James 1:1

Evening Worship Service

5:30 PM

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“The Justice And Mercy Of God

At The Cross”

2 Corinthians 5:21

Belgic Confession; Article #20

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - September 29, 2024

Accompanists: AM Sue Arendsen, Derek Bostrom Cajon: Nick Unema
PM Ruth Meekhof

Praise Team: PM Vocalists: Evelyn Busscher, Mark DuBois, Bill Lyzenga, Renae VanAst, Elaine Venema
Cajon: Mitch Boerman

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

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - October 6, 2024

Accompanists: AM Sue Arendsen
PM Sue Lucas

Rover/Radio: AM Mark DuBois Scott Hoek Zach VandenHeuvel
PM Jake Bronkema Mark DuBois Zach VandenHeuvel

Ushers: AM & PM Tyler Bostrom (East), Scott Dekkinga (Center), Derek Bostrom (West)

Nursery: AM Kathy Ebels, Krista Hoek, Cora Boerman, Lainey DeJong
PM Chelsea VandenBosch, Jennifer Fortosis, Felicity Venema, Creed VanDussen

Sound/Projection/Camera Operators: AM Martin Bostrom, Larry Redder, Mitch Boerman
PM Jerry Redder, Larry Redder, Mitch Boerman

Children's Worship: PM Rachel Mast, Adrie Koetje, Luke Mast

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 29

- 9:30 AM Morning Worship Service
10:50 AM Sunday School/Catechism meets
11:00 AM GROW Group - *'The Grove'*
Dave Sytsma - Rehoboth Christian School
11:00 AM Women's Bible Study - Rm.#7
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 Brian & Rachel Mast family

Tuesday - October 1

- 6:30 AM Elder Prayer Time
3:45 PM Worship Planning Meeting
5:00 PM Senior Cadets (7th & 8th grade boys)
Unity Christian Football Game
7:00 PM Building & Grounds Committee Meeting
7:00 PM IRBC Class - *'Fireside Room'*

Wednesday - October 2

- 7:00 PM** Jr.Cadets/Cadets/Senior Cadets
(Boys - 2nd - 8th grades)
Father/Son Heritage Council Kick-Off
Meet @ Faith United Reformed Church
(8270 120th Ave)
6:30 PM GEMS meet
(Girls - 2nd - 8th grades)

Thursday - October 3

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Oct. 6 Rev. Aaron Vriesman - PM Service
Post-Classis Pulpit Exchange
Oct. 6 Children's Worship begins - PM Service
Oct. 6 High School Youth Group meets
Meal provided by Allyn & Sue Arendsen
Oct. 9 Middle School Youth Group Meeting
(Boys & Girls - 7th & 8th grades)
Oct. 9 Finance Meeting
Oct. 10 N.S. Seniors' Breakfast
@ Trestle Stop Restaurant
Oct. 12 Youth Group Hayride @ Boerman's



PRAYER CORNER

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

Terry Boerman received the results from his most recent scan and we rejoice over the news that his new chemo pill is unexpectedly working to shrink his cancer. We praise God for this news, as He is the great physician.

Randy Boeve has returned home, but remains very weak. We continue to pray for Randy & Sue during this difficult time.

Stephan Hilbelink underwent surgery this past Wednesday to repair torn tendons in his foot. We give thanks that this surgery was successful and pray that his recovery will go well as he is non-weight bearing for several weeks.

Kristin Sterk met with her doctors this past week as she prepares for a heart MRI and upcoming ablation. We pray for wisdom for her doctors as they treat her ongoing heart failure. We rejoice with Kristin & Dan over the news from her oncologist that the likelihood of her leukemia returning is quite small.

Linda VanDyke continues to feel lousy as she receives her treatment for cancer. We pray that she may experience more good days and renewed strength soon.

Continue to pray for those under Palliative or Hospice care:

Carrie Redder **Shirley VanVoorst**
Jack VenHuizen

Council Member of Focus:
Deacon Nick Unema

FOCUS ON MISSIONS

Rev. Jeong & MiSook Gho work for Resonate Global Ministries in Japan. "We dream a great dream with you for Asia through leadership training ministries including Discovery Bible Study Training, Timothy Leadership Training, and Evangelical Teacher Association Training. More than 200 leaders from Japan, Korea, and neighboring countries participate in our trainings." More information is available at www.resonateglobalmission.org.

Dave Sytsma from *Rehoboth Christian School* will share an update during the GROW Group time in 'The Grove' this morning. Come and hear what God is doing at Rehoboth Christian School.

Advance notice from the Mission Team:

Rev. Fikret & Darlene Bocek, who work for Global Church Ministries in church planting, discipleship, Bible and book distribution in their home country of Turkey, plan to give a presentation about their work on Sunday, October 13, in 'The Grove'.

David & Emily Romero personally invite you to **Jubilee's 15th Anniversary Celebration Event - 'Filled With Joy'**. The event will be held on Tuesday, November 12, at *The Point* in Grand Rapids (555 28th Street SE). We will again serve a complimentary meal. Punch is at 6:00 PM; Dinner served at 6:30 PM with the program to follow. Please RSVP by Oct. 26 to jubileehm.org/celebration.

From Don Slager:

"Dear Friends at North Street:

Thank You for your continuing support of my Bible translation ministry. Pray that I will be able to do online checking with the Many team next week. I was unable to do it last week for the Maan. I plan to travel to Liberia November 7 to December 9, and am looking forward to being there again."

COUNCIL NEWS

Offering Schedule:

September 29: AM Positive Options
PM GVSU Campus Ministries

October 6: AM North Street CAP
PM All Belong (BCS/ZCS)

The Fall Zeeland Classis meeting will be held this Thursday, October 3. **Pastor Dirk and Elder Earl Mokma** will be attending from North Street, D.V. We pray for the working of the Holy Spirit in guiding the churches in our region.

As part of Classis Zeeland meeting, **Rev. Aaron Vriesman**, from North Blendon CRC, will lead us in the Evening Worship Service on October 6. **Pastor Dirk** will be at First CRC of Allendale.

LOCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Borculo Christian School will be holding a **Mom-2-Mom Sale & Bake Sale** on Saturday, October 12, from 9:00 AM - noon in the school gym. BCS is located at 6830 - 96th Avenue, Zeeland. Contact BCS at bcsclothingsale@borculochrschool.org with any questions. Hope to see you there!



AT HOME MEMBERS

John & Betty Bos:

John lives at American House in Holland.

Betty lives in their home in Zeeland.

(American House, Baypoint Building, Room #2

11911 James Street, Holland, MI 49424)

(2477 Rhodora Drive, Zeeland, MI 49464)

Happy Birthday



Howard Johnson

94 on September 29



ANNOUNCEMENTS

The October Reflections is available in your Church mailbox. For our regular attendees, a copy of this monthly Newsletter is available at the 'Sign-up Station' in the Narthex (north stairwell by the elevator). Pick up a copy and stay informed about church happenings!

Usher Coordinator: North Street is looking for a new Usher Coordinator. This adult male is responsible for helping coordinate the usher schedule, as well as to recruit and train ushers. Anyone interested in this position, or who may have additional questions, should see **Todd VandenHeuvel**. Thank you for prayerfully considering if God is calling you to fill this position.

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.

North Street Seniors will have their monthly breakfast at *Trestle Stop Restaurant* in Hamilton on Thursday, October 10, at 8:30 AM. Please put your name on the sign-up sheet in the Narthex so we know the number coming. Have a delicious breakfast and take some time to fellowship together.

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 20 to the table set up in the narthex. Please contact **Elaine Venema** or the Deacons with any questions.

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**.

