November 17, 2024

(Services available on website northstreetcrc.org)

Morning Worship Service 9:30 AM

Message: Rev. Scott VanOostendorp "God Is Good? I Doubt It" Psalm 73:1-28

Evening Worship Service 5:30 PM

Message: Rev. Jeremy Visser "This Is The Message" I John 1:5-10; I John 2:1-6

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - November 17, 2024

Accompanists: AM Sue Lucas, Derek Bostrom Prelude: Lillian Bostrom, Derek Bostrom

PM Sue Arendsen

Praise Team: AM Garrett & Grace Hilbelink, Curt & Jamie Lucas

Rover/Radio: AM Brian Mast Brent Leegwater Zach VandenHeuvel

PM Zach VandenHeuvel Allyn Arendsen Nick Venema

Ushers: AM & PM Ben Velderman (East), Allyn Arendsen (Center),

Austin Redder/Tyler Mast (West)

Nursery: AM Ruth Meekhof, Stephanie Klein, Lydia Busscher, Zachary Mast

PM Barb Harmsen, Linda VanderPloeg, Luke Mast, Carson Koetje

Sound/Projection/Camera Operators: AM Matt VanderPloeg, Ron Oskam, Mitch Boerman

PM – Jerry Redder, Ron Oskam, Mitch Boerman

Children's Worship: PM Rachel Mast, Val Leegwater, Thijs DuBois

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - November 24, 2024

Accompanists: AM Sue Lucas, Val Leegwater

PM Ruth Meekhof

Rover/Radio: AM Dylan Beld Todd VandenHeuvel Zach VandenHeuvel

PM Dan Sterk Josh VandenBosch Zach VandenHeuvel

Ushers: AM & PM Jim Staat Jr. (East), Terry Boerman (Center), Thijs DuBois (West)

Nursery: AM Jan Klompmaker, Laura Visser, Sadie DuBois, Lauren Boerman PM Suann Zwiers, Lisa Poortvliet, Thijs DuBois, Clara Klein

Sound/Projection/Camera Operators: AM James Viel, Alden Lucas, Tyler Bostrom

PM Martin Bostrom, Alden Lucas, Tyler Bostrom

Children's Worship: PM Rachel Mast, Beth DeJong, Derek Bostrom

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 17

9:30 AM Morning Worship Service

Rev. Scott VanOostendorp

10:50 AM Sunday School/Catechism meets

11:00 AM Guatemala Trip Presentation - 'The Grove'

11:00 AM New Members Class - 'Council Room'

4:30 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal - *'The Grove'* 5:30 PM Evening Worship Service

Rev. Jeremy Visser

Children's Worship meets - Rm.#1

Story: "The Prophets Show The Way To Bethlehem"

7:00 PM High School Youth Group - 'The Cellar'

Meal provided by James & Sydney Viel

<u>Tuesday - November 19</u>

6:30 AM Elder Prayer Time

3:45 PM Worship Planning Meeting

Wednesday - November 20

6:30 PM GEMS meet

(Girls - 2nd - 8th grades)

6:30 PM Jr. Cadets/Cadets/Sr. Cadets meet

(Boys - 2nd - 8th grades)

Outing @ 'Upward Bound' - no Cadet shirts required

6:30 PM Bell Choir Rehearsal - 'The Grove'

Thursday - November 21

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

UPCOMING EVENTS

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Nov. 24	S.S. Christmas	: Program Pra	ctice - Sanctuary

Women's Bible Study meets Nov. 24

Nov. 24 High School Youth Group meets

Meal provided by Paul & Heather Mulder

Nov. 25 **Executive Committee Meeting**

Nov. 25 Elders/Deacons Meetings

Nov. 27 Middle School Youth Group meets

(Boys & Girls - 7th & 8th grades)

Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser 8:00-9:30 AM Nov. 28 Nov. 28 Thanksgiving Day Worship Service-9:30 AM



PRAYER CORNER



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

Randy Boeve has returned home. We continue to pray for him to feel better as he isn't receiving cancer treatment at this time.

Betty Kroll had a meet-and-greet appointment with the Cleveland Clinic this past Thursday, November 14. We continue to pray for a clear path forward and for peace for Betty & Allyn.

Anna Meppelink has moved to Waterford Place Assisted Living for a time of continued rehab before returning home. Anna is thankful for your prayers and concerns during this unexpected event. Please continue to pray for her health to be fully restored.

Trevor Miedema (13-year-old son of Mitch & Sarah) will be having an MRI Scan of his brain on Saturday, November 23. We pray that this routine scan will confirm that there is no brain tumor re-growth.

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

Stephan Hilbelink Dolores Bouwkamp JoAnn Kiger Cheryl Kroll Judy Mokma Tim Meekhof Sarah Miedema Kristin Sterk Jennie VanderWoude Ken VerBeek

Paisley Worley

Council Member of Focus: Deacon Josh VandenBosch

COUNCIL NEWS

Offering Schedule:

November 17: AM Harvest Stand Ministries

PM North Street CAP

November 24: AM Casas por Cristo

North Street Mission Trip

PM The Bridge

This Morning we welcome *Rev. Scott VanOostendorp* to lead our Worship Service. Pastor Scott & his wife Cyndy have 2 daughters and 4 grandchildren. Pastor Scott & Cyndy have lived in Zeeland for the last 39 years, serving as a pastor at an RCA church in town for 33 years, before retiring in 2018. He is currently a part-time staff member at Hudsonville Reformed (PCA) as Pastor of Visitation. Welcome to North Street! We pray that God will richly bless our time together.

This Evening we welcome *Rev. Jeremy Visser* to lead our Worship Service. Pastor Jeremy serves as the Pastor of Trinity Church (PCA) in Hudsonville. He & his wife Marie have 3 children and live within walking distance of North Street. He considers it a deep joy to partner with North Street in the Zeeland community. Welcome to North Street! We pray that God will richly bless our time together.

A New Members' Class will be offered again this morning, starting at 11:00 AM, in the Council Room. This class is for all those interested in becoming a member or just learning more about North Street. If you have any questions, please talk to either *Jim Zwiers or Brian Mast*.

The Thanksgiving Day Offering Envelopes have been placed in your Church mailbox. Additional envelopes are at *'The Sign-Up Station'* in the Narthex. 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 17, Sunday, November 24, or Thanksgiving Day, November 28. All loose and undesignated money received, written in groups/agencies, and any envelopes received after Thanksgiving Day will go to the *North Street Mission Support Fund*.

FOCUS ON MISSIONS

Mike & Keli Anderson serve in Pucallpa, Peru with South America Mission. Mike makes regular trips to a local village, helping indigenous pastors develop an oral Bible story curriculum for their Bible Institute. He also has been involved in the logistics of getting the Bible Institute up and running again. Besides the indigenous aspect of his role, Mike is also the project manager for the SAM Center and SAM Academy as they remodel several of the buildings and welcome work teams from the States. Kelli holds down the fort while Mike is in the village and also helps with hosting teams from the States and coordinating different mission events. More information is available at www.southamericamission.org.

Don Slager, missionary with United Bible Society, began another trip to Liberia and returns to the USA on December 9. His update says "I will be working with the Dan, Maan, and Manya teams, checking parts of their Bibles. I'm taking some artificial legs and eyeglasses with me. Pray all goes smoothly. I hope to write daily while there, providing the internet and power cooperate. Thanks for your prayer and financial support."



AT HOME MEMBERS

John & Betty Bos:

John lives at American House in Holland.

(American House, Baypoint Building, Room #2 11911 James Street, Holland, MI 49424)

Betty lives in their home in Zeeland.

(2477 Rhodora Drive, Zeeland, MI 49464)



Trudie Holwerda 85 on November 20

Max Michmerhuizen 81 on November 22

CHURCH FAMILY

Shirley VanVoorst passed away on Saturday, November 9. Her funeral service was held at North Street on Thursday, November 14. We extend our sympathy to her family as well as long-time friend *Camille Kass (Sarah and Sam)*.

Jack & Jean VenHuizen will celebrate their 75th Wedding Anniversary on Monday, November 18! If you would like to mail a card, their address is:

Jack & Jean VenHuizen 12600 Renaissance Circle, Rm.#102

Homer Glen, IL 60491

Dan & Alice Chaffee would like to say "Thank You for all the expressions of sympathy we received following the passing of Dan's mother."

Mitch & Sarah and Trevor Miedema would like to "Thank the Church Family for all the prayers, love, support, and meals dropped off in our time of need. Sarah is so grateful for all the visits, cards, and life stories that were shared with her. Thank you for everything - North Street Family!"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Guatemala 2025 Mission Team will be in *'The Grove'* today during the Sunday School hour. Come join us to learn more about our up-coming mission trip and how you can help bless a family in Guatemala will a free, safe house. See the bulletin insert for more information.



Christmas Shoeboxes for Samaritan's Purse are back again this year! We are hoping to fill 100 shoeboxes for boys and girls around the world to show them the love of Christ. The shoeboxes are available in the Narthex today, and **TODAY is the deadline to return them**. If you have any questions, please reach out to Josh or Chelsea VandenBosch.

Attention North Street Campers: Plans are being made to camp at *Dutch Treat Campground* the week of <u>July 11-19</u>, <u>2025</u>. There is a sheet at *'The Sign-up Station'* in the Narthex so we can determine how many sites to reserve. If you wish more information, contact *Earl Mokma* (616.635.9582).

