January 26, 2025

(Services available on website northstreetcrc.org)

Morning Worship Service 9:30 AM

Message: Rev. Dirk Koetje "The Tongue" James 3:1-12

Evening Worship Service 5:30 PM

Message: Mr. Rylan Brue "The Woman Who Took God At His Word" Luke 1:26-56

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - January 26, 2025

Accompanists: AM Sue Lucas

PM Ruth Meekhof

Ministry of Music: AM North Street Bell Choir; Director - Lynda Tiggleman Rover/Radio: AM Jake Bronkema Mark DuBois Scott Hoek

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PM Mike VanAst Steven VanAst Josh VandenBosch

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

Nursery:
AM Mari-Jo Peerbolt, Nancy Oskam, Cora Boerman, Taryn DeJong

PM Amy Schutt, Leigh VanDussen, Felicity Venema, Lauren Boerman

Sound/Projection/Camera Operators: AM Matt VanderPloeg, Alden Lucas, Mitch Boerman

PM James Viel, Alden Lucas, Mitch Boerman

Children's Worship: Sara Boerman, Sydney Viel, Auggie Schutt

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - February 2, 2025

Accompanists: AM Sue Arendsen

PM Sue Arendsen

Rover/Radio: AM Mark DuBois Dan Sterk Steven VanAst

PM Joel Poortvliet Todd VandenHeuvel Mark DuBois

Ushers: AM & PM Alden Lucas (East), Curt Lucas (Center), Caleb Lucas/Knox Lucas (West)

Nursery: AM Nakisha DeJong, Barb Harmsen, Sarabiah Worley, Macie Schutt

PM Erica Oskam, Jan Klompmaker, Rebecca Boerman, Reese VandenBosch

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

 $PM \hspace{0.5cm} Jerry \hspace{0.1cm} Redder, Larry \hspace{0.1cm} Redder, Jackson \hspace{0.1cm} Busscher \hspace{0.1cm}$

Children's Worship: Sara Boerman, Nakisha DeJong, Thijs DuBois

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 - January 26 9:30 AM Morning W

9:30 AM Morning Worship Service 10:50 AM Sunday School/Catechism meets

4:30 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal - 'The Grove'

5:30 PM Evening Worship Service

January Series - Mr. Rylan Brue Children's Worship meets - Rm.#1 Story: 'Parable - The Great Pearl'

7:00 PM High School Youth Group Meets

Meal provided by Mike & Leigh VanDussen family

Monday - January 27

6:30 PM Cadet Snow Derby Practice 'til 8:30 PM

5:00 PM Executive Committee Meeting

7:00 PM Elders/Deacons Meetings

Tuesday - January 28

6:30 AM Elder Prayer Time

3:45 PM Worship Planning Meeting

Wednesday - January 29

6:30 PM Jr.Cadets/Cadets Outing

(Boys 2nd - 8th grades)

@ Upward Bound/No Cadet Shirts required

GEMS meet (Girls - 2nd - 8th grades)

Dads are welcome to join us!

Thursday - January 30

6:30 PM

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

7:00 PM Women's Event - 'The Grove'

Coffee & Hot Chocolate bar/Dessert buffet

Saturday - February 1

5:30 PM Youth Group Fundraiser Dinner

UPCOMING EVENTS

Feb. 2 Mission Update Presentation

Mr. Doug Cupery - Crossroads Prison Ministry

Feb. 2 Women's Bible Study

Feb. 2 January Series - PM Service

Rev. Tyler Wagenmaker

Feb. 2 High School Youth Group Meeting

Meal provided by Brian & Kathy Busscher family

Feb. 3 Cadet Snow Derby Practice - 6:30 PM

Feb. 4 Building & Grounds Committee Meeting

Feb. 4 IRBC Class - 7:00 PM - Fireside Room

CHURCH FAMILY

Dale VanderYacht would like to say "Thank You for the Poinsettia plant and the load of Christmas cards I received (including those with pictures!). I would also like to say Thank You for all the Birthday cards, phone calls, and wishes for my recent Birthday. Thank you to Pastor Dirk, the Elders and Deacons for all the visits. I am so very thankful to be remembered in these ways!"

AT HOME MEMBERS

Everdeane Bonnes lives at The Vines Senior Home in Elgin, Illinois.

(mail should be sent to her c/o Dwight Bonnes 11142 Shakespeare Avenue Westchester, IL 60154)

Ken VerBeek lives at Royal Atrium Inn in Zeeland.

(Royal Atrium Inn, 400 Parkside Drive, #109

Zeeland, MI 49464)

PRAYER CORNER



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

Betty Bos will be having a heart cath on Friday, Jan. 31. We pray that all will go well.

Dolores Bouwkamp has been diagnosed with pneumonia and has also come under the care of Hospice. We pray for her to be restored to health. We also pray for her children, including *Shawna Bouwkamp*, as they continue to care for their mother.

Dan & Beth DeJonge's new grandson, *Declan Asher*, born on January 5, is fighting RSV and is being treated at Helen DeVos Children's Hospital. We pray that he may be able to go home soon.

Ida Kamphuis underwent a vein graft in her arm this past Thursday. We pray that this will be useful as part of her kidney dialysis treatment.

Sarah Kass (daughter of Camille Kass) is a Senior at Michigan Tech and is making decisions regarding her future schooling and employment. We pray with Camille and for Sarah that Sarah may see the Lord's hand in her life.

Allyn & Betty Kroll would appreciate your continued prayers as *Betty* has more doctor appointments and tests coming in the future while she is enduring her second bout with cancer. We serve an awesome, faithful God!

Todd VandenHeuvel has been suffering from a low heart rate for some time and had a heart echo this past Thursday. We pray that this may reveal to doctors what the best course of treatment will be.

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

Stephan Hilbelink JoAnn Kiger
Cheryl Kroll Judy Mokma
Tim Meekhof Sarah Miedema
Kristin Sterk Paisley Worley

Council Member of Focus: Deacon Blake Rottschafer

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.

Advance Notice from the Mission Team: *Doug Cupery* from *Crossroads Prison Ministries* will be coming on February 2, to give us an update. Plan to come to *'The Grove'* during the Sunday School time.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

The February 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!

Adult Choir begins again this afternoon at 4:30 PM in 'The Grove'. Anyone high school age and up is invited to come and join us! Any questions, see **Danielle Hilbelink**.

Ladies: Come and enjoy a cozy evening with a coffee and hot chocolate bar and a dessert buffet. Does it get any better than that?!! Also, make and take a hot cocoa jar to enjoy later or to share with others. Thursday, Jan. 30. at 7:00 PM right here at church. Please RSVP at the 'Sign-up Station'.

Hunter Safety Course Information: For those taking the Online Hunter Safety Course, the Field Day that is needed to get your certificate will be held on Thursday, February 20, at North Street, from 5:00 – 9:00 PM. Your online work should be done by January 20 or before to qualify for the Field Day. Any questions, contact *Terry Boerman or Brent Leegwater*.

COUNCIL NEWS

Offering Schedule:

January 26: AM Hungry For Christ

PM North Street CAP (Christian Education Fund)

February 2: AM Crossroads Prison Ministry

PM One Way Ministries

The January Series will continue during this Evening's Worship Service. The theme for this year is 'Women in The Bible'.

Mr. Rylan Brue, will lead our Evening Service. Mr. Brue is a Senior Seminarian student at Calvin Seminary and was a summer intern at Borculo CRC this past summer We pray that the Lord will bless our time together.

Pastor Dirk will be leading the Evening Service at Beaverdam CRC.

Next week Sunday, February 2, we welcome *Rev. Tyler Wagenmaker*, pastor of Beaverdam CRC. The series will continue through February 9.