

April 19, 2026

(Services available on website northstreetcrc.org)

Morning Worship Service

9:30 AM

Message by Rev. Dirk Koetje

“God Justifies The Ungodly”

Romans 4:1-8

Evening Worship Service

5:30 PM

Message by Dr. Dan Kroeze

“A Story Of Grace”

Ephesians 2:1-10

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - April 19, 2026

Accompanists: AM Ruth Meekhof, Sue Arendsen
PM Ruth Meekhof, Derek Bostrom
Ministry of Music: AM Unity Christian High School Quartet; Amy Netz, Accompanist
Rover/Radio: AM Scott Hoek Brent Leegwater Curt Lucas
PM Larry Harmsen Allyn Arendsen Steven VanAst
Ushers: AM & PM Alden Lucas (East), Curt Lucas (Center), Caleb Lucas/Knox Lucas (West)
Nursery: AM Grace Hilbelink, Linda VanderPloeg, Andrew Boerman, Haley Poortvliet, Alli Peerbolt
PM Laura Visser, Briana Unema, Auggie Schut, Carson Koetje
Sound/Projection/Camera Operators: AM James Viel, Ron Oskam, Jackson Busscher
PM Martin Bostrom, Ron Oskam, Jackson Busscher
Children's Worship: PM Rachel Mast, Avery DeBoer, Taryn DeJong

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS - April 26, 2026

Accompanists: AM Kristi Boerman, Val Leegwater
PM Sue Arendsen, Jennifer Fortosis
Rover/Radio: AM Keith Boerman Scott Hoek Zach VandenHeuvel
PM Dan Sterk Josh VandenBosch Allyn Arendsen
Ushers: AM & PM Andrew Boerman (East), Mitchell Boerman (Center), Grant Boerman (West)
Nursery: AM Lisa Poortvliet, Ellie Bronkema, Addison Boersema, Andie Schutt, Lainey DeJong
PM Jan Klompmaker, Jennifer Fortosis, Maddie Weaver, Jade VandenBosch
Sound/Projection/Camera Operators: AM Todd VandenHeuvel, Sheryl VandenHeuvel, Tyler Bostrom
PM Todd VandenHeuvel, Sheryl VandenHeuvel, Tyler Bostrom
Children's Worship: PM Rachel Mast, Katie DeBoer, Tyler 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 - April 19

- 9:30 AM Morning Worship Service
10:45 AM Birthday Cake served in *The Grove*
11:00 AM Young Men's Group - *Council Room*
11:00 AM Medical Response Team Mtg/Fireside Room
5:30 PM Evening Worship Service
Dr. Dan Kroeze
Children's Worship meets - Rm.#1
Story: *Jesus Commissions The Disciples'*
7:00 PM High School Youth Group meets
Meal provided by Josh & Chelsea VandenBosch family

Tuesday - April 21

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

Thursday - April 23

- 6:30 AM Men's Bible Study - *Fireside Room*
7:00 PM Men's Slow Pitch Softball Game

Friday - April 24

- Cadet Heritage Council Campout
@ Cadet Campgrounds
Meet at campgrounds @ 6:30 PM Friday;
(eat supper at home)
Return home @2:00 PM Saturday

Saturday - April 25

- 1-3 PM 90th Birthday Open House
for Ted VandenBrink - @ North Street

UPCOMING EVENTS

- April 26 Profession of Faith - AM Service
Lydia Busscher
April 26 Profession of Faith - PM Service
Katelyn Raak, Sam Raak
April 26 High School Youth Group
Meal provided by Paul & Heather Mulder
April 27 Executive Committee Meeting
April 27 Elders/Deacons Meetings
April 30 Hand2Hand Workday

PRAYER CORNER

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

Everdeane Bonnes has had a pronounced decline in her health. Her family covets the prayers of the North Street congregation on Evie's behalf. She remains at her care facility in a weakened condition.

John Heuvelman has been admitted to Hospice Care and is now at Douglas Cove. We pray for John and his family in this difficult time.

Guatemala Mission Team arrived home safely early last week Sunday morning after a successful mission trip. The team was able to build a home for the Roca family and celebrated with them at their acceptance of Christ as their personal Savior during the home dedication. A shade structure was also built and benches were stained at Liberty Christian Academy. While several injuries were sustained throughout the week, we give thanks that none were life threatening. Thank you for your prayers and support of the team. *(The Mission Team members are Lincoln Boersema, Ryder Boersema, Emma Bos, Eric & Nakisha DeJong, Ezra DeJong, Taryn DeJong, Mike Geerlings, Stephan Hilbelink, Calvin Hilbelink, Garrett Hilbelink, Steven VanAst, Sheryl VandenHeuvel, Matt VanderPloeg, and Rick & Linda VanderPloeg.)*

Continue to pray for those who have cancer:

Terry Boerman Ron Lucas

North Street Ministry of Focus:

Men's Softball Team

Council Member of Focus:

Elder Ed Zylstra

FOCUS ON MISSIONS

Beautiful Gate provides care for babies and orphaned children in Lesotho, Africa. Their main emphasis has been on reaching children in crisis situations. More information is available at www.beautifulgatelesotho.org.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

This Morning we welcome the **Unity Christian High School Quartet**, accompanied by their pianist, **Amy Netz**. **Chase Clark** and **William Wierenga** are Seniors, **Alden Lucas** is a junior, and **Matthew Benes** is a Sophomore. We look forward to having them and their families worship with us!

CHURCH FAMILY

The Family of Joan Walcott invite you to celebrate Joan's 90th Birthday (March 31) with cake served in *The Grove* after the Morning Worship Service.

The Family of Ted VandenBrink invites the Congregation to a Birthday Open House to celebrate Ted's 90th Birthday. The Open House will be held on Saturday, April 25, from 1:00-3:00 PM at North Street.

A Grocery Shower is taking place for **Matt Meekhof and Makenna Hoekstra** who are looking forward to their wedding on Friday, May 1. Gifts can be placed in the grocery cart in the Narthex until Sunday, May 3.



Anna Meppelink would like to "Thank the Congregation for the Easter Lily, for all the cards, words of wisdom, and flowers at Christmas time. Apologies for the lateness of this sincere and heartfelt Thanks to everyone!"

AT HOME MEMBERS

Wilma Busscher lives at Royal Atrium Inn in Zeeland. Wilma will celebrate her 99th Birthday on Monday, April 20!
(400 Parkside Drive, Rm.#224, Zeeland)

Ted VandenBrink lives at American House in Holland. Ted will celebrate his 90th Birthday on Thurs., April 23!
(Beachside Manor - Rm.#C-15,
11821 James Street, Holland, 49424)

Happy Birthday



Wilma Busscher
99 on April 20

Ted VandenBrink
90 on April 23

Betty Bos
80 on April 25

COUNCIL NEWS

Offering Schedule:

April 19: AM North Street CAP
PM Liberty Christian Academy
(Guatemala)

April 26: AM Beautiful Gate (Lesotho Africa)
PM Doors of Hope

This Evening we welcome Dr. Dan Kroeze to lead our Worship Service. Dr. Kroeze is a Professor of Biblical Studies at Kuyper College. He teaches courses in both Old and New Testament, equipping students for ministry vocations to engage God's world with the good news of the gospel. Dr. Kroeze also currently serves as the Teaching Pastor at Westend CRC in Grand Rapids.

The North Street CRC Council invites the Congregation to join them in thanking all those who have contributed to the Educational Programs of the church this past year. We give thanks to God for *Children's Worship Leaders, Sunday School and Catechism Teachers, Cadet and GEMS Counselors, Youth Group Leaders, Young Men's, Women's, and Men's Bible Study Group Leaders*. We recognize all the hours of preparation, prayer and leading, and want to say 'Thank You'.

At the April 13 Council Meeting, a voting change for Elders and Deacons was approved. This adjusts the Lot Drawing of names from three of five, to three of four Elders and Deacons with the most votes by the Congregation.

LOCAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Annual Community Meal at Borculo Christian School will take place on Friday, May 8 from 4 to 6 PM. This year the entire meal has been generously donated (chicken or hot dog, roll, potato salad, taco salad, ice cream). While the meal is free, donation buckets will be available on the tables for those who would like to contribute. This event is dedicated to our BCS family community, with all proceeds going directly toward supporting families with tuition assistance. We are asking everyone to please call the school office (616.875.8152) by Friday, April 24, to participate in this meal.



April 19, 2026
Morning Worship Service

Scripture Meditation
Romans 4:5
Prelude
Ministry of Music
Unity Christian High Quartet
'Forever King'
Welcome
Call to Worship
Opening Prayer
Opening Hymn
'Goodness Of God'
*God's Greeting
*Response - "Amen!"
*Mutual Greeting

Confession of Sin
Assurance of Pardon
God's Law
*Hymn
'This Is Our God'
Congregational Prayer
Offering
General Fund
North Street CAP
Offertory/Ministry of Music
Unity Christian High Quartet
'Like A River In My Soul'

*Hymn - vs. 1&4
'Every Promise'
Prayer of Illumination
Scripture
Sermon
Applicatory Prayer
*Hymn - vs. 1-4
'May The Peoples Praise You'

*God's Parting Blessing
*Response - "Amen!"
*Hymn - vs. 5
'May The Peoples Praise You'
*Moment of Silent Prayer
& Reflection
*Postlude

**Please stand if you are able*

April 19, 2026
Evening Worship Service

Scripture Meditation
Ephesians 2:8
Prelude
Welcome
Call to Worship
Opening Prayer
*Opening Hymn -vs. 1-3
'Christus Victor'
*God's Greeting
*Response - "Amen!"

*Expression of Faith
Heidelberg Catechism
Lord's Day #7; Q&A #21
*Hymn - vs. 1&2
'I Will Sing Of My Redeemer'
Congregational Prayer
Offering & Offertory
Liberty Christian Academy
(in Guatemala)

Children's Worship Dismissal
(ages 3 through First Grade)

*Hymn - vs. 1-3
'Turn Your Eyes'
Prayer of Illumination
Scripture
Sermon
Applicatory Prayer
*Hymn - vs. 1,2,4,5
'Amazing Grace -
How Sweet The Sound'

*God's Parting Blessing
*Response - "Amen!"
*Closing Hymn - once
'To God Be The Glory'
*Moment of Silent Prayer
& Reflection
*Postlude

**Please stand if you are able*