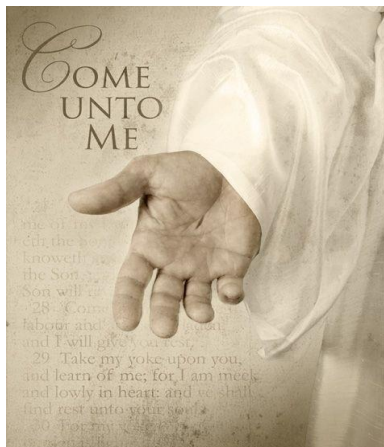


Welcome to

VOGEL CENTER CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

“A body of believers dedicated to worshipping, reaching out, and serving in the name of Christ Jesus.”



“Come to Me”

Matthew 11:20-30

Morning Worship @ 10:00 AM

Sunday School & Catechism – 11:15 AM

Refreshments and fellowship following the service.



“Let Us Return”

Hosea 6:1-3

Evening Worship @ 6:00 PM

Pastor Adam Barton

April 28, 2024

Order of Worship – 10:00 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome

Announcements

Invocation

*Mutual Greeting

*Call to Worship – Philippians 4:4-7

*Opening Praise

- “10,000 Reasons”
- “Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)”

GEMS & Cadet Presentation

Morning Prayer

Baptism of Della Jane DeZeeuw

Offertory

Offerings for General Fund and GEMS

Children’s Worship – Children ages 3-5 leave when “Jesus Loves Me” is played

*Song – “Breathe on Me, Breath of God”

Scripture – Matthew 11:20-30

Message – “Come to Me”

Message Prayer

*Song of Response – “Just as I Am”

*God’s Blessing

*Doxology – “Our God Reigns”

Postlude

Pastor: Adam Barton

Accompanist: Molly Nienhuis

Praise Team: GEMS girls, Keith & Carol Buning, Marv Quist

Serving This Week – April 28

Pastor: Adam Barton

Accompanist: Molly Nienhuis

Sound Booth: Phil Hoekwater, Brian Hoekwater

Offerings: General Ministries & GEMS

Nursery: Sara Quist, Megan DeZeeuw, Katlyn England, Lori Gernaat

Greeters: GEMS & Cadets

Coffee Prep: Jim & Kim Winkel

Coffee Hosts: GEMS & Cadets

Children's Worship: Danielle Hoekstra, Sandy Lutke, Aylah Winkel

PM Offering: Crossroads Christian Fellowship

Serving Next Week – May 5

Pastor: Adam Barton

Accompanist: Sally Westmaas

Sound Booth: Dan Hoekstra, Zeb Broersma

Offerings: General Ministries & Many People's Church

Nursery: Kristen Hughston, Tessa Hughston, Willa DeZeeuw, Cheyenne Zuiderveen

Greeters: Daryl & Sara Huttenga, Jason & Kerry Hoekwater

Coffee Prep: Lyn & Dawn Zuiderveen

Coffee Hosts: Lyn & Dawn Zuiderveen, Brad & Lori Gernaat

Children's Worship: Heather Haverkamp, Kenda Gernaat, Kaylie Gernaat

PRAISES & PRAYERS

Thanks

The Berkompas family wishes to thank their church family for the prayers and concerns shown to them during George's hospitalization. Thank you to Pastor Adam for coming to pray with us and to be there with us at the time of his death and to each person who made the funeral special.

Health Concerns

Betsy Diemer had hernia surgery on Wednesday. Pray for a great recovery.

Ron Bazuin had another right knee replacement revision. Pray that it will heal correctly, and he will have relief from pain.

Lois Winkel continues to do well. Pray for restored mobility as she has therapy.

Lois Westdorp is at Samaritas in Cadillac for rehab. Pray for good pain control and healing.

Shelly Jenema as she continues to heal from her injuries.

PRAYER LIST

Health & Healing

Lois Westdorp

Lois Winkel

Shelly Jenema

Deanna Lucas

Carol Hoekwater

Ron Bazuin

Gordon Weatherall

Jack VanDrie

Gerry & Freda Velzen

Maranda Koopman

Larry Zuiderveen

Military

Jessica Campbell & family

Ethan & Emma Barton

All servicemen & women

Homebound & Elderly

Al DeBoer

Marleen Heuker

Lisa Proctor

Vivian Reinink

Lois Westdorp

Senior saints at home

Missionaries

Josh & Mandy Shaarda family

Many People's Church

Matt & Emily Slack family

Crossroads Chr. Fellowship

Emily DeRuiter with Cru

Mourning

John Euwema family

George Berkompas family

All who are missing loved ones

Congratulations

Congratulations to Kevin and Angie (Roby) Heuker who were married on Tuesday, May 16. May God bless their lives together! Gifts to help them celebrate may be dropped off in the narthex.

Church Announcements

Today, Sunday, April 28

- ✓ **10:00 AM worship** – Welcome to worship in person or livestreamed on the church Facebook page, celebrating the baptism of Della Jane DeZeeuw, infant daughter of Seth and Megan.
- ✓ **Nursery** is available as well as the “Quiet” bags.
- ✓ **Children’s Worship** – Children ages 3-5 leave when “Jesus Loves Me” is played. *Lesson – “Zacchaeus”*
- ✓ **Sunday School & Catechism** – 11:15am Lesson – *Group event-end of year activities*
- ✓ **GEMS & Cadets** – 4:30-6:00PM
- ✓ **VIBE Middle School & Integrate Youth Group** – 6:00-8:00pm – United Night of Worship @ McBain School
- ✓ **Evening Worship** – 6:00pm – *Message – “Let Us Return”*

Thursday, May 2

- ✓ **English Language Classes** – 5:00-7:00PM

Next Sunday, May 5

- ✓ **Integrate Youth Group & Graduation Sunday** – 10 am worship

Costa Rica Mission Trip

Do you feel God calling you to do a mission trip? Maybe it's helping someone local or maybe it's international. Join us on **April 28th @ 3 pm** for an informational meeting about a mission trip in La Fortuna Costa Rica 2025! We will be putting together a team for a February trip. If you are unable to attend but would like additional information, please contact Amy Rice at 231.667.4559

United Night of Worship

A night of worship for junior high and high school students and their leaders will be held on Sunday, **April 28** from 6:00-8:00pm at McBain Rural Agricultural School.

Middle School students – Please plan to meet at the school this evening!

National Day of Prayer – Lake City

The National Day of Prayer in 2024 is a significant occasion for collective prayer and reflection. The theme for this year is “Lift Up the Word - Light Up the World,” inspired by 2 Samuel 22:29-31 which praises God as both a lamp and a shield. Let us unite in faith and prayer, seeking light in the midst of darkness. In Lake City, **Thursday, May 2, at noon**, many area pastors and Christians will band together to pray for our community at the flagpole outside of the county courthouse. Everyone is invited. All are welcome.

National Day of Prayer

Calvin CRC is hosting a National Day of Prayer service for our community. The service will be on Thursday, **May 2 at 7:00pm**. Come and pray for our nation and community.

Senior Fellowship

Senior Fellowship will not be meeting in May. The next meeting will be on Wednesday, June 12.

Graduation Sunday – May 5

If you have a graduate to celebrate (high school, college, trade school, etc.), please contact the office **ASAP** so we can honor them in our Graduation Sunday on May 5. Thank you!

Faith Formation Family Tip

Kids Corner: Push Pause - Check out this week’s kids’ devotion at www.kidscorner.net. Rest can take many forms. As long as we slow down, pay attention, and enjoy God’s blessings, we receive the benefits of rest. Try it! Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net, like The Spring Scavenger Hunt, and go for a hike!

Watershed CRC in Traverse City

The council is looking for a family or families to go to worship with the Watershed CRC congregation in Traverse City. Our assigned month for visits is May. If you are interested or for more information, please talk to Pastor Adam.

S.P.U.R.S Event

“Learning the Rodeo Way!” S.P.U.R.S (Special People Understanding Rodeo Skills) for disabled persons of all ages will be held on **Saturday, May 4, 2024** at Hughston’s Cow Camp from 12:30-3:00pm. This is a FREE event! Participants must be accompanied by an attendant. For more details, see the poster in the narthex.

Focus on Life Dinner

Wexford-Missaukee Right to Life will be holding their annual "Focus on Life" dinner on **May 6** at Northland Community Church. Doors open at 5pm, dinner at 6pm. Tickets are \$25.00 and available from Ray Hoekwater (878-8329)

AMEN Chorus Concert

The AMEN Chorus will be presenting a program on **Sunday, May 12** at 3:00 at the United Methodist Church in Cadillac. We invite you to join us for this time of fellowship and praise.

NMCS Announcements

SPRING ENROLLMENT SEASON: Northern Michigan Christian School in McBain is NOW ENROLLING preschool through high school students for next school year. Schedule a tour today and learn more by calling 231-825-2492 or by visiting our updated website at nmcs.us. Discover the NMCS difference today! Challenging minds, nurturing hearts, and developing gifts through our Christ-centered education initiatives. Through our biblical focus, we are able to teach truth. Scholarships and discounts are available. Transportation to and from Cadillac, Ewart, Marion, and Lake City is provided.

COMET OPEN JUNE 22: NMCS is hosting our annual golf outing on **June 22** at the Missaukee Golf Club. Register your team of 4 online at nmcs.us and enjoy a day of golf, fellowship, prizes, and a provided lunch. Proceeds benefit NMCS students directly through tuition assistance.

Missaukee Area Food Pantries

***There is free food available for families who are in need. **Rehoboth Ref. Church (every Thursday), Good Neighbor Food Pantry at Evangelical Presbyterian Church in Lake City (1st & 3rd Thursdays), or Prosper CRC (every other Thursday)**

VOGEL CENTER CRC COUNCIL OFFICERS

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Alternate – Phil Hoekwater

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V-Z Phil Hoekwater/Austin Lucas

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Church Office Hours – Tues. – Friday

8:30 am – 1:00 pm

Bulletin information by Thurs. at 1:00 pm

Pastor's Church Office Hours & Prayer Requests

Tuesday and Thursday mornings – 10:00AM – 12:00PM

Wednesday afternoons – 12:00PM – 1:30PM

Pastor Adam can be reached at (231) 825-2038 or (616) 566-7937 for prayer requests and other concerns. District elders can also be called for prayer requests and other items of concern.