

Welcome to

VOGEL CENTER CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

"A body of believers dedicated to worshiping, reaching out, and serving in the name of Christ Jesus."



"Love Hurts"
John 21

Morning Worship @ 10:00 AM
Children's Worship – during AM worship
Sunday School & Catechism @ 11:15 AM

Refreshments and fellowship following the service.

Guest Pastor John Hoekwater
November 2, 2025

Order of Worship – 10:00 a.m.

Prelude

Welcome

Announcements

Invocation

*Mutual Greeting

*Call to Worship – Philippians 1:3-6

*Opening Praise

- "Praise to the Lord the Almighty"
- "10,000 Reasons"

Morning Prayer

Offertory

Offerings for General Fund and Raise Up Global

Children's Worship – Children ages 3-5 leave when "Jesus Loves Me" is played

*Songs – "Be Thou My Vision"

Scripture – John 21 – Readers' Theater

Message – "Love Hurts"

Message Prayer

*Song of Response – "In Christ Alone"

*God's Blessing

*Doxology – "Praise God from Whom All Blessing Flow"

Postlude

Guest Pastor: John Hoekwater

Accompanist: Lorraine Rozeveld

Praise Team: Danielle Hoekstra, Larry & Karen Westmaas

PRAISES & PRAYERS

Sympathy

We express our sympathy to Karl Mosher and his family and friends in the passing of Jodi. May God comfort them and give them His peace.

Health Concerns

Kimber Westmaas – Pray for healing in her broken wrist and for restored mobility.

Kim Winkel – Pray for a great recovery from the hip replacement surgery.

Tom Koetje – Pray for continued recovery from pneumonia..

Amber Herlein – Pray for continuing peace and energy as she continues with her cancer journey and treatments.

Pastor Jon Kostelyk – Pray for him, his wife Arla and the Rudyard church as they continue to walk his cancer journey.

Colter Bailey – Colter Bailey is slowly gaining after his stem-cell transplant a little over a week ago. It has been a little rough. Please pray that things keep moving forward in the right direction, specifically for his blood counts to keep improving.

Amanda Barton – Pastor Adam and Amanda wish to thank the Vogel Center Church family for all the prayers and encouragement. We have felt it in the cards, gifts and affirmations during Pastor-appreciation month, but especially this year in the prayers for Amanda's health journey. Here is an update:

* Amanda completed six months of chemotherapy in October. She still has 18 more weeks of immunotherapy, but we are hoping for no more chemo.

* We are grateful that her most recent MRI shows that chemo was effective in reducing the tumors and helping her lymph nodes remain cancer-free

* She had two outpatient procedures this past week. One was preventive to avoid future cancers. The other was to remove her port in preparation for the next surgery.

* The most significant surgery has been scheduled for November 11. Please pray that it goes well and without complications, and also that the pathology report shows no sign of cancer.

* We also pray that she stays healthy this fall and winter as her immune system needs to recover and even a cough or cold can complicate surgery and recovery.

Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive

Reminder food cards can be found in the narthex for Community Hope's Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive. Prosper CRC is currently serving 60-65 families from their food pantry each pick-up day. Feel free to pick up some cards and help bless others Thanksgiving again this year.

Serving This Week – November 2

Guest Pastor: John Hoekwater

Accompanist: Lorraine Rozeveld

Sound Booth: Dan Hoekstra, Zeb Broersma

Offerings: General Ministries & Raise Up Global

Nursery: Jacie VandePol, Emily & Myra Hoekwater, Holly Schaafsma

Greeters: Ted & Bobbie Heuker, Kyle & Kathleen Heuker

Coffee Prep: Joe & Carrie Rozeveld

Coffee Hosts: Elaine & Freda Diemer, David & Carie Mendoza

Children's Worship: Molly Tohm, Rob Cnossen, Marley Martz

Serving Next Week – November 9

Pastor: Adam Barton

Accompanist: Sally Westmaas

Sound Booth: Seth DeZeeuw, Chris Martz

Offerings: General Ministries & VC New Building Addition Fund

Nursery: Kaylee Lucas, Danielle & Josiah Hoekstra, Lori Gernaat

Greeters: Den & Renee Kill Ellens, Bill & Tammy Heuker

Coffee Prep: Joe & Carrie Rozeveld

Coffee Hosts: Jerry & Teresa Quist, Jerry & Donna Quist

Children's Worship: Heather Haverkamp, Sandy Lutke, Reese Haverkamp

PM Offering: Crossroads Christian Fellowship

Church Announcements

Today, Sunday, November 2

- ✓ **10:00 AM worship** – Welcome to worship in person or livestreamed on the church Facebook page. A special welcome to Pastor John Hoekwater who is leading us in worship today.
- ✓ **Nursery** is available as well as the “Quiet” bags.
- ✓ **Children’s Worship** – Children 3-5 leave for children’s worship when “Jesus Loves Me” is played during the worship service. *Lesson – “Moses: Exodus – God is Powerful!”*
- ✓ **Sunday School** – Classes begin at 11:15am for children in grades Pre-K through 6. *Lesson – “The Rich Fool”*
- ✓ **Catechism** – Class for grades 7&8, beginning immediately after worship for snacks and lesson.
- ✓ **VIBE Middle School Group & Integrate Youth Group** – 6:00-8:00PM @ McBain School Auditorium for United Night of Worship . **Integrate kids- please plan on your own rides there and back home. VIBE students – contact your leaders if you need a ride.**

Thursday, November 6

- ✓ **Ladies’ Bible Study** – 1:30pm - *Lesson 4*
- ✓ **ESL Classes** – 5:00-7:00PM

Saturday, November 8

- ✓ **Grief Share - Surviving the Holidays** – 9:00-11:00AM

Next Wednesday, November 12

- ✓ **Senior Fellowship** – Thanksgiving potluck @ 12:30PM

Kids’ Winter Wear Drive

If you are interested in helping the little people of our area this winter we are collecting new winter wear again this year, please see or contact Dawn Zuiderveen.

Freezer Meal Prep/Fellowship Time

Ladies, you are invited to join in on a time of freezer meal prep and fellowship to cook and prep meals for our freezer meal ministry. It’s happening on **Saturday, Nov. 8 from 8:00am-noon** in the church kitchen. If you are interested and for more information, please contact Sandy Quist (231) 920-7027.

Senior Fellowship

Senior Fellowship will get together on November 12th at 12:30. We will enjoy fellowship, fun and food at our Thanksgiving potluck. Come and join us

Cadets Deer Blind Silent Auction

The deer blind was hand built by our Cadet cadre as a fundraiser to help fund Cadet activities throughout the year. There will be a silent auction sheet in the narthex until Nov. 9th. If anyone has questions, call Collin Schaafsma (616)644-7550.

Monday Morning Ladies’ Bible Study

Nursery Help is needed: If you would be willing to help out a couple times this year in watching our little ones so our moms can attend Bible study, it would be much appreciated. There is a sign-up sheet in the back of church or call Kim 231-920-7752.

Faith Formation Family Tip

Kids’ Corner Devotion: Praying with Our Whole Selves - Check out this week’s kids’ devotion, “Praying with Our Whole Selves” at www.kidscorner.net. There are so many fun and special ways to talk to God—like dancing, clapping, kneeling, or folding your hands. You can worship God with your whole body through quiet prayers, joyful songs, kind actions, and big movements! Check out all the great content at kidscorner.net, like the KC video series, “Kids in Action”, telling stories of kids who serve God right now!

Surviving the Holidays GriefShare

"GriefShare-Because is a hard journey and you don't have to travel alone. Vogel Center CRC is hosting a grief support group again this year. If you or someone you know would benefit, please join us or contact the church office for more information.

Surviving the Holidays: One day, Saturday, November 8. 9:00 – 11:00

GriefShare: A thirteen-week journey starting in the new year. Saturdays 9:00 – 10:30 beginning January 3, 2026."

Project Christmas 2025

Project Christmas will take place on December 13 at the Wex in Cadillac. Registration dates are November 3 through December 5. For more information and contact information, please see the flyer that is posted on the mirror in the narthex.

Hunters' Chili & Soup Supper

Hunters Chili & Soup Supper! Join us on **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 15TH** from 5 PM – 8 PM at Rehoboth Reformed Church (8372 S. Lucas Rd, McBain). Everyone is welcome, not just hunters! We will be serving: chili, soups, bread, salad, dessert, with coffee and beverages. There will also be a bake sale, which will include pies, cookies, breads and various snacks. Donations will be accepted. Proceeds go to local families or individuals going through cancer or any life-changing situations or anything where they need our love and help financially. Our charities are: Pillows & Prayers & Beautiful Me Hair Studio (wigs for cancer patients)

Christmas Worship Extravaganza

Christmas Worship Extravaganza: Friday, December 5, and Saturday, December 6, 7pm: Lake City CRC is hosting in its 4th year the Christmas Worship Extravaganza! Over 59 musicians from local churches and communities coming together worship this holiday season. Plan now to be a part of this special evening.

World Renew Gift Catalog

"As we enter the Thanksgiving and Christmas seasons, World Renew's Gift Catalog offers a meaningful way to share Christ's love with those in need. From a goat to disaster recovery supplies, each gift brings hope and lasting change for families around the world. Explore the catalog at worldrenew.net/gift-catalog."

Missaukee Area Food Pantries

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

PRAYER LIST

Health & Healing

Kim Winkel
Tom Koetje
Amanda Barton
Colter Bailey
Amber Herlein
Pastor Jon Kostelyk
Jack VanDrie
Maranda Koopman

Mourning

All who are recently grieving
Those who are missing loved ones

Homebound & Elderly

Jerry Boven
Al DeBoer
Marleen Heuker
Senior saints at home
Military
Ethan Barton
Jack & Emma (Barton) Rose
All service men & women

Missionaries

Matt & Emily Slack family
Crossroads Chr. Fellowship
Emily DeRuiter with Cru
Josh & Mandy Shaarda family
Many People's Church

VOGEL CENTER CRC COUNCIL OFFICERS

President – Phil Hoekwater
Vice-president – Al Westmaas
Alternate – Marv Bode
Clerk – Den Agema
Chair of Deacons – Jon Lutke
Secretary of Deacons – Kenda Gernaat
Treasurer- Tony Peterson

VOGEL CENTER COUNCIL MEMBERS

Elders – Den Agema, Phil Hoekwater, Larry Westmaas
Marv Bode, Dave Haverkamp, Al Westmaas
Deacons - Kenda Gernaat, Jon Lutke, Jerry Quist
Jared Huttenga, Jim Nienhuis, Tony Peterson

District Elders/Deacons

A-C Al Westmaas/Jon Lutke
D-Hoekstra Marv Bode/Jerry Quist
Hoekwater – K Den Agema/Tony Peterson
L-P Larry Westmaas/Kenda Gernaat
Q-T Dave Haverkamp/Jim Nienhuis
V-Z Phil Hoekwater/Jared Huttenga
Marquette – Andy Liimata

Church Contact Information

Church address – 1789 E. Stoney Corners Rd.
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Church website – www.vogelcentercrc.org
Church email – vccrc@outlook.com
Church office – (231) 825-2053
Church Office Hours – 8:30 am – 1:00 pm
on Tuesday & Thursday
Bulletin information due by Thurs. 9:00AM

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 (616) 566-7937 for prayer requests and other concerns. District elders can also be called for prayer requests and other items of concern.