



CADILLAC CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

March 1, 2026

10 a.m. Worship Service

Mission Statement

We celebrate, show and share God's transforming grace.

Vision Statement

We will see Christ bring healing, wholeness, and growth as individuals, in community.

WELCOME

Welcome to Cadillac CRC! We are so glad you've joined us this morning. Opposition grows. Pressure mounts. The apostles are threatened, arrested, and punished. And yet the message of Jesus continues to move forward. This Sunday in Acts 5:12-42, we will see how God strengthens His people under pressure and deepens their obedience through trial. We invite you to join us as we explore what it means to remain faithful when faithfulness is not easy. Please join us immediately following the service for a time of fellowship.

WORSHIP

Sunday 10 AM

Pastor Mark Janowski

Scripture: Acts 5:12-42

Sermon: "Unstoppable Witness"

OUR GIFTS

Our tithes and offerings are for the General Fund of CCRC with an additional special offering designation each week. Please use an envelope, indicating the allocation of your offering on the envelope. Undesignated gifts go to the General Fund. Please give at www.cadcrc.org/give, drop your offering in the plate on Sunday, or mail your gift to Cadillac CRC, P.O. Box 187, Cadillac, MI 49601.

Our Special Offering today is for World Renew. World Renew is a relief, development, and educational ministry. It responds on your behalf to the needs of people who suffer from poverty, hunger, disaster, and injustice. Your donations help communities around the world reap the benefits of World Renew's efforts.

Next week our special designated offering is for the Mississippi Mission Trip. This annual trip began in 1986. It continues each year introducing hundreds of young people from our area to mission work while improving the living conditions for many in Mississippi. Your gifts help provide building materials and the necessary supplies for the trip. What a blessing it is to see that several of our youth have returned from this trip with an interest in missions and seminary. We are making a difference both in Mississippi and in the lives of our youth.

BIBLE VERSE OF THE WEEK

May your unfailing love be my comfort, according to your promise to your servant.

Psalm 119:76

CCRC PRAYER REQUESTS AND PRAISES

Please pray for Tasha Strait as her son Apollo Helsel passed away on Friday, February 20. Please also keep Apollo's wife Elisha, daughters Anaiah and Eden, and their loved ones in your prayers as they grieve this loss and rest in the Lord's comfort.

Pray for Glen VanAntwerp. Glen and his doctors have explored all options for treatment of his recurring cancer. They have settled on chemotherapy as the most effective alternative. Please pray that the next steps will fall into place quickly and that the treatment will be effective.

Please continue to pray for Lawson Wistinghausen with his fight with cancer. Thank you for your continuous prayers, they are needed more than ever! Lawson's scans showed growth and more spots instead of showing the improvement that we have been praying for. We are blessed to have amazing doctor's that are not giving up on him. Tuesday he went for radiation simulation on spots 12 and 13 and hopefully starting radiation by the end of the week. We are looking at being part of a trail which requires that he off one of the meds for four weeks and out of radiation for 2 weeks. Which means trying to get the radiation done quickly and safely. Please continue to pray for Lawson's healing and pain relief.

Pray for Tony Tonello as he is being treated for cancer. Pray that the treatments are effective.

Pray for Beth Mulder. Beth fell on ice and broke her patella. She had surgery on Tuesday and all went well. Pray for a swift and complete recovery for Beth.

Pray for Rob Marlink, Jacqueline Austin's Dad, who underwent double lung replacement earlier this month. Rob is doing well but please continue to pray as he recovers.

Pray for our Faith Promise Missionaries. Josh & Mandy Shaarda, Joel & Tatjana White, George & Sarah deVuyst, Matthew & Emily Slack.

Please remember those with on going concerns: Chris Boven (Dave & Kathy's son), Mary Bretschneider, Dave Ellens, Karen Ferris, Brenda Hamacher, Jim Jones, The Klimp family, Lois Martin, Judy Nydam, Mel Robinson, Phil & Sandy Stark, Lori Snyder, Teresa VanHouten, Jean Webster, Lawson Wistinghausen, Sandi Wistinghausen.



Wednesday: Steve Hoekwater

Friday: Dianne Snyder

Saturday: Dave VanHaitsma

OUR ANNOUNCEMENTS AND MINISTRIES

Sunday School resumes today, March 1.

Nursery/Sunday School Check-in and Pick Up: Parents are asked to check-in Nursery and Sunday School children at the check-in center before the service begins. The K-5 children will be dismissed from the worship service for class time following the sermon and can be picked up from their classroom at 11:45 a.m. Parents may pick up their Nursery children after the service from the nursery.

Catechism will meet today in the Root Cellar.

The Women's Book Discussion Group meets at Big Boy Restaurant on Mondays at 8:30 a.m. We are discussing "Jesus Through Middle Eastern Eyes" by Kenneth E Bailey. All women are invited and welcome to join us!

Women's Community Bible Study is meeting in the Fellowship Room on Tuesday morning at 9:45 a.m. All women are always welcome.

The Wednesday Morning Men's Fellowship Group meets in Big Boy's back room at 7 a.m. Come join us for a great discussion. The group is discussing "Jesus Through Middle Eastern Eyes" by Kenneth Bailey.

New Beginning Weight Management Class meets from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. on Wednesdays in the CCRC Fellowship Room. New Beginning is an organization for women of any age from our community who are interested in good nutrition, good friends and maintain a healthy weight. Questions? Contact Berniece Verbrugge.

Watch and Pray will not meet this week.

Getting ready for Summer? Our community garden team requests help in redoing the sign by the road - we will gladly buy supplies if someone is willing to design and paint an eye catching sign. If interested, please see Marcia VanderPlas.

New Bible Study: *Worship Matters: Leading others to Encounter the Greatness of God* is a book and Bible study to help us encounter God and cultivate our faith as we worship and lead worship. Led by Shelly Jenema, each session will include reading from the book, a weekly video, and group discussion. We will meet Thursdays from 6 to 7 p.m. in the Fellowship Room, beginning March 12. Sign up today at the Welcome Center!

Prayer Partner Relaunch: We are restarting our Prayer Partner ministry and inviting those with a heart for prayer to serve! Prayer partners will join the Elder of the Day each Sunday immediately after the worship service and be available at the front of the sanctuary to pray with anyone who comes forward. If you feel called to this ministry of encouragement and intercession, we would love to have you participate. Please sign up at the Welcome Center..

Building and Grounds Committee Relaunch: Do you enjoy building things, fixing things, or maybe even yard work—but prefer to keep meetings to a minimum? We have just the ministry for you! We're re-forming our Building and Grounds Committee and looking for volunteers to help maintain and improve our church home (with only the occasional planning meeting). No special skills required—although Pastor Mark does consider plumbers to be superheroes—just a servant's heart and a readiness to lend a hand. If you're interested in serving in this practical and important ministry, please sign up at the Welcome Center.

REQUESTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

Mississippi Trip 2026: The Mississippi Trip will be March 27-April 4, 2026. We are planning our area church youth and adult mission trip to Port Gibson, Mississippi. The vision of this trip involves stewardship and loving others through Christ. As adult leaders and youth participants, we strive to encourage one another in our walk of faith, grow closer to God, and serve wholeheartedly with Christian Volunteer Services to address the physical and spiritual needs of any of God's people we encounter. The total cost of this year's trip is \$125. If interested, please contact Dennis Anderson or Ross Vrieze. Youth and Adult application forms are available from Dennis.

CAMA: Our next Wednesday Lenten Gathering will be on March 4 at noon at Zion Lutheran Church on Pearl Street. Pastor John Martek will be our speaker. Come on along for a Great Soup Lunch, some wonderful singing and an inspirational message.

Thrive Faith Formation Tip: Right before his forty days in the wilderness, Jesus presented himself for baptism. When John objected, Jesus said, "It is proper for us to do this to fulfill all righteousness" (Matt. 3:15). We administer baptism—a sign of dying and rising—to mark the beginning of every new life in Christ. Sometime this week, dip your finger in water and reflect on these words often declared during baptisms: "You are sealed with the Holy Spirit and marked as Christ's own." Brought to you by Thrive: crcna.org/Thrive

Special Offering Schedule

March 1	World Renew
March 8	Mississippi Trip
March 15	New Hope Center
March 22	Benevolence

Recent Special Offering

February 1	Resonate World Missions	\$245.00
February 8	Love INC	\$510.00
February 15	Friendship Bible Club	\$355.00
February 22	Benevolence	\$ 75.00

SCHEDULE OF THE WEEK MARCH 1-7

SUNDAY

10:00 A.M. WORSHIP

Or join live stream worship at:

<https://shorturl.at/aotE4>

MONDAY

8:30 A.M. WOMEN'S BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP at Big Boy

TUESDAY

9:00 A.M. CLASSIS NORTHERN MICHIGAN meets at CCRC

9:45 A.M. WOMEN'S COMMUNITY BIBLE STUDY in Fellowship Room

WEDNESDAY

7:00 A.M. MEN'S BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP at BIG BOY

10:00A.M. NEW BEGIINING in the Fellowship Room

THURSDAY

7:00 P.M. PRAISE TEAM REHEARSAL

FIRDAY

10:00 A.M. VISITATION

11:00 A.M. CELEBRATION OF LIFE SERVICE FOR APOLLO HELSEL

Pastor Mark Office Hours

Monday – Thursday 8:30-3:30

Church Office Hours

Tuesday– Thursday 9 a.m.-4:30p.m

Bulletin Deadline: Wednesday at 5 p.m.

Serving This Week—March 1

Pastor Mark Janowski
Elder of the day: Mark Kerkstra
Deacon of the month: Tony Tonello
Projection: Lucinda Rathbun
Camera: Kyle Williams
Sound: Doug Schmittling
Nursery: Katy Williams, Diana VanAntwerp
Greeters: Dave & Kathy Boven
Coffee Prep: Bev Butterworth
Refreshments: Tony & Sue Tonello
Monitor: Dave Boven

Serving Next Week—March 8

Pastor Mark Janowski
Elder of the day: Lori Lierman
Deacon of the month: Tony Tonello
Projection: Lisa Jacobson
Camera: Adam Austin
Sound: Brian Brinks
Nursery: Gloria VanderVelde, Cheryl Kerkstra
Greeters: Dave & Sharon Pickel
Coffee Prep: Kathy Boven
Refreshments: Mark & Linda Benthem
Monitor: Dave Boven

CCRC Shepherding Groups and Council-Core Value Responsibilities 2025-26

Elder

Mark Kerkstra Elder Clerk/Restoration
Suzanne Breithaupt Council Clerk/ Fellowship
Berniece Verbrugge Elder Chair/LT/Discipleship
Lori Lierman Worship
Ron Klimp Council Chair/LT/Outreach

Deacon

Dennis Anderson Treasurer
Tony Tonello Chair
Kathy Lawie Correspondence
Mark Mogan Clerk
Elaine Sterkenburg Offering

Section

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