



CADILLAC

CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

October 18, 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.

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Pastor Mark Janowski

Welcome to Cadillac CRC!

Welcome to Cadillac CRC! Today we begin a new sermon series, “Parables: The King and His Kingdom!” Through the parables, we'll discover what Jesus reveals about His Kingdom and what it means to live under His reign. Our series begins with "The Parable of the Sower" (Matthew 13:1–23), as we consider why people respond so differently to God's Word and how He works through that Word to transform our hearts and lives

After the service we invite you to stay for a time of fellowship.

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 Friendship Bible Club. Friendship Bible Class is dedicated to sharing God’s love with individuals with cognitive impairments, inviting them to grow as active, valued members of God’s family. Together, we enjoy engaging Bible stories, joyful singing, heartfelt prayer, fellowship, and delicious refreshments.

Next week our special designated offering is for the Benevolence Fund. The Deacons thank the congregation for faithfulness in contributing to the benevolence fund making it possible for us to assist families both in our congregation and in the community. Many burdens have been eased with monies from the benevolence fund.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Song: How Good It Is

God's Greeting and Congregational Greeting*

Call to Worship*

Songs: Good Good Father*
Goodness of God*

Prayer of Confession

Assurance Of Forgiveness

Song: God Is So Good

Congregational Prayer

Offering

Scripture Passage: Matthew 13:1-23
Sermon: “Receiving the Kingdom”

Kids dismissed for Sunday School

Song: Change My Heart Oh God*

Final Announcements and Sending Blessing*

Song: Benediction (As You Go)*

*Please stand if you are able

If you are in need of prayer, there are prayer partners at the front of the sanctuary following the morning service.

Serving This Week—October 18

Pastor Mark Janowski

Elder of the day:

Deacon: Dennis Anderson

Prayer Companion: Beth Klimp

Projection: Lisa Jacobson

Camera: Adam Austin

Sound: Jim VanHouten

Nursery: Mark Tonello & Lori Snyder

Greeters: Lyle & Lauren Roelofs

Coffee Prep: Athena Bolt

Refreshments: Ron & Beth Klimp

Monitor: Dave Porter

Serving Next Week—October 25

Pastor Mark Janowski

Elder of the day: Ron Klimp

Deacon: Dennis Anderson

Prayer Companion: Pat Briggs

Projection: Cindy Sneller

Camera: Brian Brinks

Sound: Shelly Jenema

Nursery: Sue Tonello & Rachel Potter

Greeters: Rob & Carol Wolfgram

Coffee Prep: Kathy Boven

Refreshments: Mark & Linda Benthem

Monitor: Dave VanderPlas

<u>CCRC Shepherding Groups and Council-Core Value Responsibilities 2026-27</u>		
Elder	Deacon	Section
Mark Kerkstra Clerk/Worship	Dennis Anderson Treasurer	A-Ham
Ron Sneller Council Clerk	Kathy Lawie Correspondence	Heer-My
Mark Benthem Chair/Discipleship/LT	Mark Mogan Clerk/Finance	N-S
Ron Klimp Council Chair/Outreach/LT	Elaine Sterkenburg Offering	T-Z
	Tony Tonello Chair/LT	

CCRC PRAYER REQUESTS AND PRAISES

SCHEDULE OF THE WEEK OCTOBER 18– OCTOBER 24, 2026

SUNDAY

10:00 A.M. WORSHIP
 Or join live stream worship at:
 <https://shorturl.at/aotE4>
10:45 A.M. SUNDAY SCHOOL
11:15 A.M. SERMON DISCUSSION GROUP in Prayer Room

MONDAY

8:30 A.M. WOMEN’S BOOK GROUP at Big Boy
6:00P.M. ELDER, DEACON AND COUNCIL MEETS

TUESDAY

9:45 A.M. WOMEN’S COMMUNITY BIBLE STUDY in Fellowship Room
3:00 P.M. ENGAGE GROUP at Verbrugge’s home

WEDNESDAY

7:00 A.M. MEN’S BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP at Big Boy
10:00 A.M. NEW BEGINING in the Fellowship Room
7:00 P.M. WATCH AND PRAY IN PRAYER ROOM
7:00 P.M. ENGAGE GROUP at Elaine’s home

THURSDAY

6:00 P.M. WORSHIP MATTERS in Prayer Room
7:00 P.M. PRAISE TEAM REHEARSAL

SATURDAY

4:00 P.M. WOMEN’S CHORUS rehearsal
6:15 P.M. AMEN CHORUS

Pastor Mark’s Office Hours

Monday-Thursday
8:30 a.m.-3:30p.m.

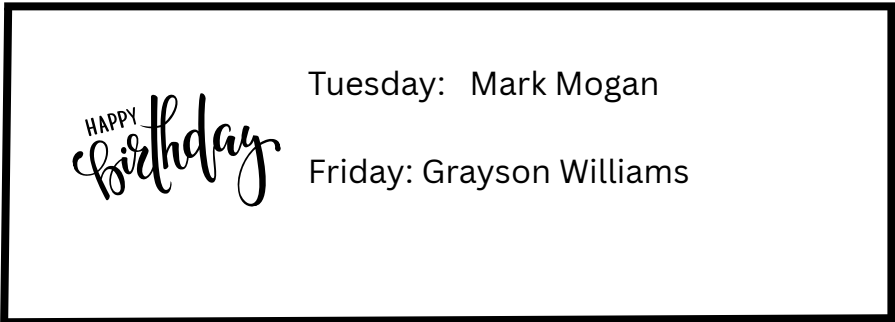
Church Office Hours

Tuesday– Thursday
10 a.m.-4:30p.m

Bulletin Deadline: Wednesday at 5 p.m.

- Please pray for Paul and Teresa VanHouten as they grieve the sudden passing of Teresa’s sister, Cindy Vander Vlugt, Wednesday.
- Pray for more mentors for Kids Hope.
- 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, Jo Costello, Dave Ellens, Karen Ferris, Brenda Hamacher, Jim Jones, The Klimp family, Lois Martin, Judy Nydam, Mel Robinson, Lyle Roelofs, Phil & Sandy Stark, Lori Snyder, Tasha Strait, Tony Tonello, Glen Van Antwerp, Teresa VanHouten, Jean Webster, Sandi Wistinghausen



Announcements

NEXT WEEK Lord willing, we will celebrate the sacrament of the Lord’s Supper. The apostle Paul encourages us to examine ourselves before coming to the table (1 Cor. 11: 27-28). God will surely receive at the table of his Son all who truly repent of their sins, believe in Jesus Christ as their Savior, and desire to do his will. **AND** we will celebrate the baptism of Rosalee Austin.

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.

ENGAGE Groups. We are studying the book of Ecclesiastes. There are two groups: Tuesdays at 3pm at Verbrugge’s home and Wednesdays at 7pm at Elaine Sterkenburg’s home.

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. Please consider joining us for part two of this Bible study group. We will read the book, watch a weekly video and discuss each week. We will meet each Thursday at church from 6-7pm. **ermon Discussion Group:** Now What? The sermon may end, but the conversation doesn’t have to! Join us each Sunday after the service in the Prayer Room as Gord Baas facilitates a relaxed, application-focused discussion exploring how we can live out what we’ve heard in everyday life. No preparation is needed—just listen to the sermon and come ready to join the conversation

The Women's Book Discussion Group We are currently reading, “*The Night Circus*” by Erin Morgenstern, We meet at 8:30 a.m. in the back meeting room at Big Boy. We’d love to have you join our discussion!

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 “*The Great Divorce*” by C.S. Lewis.

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 meets in the Prayer Room on Wednesdays at 7 p.m. to pray for our Faith Promise missionaries, the persecuted church throughout the world, our country, and our church. We pray from a list of specific requests each week. If you have any questions, please contact Berniece Verbrugge.

Kids Hope Mentors Needed at Lincoln Elementary

Make a lasting difference in a child’s life! Kids Hope is looking for caring mentors to spend just one hour a week with a student at Lincoln Elementary. No prior experience is required—just a heart to listen and support. If you're interested or would like more information, please contact Dawn Boven at 231-250-0939.

Pastor Appreciation Month The deacons would like to take this opportunity to remind you that October is Pastor Appreciation month. We once again are gathering small money donations from the congregation to purchase gift cards to send Pastor Mark and Alicia, for an overnight stay and meals. If you would like to donate, please place it in your offering envelope marked “Pastor Appreciation” by October 18. Personal notes are also a nice way to bless them.

Requested Announcements

United Night of Worship A night of worship for students in junior high and high school and their youth leaders is happening on Sunday, November 22 @ 6-8PM at the McBain School Auditorium. The cost is FREE and the goal is to glorify God and enjoy Him in worship.

The Women's Philharmonic Chorus and the AMEN Chorus will begin rehearsals on Saturday, October 24. The Women's Chorus will rehearse from 4:30-6:15 and the AMEN Chorus will rehearse 6:15-8:15 at the Cadillac Christian Reformed Church to prepare for our December Concerts. Please contact Angela Warner at kirkangelawarner@hotmail.com or call or text 231-330-0894 if you have any questions. Please bring \$10 to the first rehearsal to help cover the cost of music.

Any Youth (reading age through middle school) that would like to sing in the **Area Youth Choir** that will be joining the adult choirs for the Christmas programs at the auditorium are invited to attend rehearsals at the First Presbyterian Church in Cadillac Starting Sunday, November 1 at 4:00. Any questions can be emailed to Angela Warner at kirkangelawarner@hotmail.com or call or text 231-330-0894.

Concert dates are December 12 at 7:00 and December 13 at 4:00. The Women's Chorus will have an additional program on Monday, December 7 at 1:00.

New Hope Shelter is having an "Evening with Champions of Hope on October 22 from 6:00 ~ 7:00 p.m. at the Wildflour Bakery in Downtown Cadillac as they begin a major effort to offer a giving opportunity to the Community to help underwrite the ongoing work of the Shelter. Tickets: \$10 each • Only 100 tickets available. Purchase by calling 231-468-2022 or stopping by New Hope Shelter.

Project Christmas, the Salvation Army, and Toys for Tots have joined forces this year to bring holiday support to local families. With this partnership, you may be wondering what you can donate—we are accepting pajamas, gift wrap, new books, hats and gloves, stuffed animals, household gifts, socks and underwear, paper and cleaning products, toys/gifts for children under 18. There is a box by the mailboxes for donations

Special Offering Schedule		Recent Special Offering	
October 18	Friendship Bible Club	September 20	Project Christmas \$295.00
October 25	Benevolence	September 27	Benevolence \$270.00
November 1	World Renew	October 4	New Hope Shelter \$523.00
November 8	Mississippi Mission Trip	October 11	Life Resorces \$115.00