



CADILLAC

CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH

May 5, 2024

10 a.m. Worship Service

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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 gather to encounter God through his word and to listen. Our prayer is that you will experience God's presence today in a special way as he meets with his people. We invite you to stay after the service for a time of fellowship.

WORSHIP

Sunday 10 AM

Pastor Jim De Zeeuw

Scripture Reading: Acts 1: 1-11

Sermon Title: "“Why are you looking up?”"

Today we welcome Pastor Jim De Zeeuw as our guest pastor.

OUR FAMILY

This week please pray for:

- ◇ Bev Regts
- ◇ Lawson Wistinghausen
- ◇ Search Committee
- ◇ Many others with ongoing concerns

OUR GIFTS

Our tithes and offerings are for the General Fund of CCRC with an additional special offering designation each week. 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.

This week our special designated offering is for Teen Challenge. Teen Challenge says, “Our dream is to put hope within reach of every addict or at-risk youth by offering life transformation through our caring, Christ-centered programs. Through our proven solutions for life-controlling addictions, our hope is that every Teen Challenge student will become a productive member of society. Mentally sound. Emotionally balanced. Physically well. Spiritually alive.” Thank you for helping Teen Challenge reach for this dream.

Next week our special designated offering is for Salvation Army Food Pantry. The Salvation Army Food Pantry provides free food to feed the homeless. They supply groceries for residents that do not have enough food because they lack the resources to purchase it.

Charitable contributions receipts: To obtain a complete charitable contribution receipt at year-end for gifts that you would like receipted please include your name and address and write “Receipt Please” on an envelope from the chair backs, or use your assigned numbered envelope. Receipts are also generated for online giving.

CCRC PRAYER REQUESTS AND PRAISES

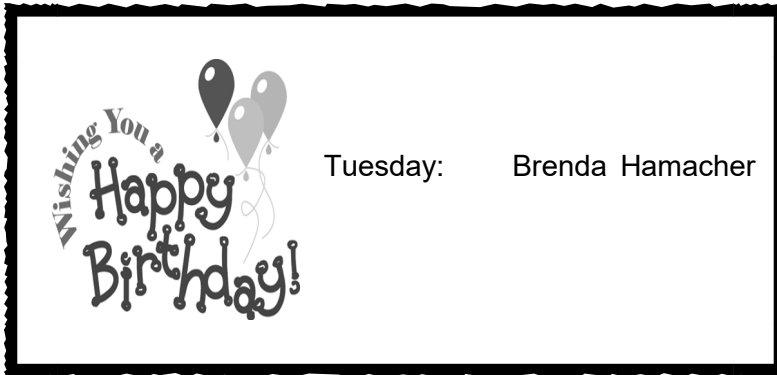
Bev Regts has moved to the GT Pavilion in Traverse City to continue her radiation treatments and have physical therapy but plans to return home by the end of next week. Continue to pray for her comfort and peace and for Jennifer, Greg, Ben and families as they go through this journey together.

Please continue to pray for Lawson Wistinghausen as he continues with radiation treatments.

Pray for the Search Committee as they look for possible candidates.

Update on Chris Boven. Chris had a permanent port put in on Tuesday. The future plan will be to filter his blood plasma once a week in Detroit at the Henry Ford. Please continue to pray for relief and healing.

Please remember those with ongoing health concerns: Chris Boven (Dave & Kathy's son), Mary Bretschneider, Dave Ellens, Karen Ferris, Vern Johnson, The Klimp family, Judy Nydam, Phil & Sandy Stark, Bev Regts, Glen VanAntwerp, Theresa VanHouten, Bev Waltz, Jean Webster, Sandi Wistinghausen.



Special Offering Schedule

May 5	Teen Challenge
May 12	Salvation Army Food Pantry
May 19	Healing Private Wounds
May 26	Benevolence

Recent Special Offering

April 7	Luke Society	\$ 220.00
April 14	Paper Pantry	\$ 80.00
April 21	Life Resources	\$ 100.00
April 28	Benevolence	\$ 290.00

OUR ANNOUNCEMENTS AND MINISTRIES

The Women's Book Discussion Group is meeting at Big Boy Restaurant on Mondays at 8:30 a.m. Join us as we start to discuss "Maisie Dobbs" by Jacqueline Winspear. Contact Linda VanHouten (231) 920-1088 to order a book. Any one thinking about joining book club - now is a good time to jump in!

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. We are discussing "*The Purpose Driven Life*" by Rick Warren.

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 maintaining 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 Mary (913-553-1075) or Pete Swarengen (913-433-4054). Please join us!

Search Committee Update The church profile has been completed and shared on the CRC job search site. If you have someone that might be interested please send them the profile which includes how to process their resume and material needed. Church Profile can be found at: <https://shorturl.at/hBDEK>

Vacation Pastor Harold will be on vacation April 22 through May 15. Please reach out to your shepherding elder or deacon if there is a need.

Preaching Schedule: Pastor Jim De Zeeuw will preach on May 5 and 12. Pastor Harold May 19, 26 and June 2.

Dennis & Deb Anderson invite you to help celebrate their **50th Anniversary**. Celebration at CCRC, Saturday May 18th 1pm-4pm. Please **RSVP** by texting Sheryl 231-884-1943 on or before May 11. No gifts please, your presence is gift enough.

Keenagers will meet Thursday, May 9 at 9am at Big Boys.

The Kids Hope end of the year party will be held Sunday, May 19th at the church. The kids and their families have been invited to at time of playing games, doing crafts and eating. Mentors and prayer partners are invited. **Anyone else who would like to help make these families feel welcome is encouraged to attend.** If you have questions contact Beth Mulder.

Faith Promise giving for last year totaled \$16,198.00 Thank you for your support of our Faith Promise missionaries!

Work Day We will be having a work day at Selina Martin's habitat for humanity house, on May 7th, preparing the yard for grass. If you would like to help with this or have questions, please call Tony Tonello at 246-770-9103.

Community Garden opening soon Our community garden has 10 ft by 20 ft plots to reserve at \$20 a plot. It is watered regularly with automatic sprinklers and will be plowed, (with compost added) and ready to go on May 18th. There are forms on the welcome stand. Reserve your plot with Athena in office soon! Questions? Suzanne Breithaupt 231-468-2870.

Requested Announcements

Right to Life of Wexford and Missaukee Counties is having their Focus on Life annual fund raiser dinner on Monday May 6th 5:00 pm. It will be held at The Northland Community Church in McBain. Tickets are \$25 each including dinner and the program. For more information and tickets Call Tony Tonello at 248-770-9103

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

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.

Please pray for Synod 2024! We need everyone to be involved. The theme for synod worship and prayer is God With Us. You can sign up to pray on your own, with your church or small group, or at Calvin University in June. Check out the many opportunities at crcna.org/synod/prayer and join us in humble prayer for God's will to be done in the CRC. Email SynodPrayer@crcna.org with your questions or comments.

SCHEDULE OF THE WEEK May 5– May 11 2024

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 at BIG BOY

TUESDAY

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

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

7:00 P.M. WATCH AND PRAY in Prayer room

THURSDAY

9:00 A.M. KEENAGERS at BIG BOY

7:00 P.M. PRAISE TEAM REHEARSAL

Office Hours

Monday 9 a.m. to noon, Tuesday - Thursday 9 a.m. to noon, 1 to 4:30 p.m.

Bulletin Deadline: 5 p.m. on Wednesday

Serving This Week - May 5

Pastor Jim De Zeeuw

Elder of the day: Lori Lierman

Projection: Lucinda Rathbun

Camera: Kyle Williams

Sound: Doug Schmittling

Nursery: Mary Swearengen, Scotlyn Wistinghausen

Greeters: Linda & Mark Benthem

Coffee Prep: Bev Butterworth

Refreshments: Steve & Ria Cunningham

Monitor: Gord Baas

Serving Next Week—May 12

Pastor Jim De Zeeuw

Elder of the day: Berniece Verbrugge

Projection: Lisa Jacobson

Camera: Ron Sneller

Sound: Brian Brinks

Nursery: Mark Tonello, Cindy Sneller

Greeters: Lucinda Rathbun

Coffee Prep: Dave Zambo

Refreshments: Mark & Cheryl Kerkstra

Monitor: Dave VanderPlas

CCRC Shepherding Groups and Council-Core Value Responsibilities 2023-24

Elder

Ron Sneller Council Clerk

Dave VanHaitsma -Council Vice / Youth

Bernice Verbrugge— Elder Chair, Outreach, Exec

Lori Lierman - Worship

Glen VanAntwerp -Council Chair, Exec

Deacon

Dave VanderPlas – Restoration

Beth Klimp—Deacon Chair, Exec

Val Dodds –Fellowship

Dave Porter— Vice Chair Deacon

Selina Martin -Discipleship

Section

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