

Kim Parker (11518 S. Lake Dr., Holland 49424) and her doctors are still struggling with how to effectively treat the ongoing fungal infection in her urinary tract. She is grateful for those who have sent cards of support and for those who continue to pray.

Marv VandenBosch (2337 Valarie Dr., Zeeland 49464) is having an echocardiogram on September 16 and would appreciate your prayers for a good result.

Linda Kraai (9418 Mary Lou St., Zeeland 49464) had surgery Thursday (the first of two) to address infection in her knee replacement. Please pray for her recovery and healing.

Sandy VanderZwaag (3580 104th Ave., Zeeland 49464) is progressing well after her shoulder replacement surgery. She is thankful for the prayers and the cards.

Brandon Kraai (son of **Eric Kraai**; grandson of **Mike & Linda Kraai**) is serving in the Navy on the USS George Washington in the Strait of Hormuz. Please keep him in your prayers.

Spenser Brower (11), granddaughter of **Jim & Jo VanHuis** and niece/cousin of **Jeff & Carey VandenBeldt and Piper**, will be hospitalized this weekend and next weekend for chemo. Please pray for effective treatment and minimal side effects, especially fewer mouth sores.

Thank you for the prayers, phone calls, and many cards for Norm's knee replacement. We appreciate being part of such a caring church. ~ Donna and Norm Wuerfel

Thank you for the thoughtful prayers and cards during Tim's recent heart attack and hospitalization. The pastors' calls/texts, prayers, and visits from Pastor Matt and the Congregational Care Team (Lyn Walker/Dawn Geuder) also helped carry us through. We're grateful that Tim is recovering well. ~ Rajean and Tim Wolters

Please pray for your pastors, church staff, elders, and deacons.

Staff Member of the Week: Josiah deVries, Technical Director

Josiah asks us to pray for his upcoming trip overseas with his sister, that they have a relaxing, enjoyable time together. Also, pray for his wisdom in determining how to allocate the finite time and resources of the tech team, and pray for more tech volunteers.

Pastor-on-Call (non-business hours): 616-772-4907, option 4

As part of your worship experience, we offer an opportunity to give of your tithes and offerings: **In Person, Online, Mail, or Text**
(Text the amount you would like to give to 616-202-5117)

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September 13, 2026

We're so glad you've joined us in worship today!

8:40am Daybreak
9:00am BreakWater
10:30am BreakAway

Colossians 4:2; 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18; Philippians 4:6; Proverbs 3:5-6; Psalm 100:4
Prayer Series: "Talk" | Rev. Trent Walker

10:30am Mosaic
1 Kings 18:20-39 | "Elijah's Prayer on the Mountain" | Rev. Matt Koomen

Welcome to Community!

If you're a first-time guest, please fill out a "Connect with Community" card so we can get to know you and help find ways for you to get connected. Bring the card to the Welcome Center and we'll have a small gift for you. *Thanks for visiting—and please join us again soon!*

Kids@Community
Contact Mo (616-610-0037 or melissa@commref.org) with questions or for more information.
Nursery (infant-age 3) is available on Sundays during all services with check-in at the Nursery counter starting at 8:30am.
Kids@Community Sunday School (9am & 10:30am) is full of worship and fun for kids age 3 (potty-trained) through 5th grade. *All children need to be registered online for the new year of Sunday School.* Check in at the kiosks in the Commons just past the Nursery.
Children of all ages are welcome in "big church" any time, and activity pages, coloring books, and crayons are available in the small bookcase near the Nursery. There's also a "wobble room" available in back of the sanctuary, behind the Missions Board, if needed.

UPCOMING EVENTS AND FALL MINISTRIES

Stained Glass Church Tour—Saturday, September 19, 10am-3pm, Commons/Mosaic
Community is one of eight churches featured on the Zeeland Historical Society's self-guided fall tour highlighting our town's church architecture and stained-glass windows. In fact, our windows by acclaimed Zeeland stained-glass artist John Vander Burgh are a "can't miss" part of the tour! Tickets available online or at the Dekker Huis Museum, where the tour will begin. Learn more at zeelandhistory.org. *Willing to volunteer as a greeter at Community during the tour? Contact Lucy Reynolds in the church office (lucy@commref.org or 616-772-4907).*

Prayer Warriors—Wednesdays, 12:15-12:45pm, Fireside Room (Door H)
We'd love to have you join us in praising God and bringing the concerns of the church to Him in prayer. Questions? Email Lyn Walker (lwalker@commref.org).

Men’s Evening Bible Study—Every Other Thursday, 7:30–8:30pm, Fireside Room (Door A)
Studying Mark. Contact Dave Geurink (david@davidgeurinkhomes.com) for more info.

“Living Out” Adult Sunday School—Beginning Sunday, September 13, 10:15-11:15am
Join us in the Music Room to study Acts. Questions? Contact Jen (jen@commref.org).

Student Ministries (Middle/High School)—Beginning Sunday, September 13, 5-7pm
Youth group kickoff on September 13! We'll have games, food, and a lot of fun! Make sure to wear clothes to get wet in! Questions? Reach out to Brea at brea@commref.org.

GriefShare—Mondays, September 14–November 23, 5:30–7:30pm, Music Room
If you’ve lost someone dear, our 11-week GriefShare program will help you face the challenges and move from mourning to joy. Each session will begin with a light meal. Sign up at commref.org/groups. Questions? Contact Lyn Walker (lwalker@commref.org).

Joyful Hearts Bible Study—Tuesdays, September 15–October 27, 9:30-11:00am, Gym
Women of all ages, please join us this fall for *Anchored: The Life and Letters of the Apostle Peter* by Marian Jordan Ellis. Books are \$20. Nursery care is available. Sign up online or at the Welcome Center. Please call/text Sandy Mathy (616-405-5323) with any questions.

The Well—Tuesday, September 15 (3rd Tuesday Each Month), 6:30–8pm, Mosaic
Women of all ages are invited to join us each month for an uplifting time of worship, fellowship, and connection as we share our stories. On September 15, Mary Hassevoort will be sharing her story about being at peace with God’s will for her life.

Gather@Community—Beginning Wednesday, September 16, 5–7:30pm, Gym/Mosaic
Join us each week for a free dinner in the Gym at 5pm, followed by worship in the Mosaic at 6pm and Community Groups at 6:45pm. Join us for the whole evening, or come and go as your schedule allows. Questions? Contact Pastor Jen (jen@commref.org).

Kids@Community Wednesday Nights—Beginning Wednesday, September 16, 6-7:30pm
Nursery is available starting at 6pm, and kids in K-5th will have their own special time of worship, games, and crafts from 6–7:30pm. Questions? Email Mo (melissa@commref.org).

50+ Dinner and Speaker—Thursday, September 17, 6–8pm, Gym
Join us for a pasta dinner and warm fellowship. Holland resident Chad Creevy will share about working on the 61st floor of the South WTC on 9/11. Sign up online or at the Welcome Center by Sunday, September 13. Questions? Contact Pastor Jen (jen@commref.org).

Pancake Breakfast—Sunday, September 20, 10-10:30am, Gym
Join us for a pancake breakfast in the gym on the 3rd Sunday of every month!

DivorceCare—Sundays, September 20–December 13, 6:30–8:00pm, Fireside Room
If you’ve experienced a separation or divorce, you’ll find care, comfort, and practical guidance through the 13-week video-based DivorceCare series. Visit commref.org/groups to sign up. Questions? Contact Pastor Kurt (616-836-5178).

Women’s Evening Bible Study—Beginning Tuesday, September 22, 6:30–8pm, Fireside Room
Join us the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month for Evening Grace. We'll begin with *Finding I Am* by Lysa TerKeurst. Books are \$20. Sign up online at communityreformed.org/groups.

Men’s Morning Bible Study—Beginning Thursday, October 1, 8-9am, Upper Room
Join us for a compelling 6-week study of the book of Acts, written by church leaders from around the world. Contact Kyle Borst (kborst@commref.org) with questions or to sign up.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CranHill 2027 Community Church Campout—Let us know if you’re interested in joining the fun next summer, either the last weekend of July or the first weekend of August. *Registration deadline is October 4, 2026.* Sign up at communityreformed.org/signup. Questions? Contact Michele Schepers at mheemstra207@gmail.com or Sue Zwylghuizen at sue@commref.org.

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE AND BLESS OTHERS

Kitchen Help for Gather@Community—Wednesday Evenings, Sept. 16–March 24, 4–6pm
Help needed cooking, serving, and cleaning up. Contact Kyle (kborst@commref.org) for info.

Annville Thrift Store Donations—Collecting Items September 17-28
Annville needs used furniture; gently used summer and winter clothing for men, women, children, and babies; toys, tools, small household items, and home decor in good condition. Bring your items in boxes to the two trailers in the northeast corner of the church parking lot. Questions, or need boxes picked up? Contact the church office or sue@commref.org.

GVSU Snack Donations—Collecting Items through Sunday, September 27
We’re taking snacks to the Sunday night GVSU service on Sept 27. Sign up through the weekly church email, the Community Reformed Outreach Facebook page, or at the Welcome Center.

Hand2Hand—School is in session, and we’re collecting food items for feeding hungry kids in Zeeland. Get the new shopping list at the Welcome Center today! Items needed by October 1.

Red Cross Blood Drive—Monday, October 19, 11am-4:45pm, Gym
Give the gift of life by donating blood at Community’s blood drive. Sign up today to be a part of blessing someone when they’re in desperate need. Visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter our sponsor code “CRCZeeland” to schedule your donation. Or, call 1-800-RED-CROSS, call the church office, or email our blood drive coordinator at giveblood@communityreformed.org.

Community’s Tech Team—Help needed for Sunday mornings (18 yrs+): audio engineer, slides operator, video control, and camera crew. No experience necessary. These are paid positions, but also a great way to serve. Email josiah@commref.org or kate@commref.org.

PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAISE REPORTS

Chuck Lucas (2960 Creek View Dr., Zeeland 49464) had HIFU surgery on Tuesday for prostate cancer. Surgery went well, and he is recovering in God’s care and promises.