PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAISE REPORTS

We express our sympathy to Lisa & Chad Machiele (10611 Brookview Dr., Zeeland) in the passing of Lisa's mother, Connie Greenland, on September 24th.

We express our sympathy to Virgil & Carol Statema (10671 Riley St., Zeeland) following the passing Virgil's sister, Jane Moore, on September 25th.

Lori DeVisser (286 Dartmouth, Holland 49423) was transferred to Mary Free Bed for rehab therapy. Please continue to pray for restored health and strength for Lori.

Praising God for a clear PET scan report for **Chris Klynstra**, our missionary with Mission Aviation Fellowship. His cancer seems only to be in his prostate which will be removed October 9th. *Thank you for praying. He is Faithful and True.*

Kim Parker (11518 S. Lake Dr., Holland 49424) is hospitalized and receiving IV antibiotics to treat a persistent infection. She's hoping to be home by Sunday or Monday. Your thoughts and prayers are appreciated.

Thank you for the prayers and cards following my bout with an infection and gall bladder surgery. I am still recovering, slowly but surely. ~Dorothy DeRoo

Thanks to our Community family for all the prayers, cards, and visits. Also, the visit and prayers by Pastor Kurt and Elder Jeff before and after Vern's surgery. Vern is at a "new normal" for his remaining kidney and will try to keep it at that level. We thank God that the pathology report showed clean margins from cancer, so no treatments are needed. Praise God for answered prayers! ~Vern & Wanda Bohl

Update on Tafara from missionary, Elizabeth Edwards, in Bulawayo, Zimbabwe: Tafara was discharged home from the hospital yesterday after 20 months of hospital admission. Thank you so much for praying for him and his healing! God is GOOD!

As part of your worship experience we offer an opportunity to give of your tithes and offerings:

In Person or Online

Text the amount you would like to give to 616-202-5117

Mail a check to Community Reformed Church:

10376 Felch St., Zeeland, MI 49464 office hours: Mon-Thu 8:30am-4:30pm; Fri 8:30am-12:30pm phone: 616-772-4907 · prayer line: 616-610-5766

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WE'RE GLAD THAT YOU'VE JOINED US IN WORSHIP TODAY.

8:40am Daybreak | 9:00am BreakWater | 10:30am BreakAway Psalm 23:6 | "Surely" | Rev. Trent Walker

10:30am Mosaic

Psalm 23:6 | "Goodness and Love" | Rev. Matt Koomen

If you are a first-time guest, please fill out a "Connect with Community" card (in seat backs) 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. We hope you'll join us again soon!

Valet parking is available at Door C. Attendants will provide parking for parents with small children, senior adults, and anyone else that needs assistance getting from their vehicle into church. Just pull up under the canopy by the Valet Parking sign, and we will park your car in the designated spot and have it back under the canopy at the close of service.

Sunday morning coffee is made and served by our students, and all donations help with their mission trip expenses. Enjoy! Thanks for your support!

Scripture Reading Guide

We're reading scripture together as a congregation. Reading guide calendars are at the Welcome Center, and links to the readings are <u>online</u>. You may also <u>signup</u> to receive daily texts with a link to the reading, if you prefer. Join us anytime throughout the year as we dig into the Word together.

Kids@Community

Nursery (infant-age 3) is available on Sundays during all services with check-in starting at 8:30am. Sunday School is available at 9:00am & 10:30am for kids ages 3 years (and potty-trained) through 5th grade. Please check-in at the Nursery counter or kiosks in the West Commons. 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. Questions? Contact Melissa (mo@commref.org or 616-610-0037).

Brazil & Adult Alaska Mission Trip Info Meetings

Brazil Trip: Sunday, October 5, 9:45am, Upper Room Adult Alaska Trip: Sunday, October 19, 9:45am, Upper Room Want more info before signing up? Please join us! Questions? Email sue@commref.org.

Living Out Community Group—Sundays, 10:15-11:15am, Music Room

You are invited to join us for fellowship, prayer, and further learning and discussion on the morning's message. Sixth grade and older welcome! Questions? Contact Jen (jen@commref.org or 616-772-4907).

Communion & Hymn Sing

Monday, October 6, 3:30pm, Royal Park Atrium

Everyone is invited to join our Pastoral staff, Care Team members, and Royal Park residents for communion and a hymn sing in the Atrium at Royal Park (400 Parkside Dr., Zeeland).

Annville Donations Trailer

We will be taking another trailer with your donations to the Annville KY Thrift Store in October. The trailer will be in the NE corner of the church parking lot <u>until Thursday</u>, <u>October 9</u>, or until it's full. Most needed items are gently-used furniture, household items and decor, toys, and clothing for all ages. We request that, if possible, you put your items in boxes as it is easier to safely pack the trailer. If you need furniture or boxes picked up, please contact the church office or email <u>sue@commref.org</u>.

Prayer Warriors

Wednesdays, 12:15-12:45pm, Fireside Room (Door H)

Join us as we gather weekly to connect with God and pray for the needs of Community—the staff, our services, programs, missions, and needs of our members.

Gather@Community

Wednesdays, 5:00-7:30pm, Gym/Mosaic (Door A, B, F, or H)

Join us for a burger or hotdog in the Gym at 5:00pm followed by worship in the Mosaic at 6:00pm and Community Groups from 6:45pm-7:30pm. Nursery is also available starting at 6:00pm, and kids in Kindergarten-5th grade will have their own special time of worship, games, and crafts between 6:00-7:30pm. Questions? Contact Jen (616-772-4907 or jen@commref.org).

Baptism Class

Sunday, October 19, 10:05-10:30am, Sonrise Room

If you're interested in knowing more about the sacrament of baptism or would like to have your child baptized <u>on November 16</u>, please join the Elders for a brief conversation about next steps. Questions? Contact Pastor Kurt (616-836-5178 or kurt@commref.org).

Knitting Ministry

Friday, October 24, 10:00am, Commons (Door B)

We meet on the 4th Friday of the month to knit together tangible gifts of comfort, hope and peace. If you're a knitter, we'd love to have you join us! Questions? Call the church office (616-772-4907).

Missions Team Fundraiser

The Missions Team is selling sub sandwiches as a 2026 trips fundraiser. They are 8" subs from Bob's Butcher Block for only \$4 each! Order <u>online</u> or at the Welcome Center <u>by Sunday, October 19</u>. Pick-up will be on October 29th and November 2nd. *Thank you for supporting Community's mission teams!*

Christmas by Candlelight

Thursday, December 18, 6:30-8:00pm, Gym (Door B or F)

Ladies (age 12+), please join us for Christmas by Candlelight – a night of holiday treats, inspiring stories, and delightful music. Register to attend individually or with a couple of friends, or to host a table of 8. Hosts are asked to provide table decor, place settings, drink glasses, and dessert for 8, and to invite others to join their table. NOTE: If you are interested in hosting a table, the deadline to register is October 20th. Let's invite neighbors, co-workers, family, and friends to enjoy with us the true message of Christmas, God's greatest gift for His highest glory!

Thanksgiving Care Packages & Meal Baskets

Ready or not, Thanksgiving is around the corner, and we are collecting items for the care packages that Gateway Mission distributes at the Great Thanksgiving Banquet and for the meals that Harvest Stand will be distributing to 125 families in the Holland/Zeeland community! The list of items needed by November 9th is at the Welcome Center in the Commons. Please drop off your donations at Door A, B or F. We will also gratefully accept monetary donations. Please note "Thanksgiving Baskets" on the memo line of your check or envelope. Thank you!

Church Directory

Members and Regular Attenders, we work hard to keep our church directory up-to-date but need your help. If your photo is missing or outdated, or if your address has changed, please stop by the Welcome Center or church office to have your picture taken—or email a recent photo or updated contact info to sheri@commref.org. Copies of the directory are printed upon request for those who are pictured.

If you need help viewing the church directory online or adding the directory app to your mobile device, please contact Sheri (616-772-4907 or sheri@commref.org) or stop in the church office during the week. To ensure our directory is safe and your privacy protected, we only allow access to those who are included in the directory. members.instantchurchdirectory.com

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