

# Opportunities to Serve at Prosper

## Nursery (for children up to around age 3)

**Today**  
**Infant**

Esther DeKam  
Diane DeZeeuw  
Audrey DeRuiter

**Toddler**

Wayne Roper  
Kelly Koetje  
Isaac Bode

**Evening**

Marjon Dodde, Collin DeKam

**Jan 17**  
**Infant**

Diane Koster, Melissa Ebels  
Dylan Lucas

**Toddler**

Jolene Sullivan, Shelly DeKam

**Evening**

Katelyn Buning  
Ellen Rozema  
Sena VanderHeide

**Jan 24**  
**Infant**

Margaret Rosenbrook,  
Susan Dick, Emily Gandolfi

**Toddler**

Chris Bode, Bonnie Brinks,  
Logan Roper

**Evening**

Kay Diemer, Keith Dick

## Greeters

**Today**

Dries & Jamie Dodde  
Dave & Vicki Ebels

**Jan 17**

Matt & Tawnya Ebels  
Paul & Gayle Ebels

**Jan 24**

Andy & Melissa Ebels  
Gary & Tami Jo Gandolfi

## Power Point

**Today**

Dylan Lucas

**Jan 17**

Dave Ebels

**Jan 24**

Wayne Roper

## Camera

**Today**

Wayne Roper, Jr.

**Jan 17**

Isabella Gandolfi

**Jan 24**

Wayne Roper, Jr.

*It takes a lot of volunteers to run God's ministry.  
Thank you for how YOU help!*

## Children's Message

**Today**

Jolene Sullivan

**Jan 17**

NO Children's message

**Jan 24**

Amy DeZeeuw

## Ushers - Head Usher: Keith VanHaitsma

**Jan:** Todd Koetje, Henry Diemer, Duane Dick

## Children's Church - Coordinator: Betsy Rozeveld

(for children ages 3-5 years)

**Today**

Amy DeZeeuw, Ashley Quist

**Jan 17**

Mable Yount

**Jan 17**

Barb & Nick Brinks

**Jan 24**

Dirk Rodenbaugh

**Jan 24**

Erin E. Koetje, Kelly Koetje,  
Collin DeKam

## Sunday School Elder

**Jan 10**

Dale Brinks

**Jan 17**

Jeremy Hamilton

**Jan 24**

Keith Dick

## Nursery Cleaner

**Jan:** Tawnya Ebels

## Coffee Servers

**Today**

Steve & Kathy Ebels

**Jan 17**

Gary & Lynette Gladu

**Jan 17**

Mark & Dawn Ebels

**Jan 24**

Andy & Melissa Ebels

**Jan 24**

Dries & Jamie Dodde

**Jan 24**

Henry & Kay Diemer

## Cookies

**Today**

Margaret Rosenbrook

**Jan 17**

Denise Rozema, Ellen Rozema

**Jan 17**

Betsy Rozeveld, Dawn Rozeveld

**Jan 17**

Julie Rozeveld, Mary Lynne Schoo

**Jan 17**

Melissa Schoo, Pat Schoo

**Jan 17**

Connie Shaarda, Mary Shaarda

**Jan 17**

Whitney Shaarda, Judy Steensma

**Jan 17**

Jolene Sullivan

**Jan 24**

Kelly Taylor, Sena VanderHeide

**Jan 24**

Lexie Vandewater, Char VanHaitsma

**Jan 24**

Tracey VanHaitsma, April Villwock,

**Jan 24**

Stephanie VanHouten

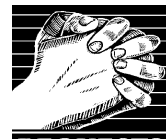
## Welcome to Worship at Prosper Christian Reformed Church!

Today is a day of worship, celebration, prayer and fellowship with the Saints. As you read these words, say a silent prayer asking God to help you seek these things.

This morning, Pastor Dirk begins a series of messages from the book of Habakkuk. Did you know this book was written as a dialogue or conversation between God and His prophet, Habakkuk? Today's message, from the first chapter is entitled "A Prophet's Burden."

Please stay for coffee and fellowship after the service; we'd love to get to know you better.

Next Sunday, Lord willing, we will be blessed to witness the infant baptism of *Brynleigh Elsholz* (daughter of *Billy & Kaycee*), *Hadley Rivera* (son of *Reuben & Kenda*), and *Henri Cossen* (daughter of *Matt & Sesilee*).



## Prayers of Prosper

\*Pray for *Henry & Kay Diemer*, whose daughter, *Deb*, has been diagnosed with cancer.

## REQUESTS

\*Continue to pray for *Sam Ebels* who is now in Turkey with YWAM. Pray for safety.

\**Carl H. Dick* is at Lakeview Manor in Cadillac for rehabilitation. Please pray fervently for complete healing.

\*Remember our members who find it difficult to worship with us: *June Boven*, *Jo DeRuiter*, *Gen Dodde*, *Eleanor Ebels*, *Henrietta Schepers* and *Millie Jenema*.

\*We thank God for our young families and praise him for the gift of life. Pray for our expectant mothers: *Shelly DeKam*, *Jaime Haskin* and *Carla Brummel*.

\*Pray for our College Student of the Week: *Garret Koster*

\*Please pray for *Marjon Dodde's* mother, Maria VanHouwelingen as she is recovering from surgery. Also pray for Deb Pearson, *Mary E. DeKam's* sister, as she deals with the effects of lymphoma.

\*Pray for the *marriages in our congregation*. Pray that they will be filled with grace and sanctified by the Holy Spirit. Know too that there are resources available to help any couple that might be struggling. Please be encouraged to speak with an Elder or Pastor Dirk for more information.

\*Pray for our *students* in both college and day schools. Pray that in their busyness they stay close to Jesus!

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**Jan 10,  
2016**

# Birthdays & Anniversaries

## Happy Birthday to:

Monday	Josh Dick
Tuesday	Dave DeZeeuw Darrious Pena
Wednesday	Tyler Koetje
Friday	Tana Buning Bill DeRuiter
Saturday	Jeremy Hamilton



...are available for you each Sunday. You may find them on the tables by the bulletin racks.

## Small Groups at Prosper

**CCGD** –Our next meeting will be tomorrow Jan 11, 7pm at the BARN. Read Job 8 and Lesson 4. Keith & Bec have lunch.

**“Dust to Glory”** our next meeting is THIS Tues, Jan 5, 7pm at David & Rachel’s.

**Ladies Afternoon Bible Study** will meet Wed, Jan 20, 1:30pm.

**Men’s Bible Study** will meet on Wed, Jan 13, 7pm at the BARN. Read and study session 4: *Anxiety, Frustration, and Discontentment*.

**Moms Bible Study** will begin again soon. They are still looking for one more person to help with childcare during their study. If one more person volunteers, the commitment would be only once every other month. Please see Amy if you’d like to help out.

**Sewing** –will get together on Wed, Jan 13, 6:30pm.

**Women’s Bible Study** Our next meeting is Wed, Jan 20.

**Care Group #3** will meet Saturday, Jan. 23 at Bernard and Shirley’s at 6:30pm. Bring a snack to share and read Chapter 2.



## CHURCH SCHEDULE January 10-16, 2016

### SUNDAY

- 9:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE**
- 10:45 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL & CATECHISM**
- 1:30 PM JAIL MINISTRY—meet at Ebels**
- 6:00 PM EVENING WORSHIP**

### MONDAY

- 7:00 PM CCGD at the BARN**

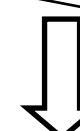
### TUESDAY

- 7:00 PM WORSHIP COMMITTEE**

### WEDNESDAY

- 6:30 PM GEMS**
- 7:00 PM TEEN 22 at the HUSH Building**
- 7:00 PM MEN’S BIBLE STUDY-at the BARN**

NEWS  
from  
Sam!



Our next meeting is THIS Wed, Jan 13, 7-9 at the HUSH Building.



grades 9-12

*Snack: Gretchen K. Drink: Spencer Q.*  
Plan ahead — Our Winter Retreat is Jan 22-24 at Cran-hill Ranch!!



Our next meeting is Wed, Jan 20, 7-9 at the HUSH Building.

grades 6-8



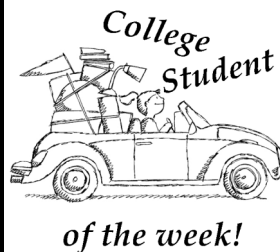
will meet Wed, Jan. 20 6-8pm at Church

for boys, 1st-8th grade



Our next meeting is THIS Wed, Jan 13, 6:30-8pm, at Church

for girls 1st-8th grade



of the week!

### ...is Garret Koster!

Garret is a student at Grand Rapids Community College. He is attending GRCC for this semester and then plans to attend Grand Valley State University, pursuing a

Secondary Teaching degree majoring in Mathematics and minoring in Computer Science.

Garret says he would like to thank this church for its on-going support “not only for me but also my family!” He says he struggles with dealing with life’s ups and downs as well as balancing his time between studies and work.

Please keep Garret in your prayers this week and send him a note of encouragement. His email is [garretkoster@gmail.com](mailto:garretkoster@gmail.com) and his address is: 3495 Curtis Street, Hudsonville, MI 49426

“Since we’ve been here we have lead YWAM teams in worship on a Turkish mountain. We’re involved with ministries that reach out to all ages and to all people. We play soccer at the kids ministry with Turkish kids. We perform skits and plays and sing in the old folks home/insane asylum... it brightens up their day even though most of them don’t speak English. There’s 4 other YWAM teams here living in different houses and we’re always going into the city of Kusadasi to “EV” because we can’t say the word evangelism. All the Muslims here are friendly and love to chat about religion. In 2 weeks we will go back up to Istanbul and then head for Konya to bring bibles there and then back up to Istanbul. Thanks for your prayers and support.

—Sam Ebels