

Opportunities to Serve at Prosper

Nursery (for children up to around age 3)

Today Infant Chris Bode, Holly Hamilton
Morgan DeRuiter

Toddler Julie Rozeveld, Brenda Peña
Aidan Koetje

Evening Carla Brummel, Collin DeKam

Aug 18 Infant Amy DeZeeuw, Kelly Koetje
Audrey DeRuiter

Toddler Jessica Nielsen, Melissa Ebels
James Taylor

Evening Shelly DeKam, Katelyn DeZeeuw

Aug 25 Infant Melanie Schmid, Carla Brummel
Emma Roper

Toddler Shelly DeKam, Chris Dick
Drew Hamilton

Evening Susan Dick, Lily Sullivan

Greeters

Today Eric & Sally Baas
Bernard & Shirley Brinks

Aug 18 Kyle & Melanie Schmid
Ron & Barb Brinks

Aug 25 Caleb & Audrey Cnossen
Harold & Karen Cnossen

Sound

Today Eric Baas

Aug 18 Kyle VanHaitsma

Aug 25 Allan Lucas

Power Point

Today Dave Ebels

Aug 18 Jolene Sullivan

Aug 25 Diane Koster

Camera

Today Wayne Roper Jr.

Aug 18 Emily DeRuiter

Aug 25 Logan Roper

Children's Message

Today Amy DeZeeuw

Aug 18 Betsy Rozeveld

Aug 25 Alexandra Dodde

Ushers - Head Usher: Harold Cnossen
Aug: Mark DeZeeuw, Curt Bode, Dale Brinks
Sept: Caleb Cnossen, Jeremy Hamilton
Erik VanHouten

Security

Today Carl Dick

Aug 18 Gary Gandolfi

Aug 25 Henry Diemer

Children's Church - Coordinator: Betsy Rozeveld (for children ages 3-5 years)

Today Teacher: Shelly DeKam
Dirk Rodenbaugh, Katelyn DeZeeuw
Darrious Peña, Brennan Koetje

Aug 18 Teachers: Sue Yount, Sally Baas
Liam Sullivan, Katelyn Buning
Wayne Roper Jr.

Aug 25 Teacher: Jaime Haskin
Adria Rozeveld, Cameron Baas
Joseph Gandolfi, Alyssa VanHaitsma

Coffee Servers

Today Gary & Megan Gladu
Tyler & Lynae Gernaat

Aug 18 Steve & Kathy Ebels
Paul & Gayle Ebels

Aug 25 Matt & Tawny Ebels
Dave & Vicki Ebels

Cookies

Today Kelly Benavides, Marcia Berkompas
Gladys Blue, Chris Bode, Shirley
Brinks, Bonnie Brinks, Barb Brinks
Carla Brummel

Aug 18 Tana Buning, Audrey Cnossen
Karen Cnossen, SesiLee Cnossen
Linda Corp, Dana DeKam
Esther DeKam

Aug 25 Mary DeKam, Shelly DeKam
Valerie DeKam, Beth DeRuiter
Bev DeRuiter, Bobbie DeRuiter
Cindy DeRuiter

Nursery Cleaner for Aug is Stephanie VanHouten



Welcome to Worship at Prosper Christian Reformed Church!

The Psalmist asks God to teach him and lead him on a straight path. That is our prayer today as we worship together. Begin your worship with a silent prayer asking God to send his Spirit to this place. After the service, let us encourage one another during a time of coffee and conversation in the Fellowship Room. Please join us!

This morning, Pastor Dave Weemhoff will lead us in worship. Our text comes from Acts 28: 17-31. The Book of Acts does not come to an end; Jesus, through His Spirit, continues to write the next chapters in His Church. Looking ahead, what chapters will Prosper CRC write? (Pastor Dave was our pastor from 1981-1985)

Join us for worship **this evening at 6pm**, Pastor Adam Barton, from Vogel Center CRC will lead our service. The message titled, *The Great Transaction*, comes from Matthew 13: 44-46.

Next Sunday morning, Pastor Larry Baar, our pastor from 2008-2013, will lead our service. **Next Sunday evening**, David Dick, will lead us in worship.



At noon today, we will have a church potluck! Please bring a dish to pass. Drinks, plates and silverware are provided. If you are visiting Prosper Church, please join us; we'd love to get to know you!



Prayers of Prosper

•Please pray boldly for Prosper Church!! Pray for Pastor Dirk, Erin and kids as they will be on vacation until August 19. Pray that it will be a time of rest and relaxation; that they will come back recharged and refreshed to do the work God calls them to do at Prosper. *(if you have a pastoral need, please contact your district elder or the church office).*

•Remember our members who find it difficult to worship with us: June Boven, Betty DeKam, Eleanor Ebels, Bob Jenema, Millie Jenema, and Cynthia Bazuin.

•Congratulations to Dale & Lynnae Dick in the birth of a healthy boy, Ira James last Saturday. Ira, Mommy, Daddy and Big Brother are all doing well.

•Pray for comfort and peace for Steve & Kathy Ebels and family who lost a mother, grandma, great-grandma and great-great grandma this past week when Kathy's mother, Marian Zinger was called to her heavenly home.

•We thank God for our young families and praise him for the gift of life. Pray for our expectant mothers: Shelly DeKam, Valerie DeKam, Kenda Rivera and Audrey Cnossen.

Pray for healing and comfort for...

-Greg LaFrance is coming home from the hospital this weekend. Pray for good results from the tests that he will have this coming week. The doctors are hopeful that it is not a re-occurrence of cancer.

-Rich DeZeeuw, Roy Tacoma, Jennifer Burkholder, and Marlene Helms – each dealing with the effects of cancer.

-for those of our congregation who deal with chronic pain and illnesses on a daily basis.

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**Aug 11,
2019**

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

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Happy Birthday to:

Today Kelli Benavides
Tyler Dick
Thursday Claire Sullivan

Happy Anniversary to:

Today: Bill & Marcia Koster
Monday: Dries & Jamie Dodde
Thursday: Mark & Margaret Rosenbrook
Friday: Nathan & Shelly DeKam

PLAN AHEAD

- ◇ Outdoor Movie Night at Prosper-Fri, Aug 16.
- ◇ August 18, Pastor Larry Baar will lead us in worship AM service. A potluck will follow.
- ◇ David Dick will lead our evening service.
- ◇ Elders Meeting - Tues, Aug 20, 7pm.
- ◇ Hunter Safety Class - Aug 23, beginning at 5:30 and Aug 24, 8am-4pm.
- ◇ Canoe/Kayak Trip on the Clam- Sat, Aug 24, beginning at the Dam at 2pm.
- ◇ Deacons Meeting - Mon, Aug 26, 7pm
- ◇ Full Council Meeting - Mon, Sept 9, 7pm.



OUR CHURCH SCHEDULE

August 11-17, 2019

SUNDAY

- 9:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE
- 10:45 AM EDUCATION MEETING
- NOON CHURCH POTLUCK
- 6:00 PM EVENING WORSHIP

TUESDAY

- 7:00 PM WORSHIP COMMITTEE

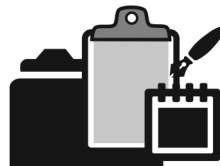
WEDNESDAY

- 6:45 AM TIME OF PRAYER -at the BARN

- 6:00 PM SENIOR CELEBRATION SUPPER- at the BARN

FRIDAY

- DUSK DRIVE-IN MOVIE NIGHT- at Church



...from August 5

Council Notes

- Look for a letter in your mailbox from Council regarding Disciplined Giving.
- Funeral Committee -Council thanks Carolyn Dick and Shirley Brinks for their many years of planning funeral meals. *Thank you* to the new co-chairs, Esther DeKam and Amy DeZeeuw.
- **Head Usher** position is open. Council thanks Harold Clossen for all the years he was head usher. See Henry Diemer if this is where you would like to serve.
- Classis Meeting is on Sept 24, 9am at Vogel Center CRC. Delegates are Pastor Dirk and Henry Diemer.
- IT Updates:
 - A new portable PA system has been purchased.
 - The IT Team is working on the video quality, content and legal concerns of DVD recording of our services.
- The Education Team thanks all those who have volunteered to teach our children this fall—you will be blessed by our kids! **There is still a need for a 2nd/3rd grade co-teacher.** Contact Karl Marcusse, Dries Dodde, Amy DeZeeuw or Missy Roper today! *Education Kickoff is September 22!*
- Work on the overflow parking lot continues and is going well.
- Hunter Safety Class will be held Aug 23-24 for 10 year-olds and older. See box in the bulletin for more information.



Thank you for all the prayers and visits, for the beautiful plant, and the flowers from our Care

Group. Thanks also for the food brought to us and to the ladies who served the meal at the funeral—all are a blessing! Our mom and grandmother, Marian will be missed, but we know that she fought the good fight and has finished the race faithfully. And for this we praise God!

~Steve and Kathy, Eric & Sally, Mike & Sue, Andy & Melissa, Matt & Tawnya and families. Ron & Nancy, Larry & Carole, Dan & Malari



Children's Church Teachers are needed!!

Please contact Marjon in the Church Office. This is approx. an every other month commitment!

Small Groups at Prosper

- Care Group #4** will meet Sunday, Aug 18, 7:15pm at Linda C's. Please study the last lesson and bring new study material to share with the group for consideration.
- Care Group #3** will meet Saturday, Sept 14, 6:30pm at Carl and Marjon's. Please study lesson 5.



HUNTER SAFETY CLASS will once again be offered Friday, Aug 23 beginning at 5:30pm and on Sat, Aug 24, 8:00am – 4:00pm. This is for ages 10 and above. *Class size is limited, so reserve your spot today* by calling the church office at 231-826-4427 or there is a sign up sheet in the office. Soon books will be available to pick up for those who signed up which will need to be completed by class time. The Hunter Safety class will be held at Prosper Christian Reformed Church. Saturday lunch will be provided.