

Opportunities to Serve at Prosper

Nursery (for children up to around age 3)

Today Infant Denise Rozema, Missy Roper
Leeann Bode
Toddler April Villwock, Carla Brummel
Emmitt Baas, Avery DeRuiter
Evening Ellen Rozema
Kay Diemer

July 22 Infant Lori Evans, Jamie Dodde
Fiona Sullivan, Claire Sullivan

Toddler Kenda Rivera, Chris Bode
Nathan Koetje

Evening Betsy & Isabel Rozeveld
Katelyn DeZeeuw

July 29 Infant Betsy Rozeveld, Amberly
Mejia, Emma Roper

Toddler Ellen Rozema, Pete DeKam
Adrian VanHaitsma

Evening Erin J. Koetje, Susan Dick

Greeters

Today Dale & Lynnae Dick
Randy & Amy DeZeeuw

July 22 Keith & Becky Dick
Carl & Marjon Dodde

July 29 Gord & Susan Dick
Andy & Melissa Ebels

Sound

Today Allan Lucas

July 22 Kyle VanHaitsma

July 29 Gary Gandolfi

Power Point

Today Diane Koster

July 22 Dave Ebels

July 29 Jolene Sullivan

Camera

Today Emily DeRuiter

July 22 Collin DeKam

July 29 Fiona Sullivan

Nursery Cleaner for July is Erin J. Koetje

Ushers - Head Usher: Harold Clossen

July: Erik VanHouten, Mark Shaarda, Allan Lucas

Aug: Royce Rodenbaugh, Mark Rosenbrook
Larry DeRuiter

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

Today Megan & Allison Gladu, Katelyn
DeZeeuw, Cameron Baas

July 22 Erin J. Koetje
Drew Hamilton, Karri Hamilton
Audrey DeRuiter

July 29 Kelly Taylor
Molly Taylor, Audrey Lofton
Mabel Yount

Coffee Servers

Today Josh & Cora Dick
Gord & Susan Dick

July 22 Duane & Carolyn Dick
Mark & Karen DeZeeuw

July 29 Dale & Lynnae Dick
Alex Dodde, Maria Marcusse

Cookies

Today Vicki Ebels, Kaycee Elsholz
Lori Evans, Tami Jo Gandolfi
Val Gibbons, Megan Gladu
Lynette Gladu, Holly Hamilton

July 22 Dorrwayne Hamilton, Jaime Haskin
Judy Heethuis, Erin E. Koetje
Erin J. Koetje, Kelly Koetje,
Linda Koetje, Carol Koster

July 29 Diane Koster, Pam LaFrance
Kathy Lucas, Allison Marcusse
Maria Marcusse, Amberly Mejia
Betty Molhoek, Bev Mulder

Children's Message

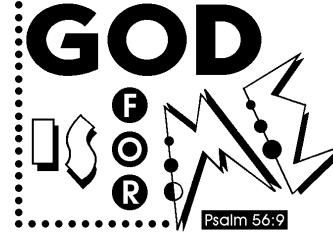
Today Susan Dick

July 22 Amy DeZeeuw

July 29 Alexandra Dodde

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

THIS I KNOW



Welcome to Worship at Prosper Christian Reformed Church!

David wrote, "My enemies will turn back when I call for help. By this I will know that God is for me." What an awesome comfort for us too! Join us in praising the goodness of our great God! Please stay for coffee and fellowship after the service.

This morning, Pastor Ken Nydam will lead us in worship. His message will come from Matthew 19: 16-25, "The Cure for Greed."

This evening at 6pm, Pastor Adam Barton will lead our service. We'll see from John 3 how, "God, the World, So Loved."



Pastor Dirk and his family are on vacation this week. If you have a pastoral need, please contact your district elder or the church office.



Prayers of Prosper

- Please pray boldly for Prosper Church!!
- Pray for *our children*. Pray that during the summer months they will know, hear and obey God!

REQUESTS

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

•Pray for rain! And thank him for the rain we received this week. Pray for safety for all those who make a living working outside! Pray also for safety as many will be traveling and on vacations during the summer months.

•Pray for those who deal with pain, addictions, depression, loneliness, anxiousness, marital struggles, worry or feeling overwhelmed. Pray that we will reach out to those in need as Jesus commands us to.

•We thank God for our young families and praise him for the gift of life! Pray for our expectant mothers, Kaycee Elsholz and Brittany Laughlin.

•*Pray for healing and comfort for...*

-Greg LaFrance is still in a lot of pain and is in Covenant Hospital in Saginaw. Pray that the doctors will find the cause of the pain and that he will gain strength to be able to start cancer treatments soon.

*"The prayer of the righteous is
POWERFUL & EFFECTIVE"*

~James 5:16

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**July 15,
2018**

Birthdays & Anniversaries

Happy Birthday to:

Today Jane Koetje
 Monday Morgan DeRuiter
 Linda Koetje
 Dan Villwock
 Wednesday Melissa Ebels
 Friday Bob Jenema**

**Our older members are important to us and we are so thankful for them. It's Bob's birthday on Friday, let's help him celebrate by sending birthday greetings this week to let him know how special he is. Bob's address is: 6480 Forward Rd, Falmouth, MI 49632.

Happy Anniversary to:

Today:
 Jim & Judy Steensma



Special Offerings for:

TODAY: Bible League
July 22: Mission Service Fund

July 8, 2018
 Total weekly Budget: \$ 6,794.19
 Actual collected: \$ 5,116.01



Thank you for the Week

This week's thank you goes to Helping Hands!!! Beth DeRuiter and Bonnie Brinks are very good at looking at the needs of our congregation and then scheduling meals to be brought in.

THANK YOU Beth and Bonnie for using your gifts in helping out those in need. We appreciate you!

Thanks also to those of our congregation who very readily say 'yes' when called to bring a meal. If you see a need, please give Beth or Bonnie a call or text and they would be more than willing to set up a meal schedule.



Is God calling YOU to teach our Children??!

Then this is a Call Out to YOU!!! Teachers are needed for Sunday School for the 2018/2019

educational year. Please talk to anyone from the Education Team to let them know you are interested.

And remember God does not call the qualified, He qualifies the called!! ~Amy DeZeeuw, Dries Dodde, Diane Koster,

Karl Marcusse and Missy Roper



"I give thanks to Christ Jesus our Lord who has strengthened me, because He considered me faithful, appointing me to the ministry."

~1 Timothy 1: 12

SERVE GOD GLADLY

"Your ability to serve God is not based on your past, but on your faithfulness today. If you are faithful with the task God entrusts to you, God will enable you to accomplish it.

... Whether God has asked you to pray for someone, to minister to a person in need, to lead a Bible study, or to care for those who are sick, strive to be faithful. You will experience His enabling as you serve Him."

~Henry Blackaby



OUR CHURCH SCHEDULE

July 15-21, 2018

SUNDAY

9:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE

6:00 PM EVENING WORSHIP

MONDAY

7:00 PM DEACONS MEETING

6:00 PM KIDS LEAGUE SOFTBALL -ages 5-9

7:00 PM KIDS LEAGUE SOFTBALL-ages 9-14

At the Falmouth Ball Diamond



PLAN AHEAD

◆ Deacons Meeting - THIS Mon, July 16, 7pm. Elders are not meeting this month.

◆ Education Meeting - Sun, July 22 after the morning service.

◆ Care Group #4 will meet Sunday, July 22 at 7:15 at Linda Corp's. Please finish the book of Job.

◆ Full Council Meeting - Mon, Aug 6, 7:00pm.

◆ District Potluck - Districts D-Dh and A-C will have a potluck Sunday, August 12, 12:00 at Church.

◆ August 19 - Pastor David Murray will lead both services.

◆ Hunters Safety Class - Aug 24, 25. More info later.

NMCS is seeking a qualified Christian individual to fill the position of Early Childhood Program Assistant. This is a part-time position. Interested candidates should submit a cover letter, resume and references to Finance Director Jenny Closson at jclosson@nmcs.us or call 231-825-2492 for more information.

ANNUAL PAINT THE TOWN BLACK 5K!!! There will be a 5K Walk and Run and a 1-Mile Walk/"Fun Run", both events open to all ages, in McBain on **Saturday, August 4th at 9:00 a.m.** starting and ending at NMCS. All donations received from the 5K will go to support the University of Michigan Cancer Research to find a cure for Melanoma. It is being hosted by the family of **Kelly VanHouten**, who lost his battle with this disease in 2013. So put on your sunscreen and join us! Find us on **Facebook @ "Paint the Town Black 5K"**, our website www.paintthetownblack5k.com or email **Kim Kuiper** at kim.paintthetownblack5k@gmail.com.



Today is Pledge Sunday for 2018/2019

PLEDGE SUNDAY

A note to the Congregation—The CEF fund makes Christian Education possible for ALL active members who desire this for their children. We ask that you prayerfully consider any sort of contribution for the upcoming school year. Extra pledge forms are available on the table in the Fellowship Room—please check which option fits you best, sign and place it in the collection plate or give to one of the deacons.