

# Opportunities to Serve at Prosper

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

**Today**  
**Infant** Kaycee Elsholz, Pam LaFrance, Morgan DeRuiter  
**Toddler** Pete DeKam, Audrey Lofton Avery DeRuiter  
**Evening** Erin J. Koetje, Betsy Rozeveld

**Dec 2**  
**Infant** Bonnie Brinks, Stephanie VanHouten, Maggie Yount  
**Toddler** Dawn Rozeveld, Erin J. Koetje, Nathan Koetje  
**Evening** Susan Dick, Emma Roper Collin DeKam

**Dec 9**  
**Infant** Amy DeZeeuw, Shelly DeKam Katelyn Buning  
**Toddler** Kenda Rivera, Jessica Nielsen Tyler Koetje  
**Evening** TBD

## Greeters

**Today** Lance & Kelly Taylor Mike & Sue Yount  
**Dec 2** Jerry & Bev Zuiderveen Jerry Agema, Nick Brinks  
**Dec 9** John & Bonna Baas Bernard & Shirley Brinks

**Sound**  
**Today** Kyle VanHaitsma  
**Dec 2** Allan Lucas  
**Dec 9** Gary Gandolfi

## Power Point

**Today** Jolene Sullivan  
**Dec 2** Wayne Roper  
**Dec 9** Dave Ebels

## Camera

**Today** Joseph Gandolfi  
**Dec 2** Fiona Sullivan  
**Dec 9** Cameron Baas

## Children's Message

**Today** Alexandra Dodde  
**Dec 2** Amy DeZeeuw  
**Dec 9** No Children's Message

**Ushers** - Head Usher: Harold Cnossen  
**Nov:** Steve DeZeeuw, Keith Dick, Mike Yount  
**Dec:** Randy DeZeeuw, Dave Ebels, Russ Rodenbaugh

## Security

**Today** Wayne Roper  
**Dec 2** Dale Brinks  
**Dec 9** Jeremy Hamilton

## Sunday School Elder

**Today** No Sunday School  
**Dec 2** Jeremy Hamilton  
**Dec 9** Dale Brinks

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

**Today** Teachers: Jessica Nielsen, Chris Dick Alyssa VanHaitsma, James Taylor  
**Dec 2** Teacher: Betsy Rozeveld Esther DeKam, Isabel Rozeveld Adrian VanHaitsma  
**Dec 9** Teachers: Sally Baas, Sue Yount Lily Sullivan, Avery DeRuiter

## Coffee Servers

**Today** Alexandra Dodde, Melissa Schoo Keith & Julie Rozeveld  
**Dec 2** Reuben & Kenda Rivera Ezequiel & Brenda Peña  
**Dec 9** **AM:** Manuel & Amberly Mejia Allison Marcusse, Diane Koster  
**PM:** The Fellowship Committee

## Cookies

**Today** SesiLee Cnossen, Linda Corp Esther DeKam, Mary DeKam Shelly DeKam, Valerie DeKam Beth DeRuiter  
**Dec 2** Bobbie DeRuiter, Cindy DeRuiter Ellie DeRuiter, Kim DeRuiter Phylla DeRuiter, Amy DeZeeuw Carol DeZeeuw

**Dec 9** **AM:** Diane D, Karen D, Becky D Carolyn D, Chris D, Jeanette D Karlene D  
**PM:** Lynnae D, Susan D, Kay D Alex D, Jamie D, Marjon D, Dawn E

**Nursery Cleaner** for Nov is Stephanie VanHouten for Dec is Carla Brummel



## Welcome to Worship at Prosper Christian Reformed Church!

*As one season flows into another, remember the love and goodness of God. Begin your worship with a humble prayer of thanksgiving. If you are a visitor, please stay for coffee and cookies in the Fellowship Room after the morning service; we'd love to get to know you!*

**This morning,** we have the opportunity to have Rev. Brad Jones lead our worship. Our text comes from Romans 16, "What's in a Name?" Pastor Brad and his wife, Kristin are answering the call to plant a church in Vista, CA. Prosper CRC is considering partnering with them in their ministry.

**This evening at 6pm,** our message will come from Job 42: 3, "From Job to Christ."



Following the service this morning, we will have a **Congregational Meeting** for the purpose of selecting new office bearers. We will also be voting on the 2019 budget.

**\*\* We ask that all Professing members of Prosper grab a cup of coffee, say 'hello' to a visitor and then please come back into the sanctuary.**



## Prayers of Prosper


- ◆ *Please pray boldly for Prosper Church!* Pray that we will see and know God's will for Prosper!
- ◆ Pray for our College Student of the Week: Gabriel Koetje. Pray for all our College Students as they will have many late nights finishing papers and studying for exams. Pray that in their busyness they stay close to Jesus!
- ◆ Pray for Sunday School children, their teachers and the program directors as they practice for the Children's Christmas Program.
- ◆ Remember our members who find it difficult to worship with us: June Boven, Betty DeKam, Eleanor Ebels, Bob Jenema, Millie Jenema, Marian Zinger, Cynthia Bazuin and Clara Squires.
- ◆ We thank God for our young families and praise him for the gift of life! Pray for our expectant mother, Brittany Laughlin.
- ◆ Pray for those of our congregation who deal with chronic pain, addictions, depression, loneliness, anxiousness, marital struggles, worry or feeling overwhelmed. Pray we will reach out to those in need as Jesus commands us to.

## Pray for healing and comfort for...

- Greg LaFrance and Jennifer Burkholder- each dealing with the effects of cancer.
- Harold Cnossen spent some time in the hospital this week with some issues with his heart. We thank God that he is doing well!
- Pray for healing for Pat Schoo's nephew, Zach Pluger after an accidental shooting to his face.
- for those of our congregation who deal with chronic pain and illnesses on a daily basis.

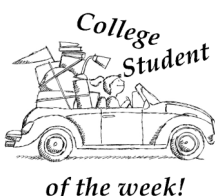
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**Nov 25,  
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**Happy Birthday to:**

Today	Shelly DeKam
Monday	Henri Cnossen
	Desiree Ebels
Tuesday	Eric Baas
Wednesday	Billy Elsholz
Thursday	Tim DeKam
	Lucas Ebels
	Tracey VanHaitisma
	Celia VanHouten
Saturday	Larry DeRuiter
	Katelyn DeZeeuw



**College Student of the week!**

**...is Gabrielle Koetje!!**

Gabrielle is a student at Baker College. This is what she has to say about her life right now: *“School is going great. I am in my last year which I can't believe. The past three years have gone so fast, which I am very thankful for. Nursing school is not easy, but I love it. God has really proven to me that nursing is the best place for me. I've been having a great time at my clinical in Traverse City. I am really looking forward to next semester; not only because its my last semester, but my clinical is where I want to be when I graduate. I don't know where that is yet, but I have faith that God will lead me where He wants me. I am blessed to like almost every specialty I have had clinicals in the past three years. The NCLEX (licensure examination for nursing) is coming up, which I am already very nervous about. Please pray for me as I am nearing the end and as I study and prepare for the NCLEX.”*

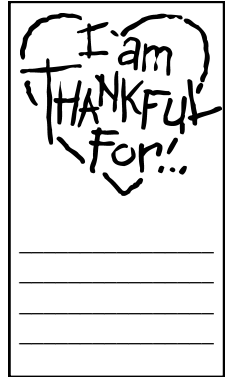
*~Gabrielle*

Send Gabrielle a note of encouragement...  
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**OUR CHURCH SCHEDULE**

**Nov 25-Dec 1, 2018**



**SUNDAY**

- 9:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE**
- 10:45 AM NO SUNDAY SCHOOL/CATECHISM**
- 10:45 AM CONGREGATIONAL MEETING**
- 4:30 PM CANTATA PRACTICE**
- 6:00 PM EVENING WORSHIP**
- 7:00 PM CARE GROUP #4-at Linda C's**

**WEDNESDAY**

- 1:30 PM LADIES AFTERNOON BIBLE STUDY**
- 6:00 PM GEMS-at Church**
- 7:00 PM MENS BIBLE STUDY - at the BARN**

**THURSDAY**

- 7:00 PM MAKING COLLEGE CARE PACKAGES**

**SATURDAY**

- 6:30 PM CARE GROUP #3-at Church**



**Attention Prosper Church We need YOUR help!!!**

A way of staying in touch with our College

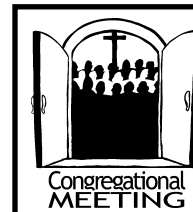
**Students is by sending them a Care Package during the busy and stressful time of school...but...we need YOUR help!!!!** There is a sign up sheet asking YOU for items that we can send them, or...be creative and bring something you think the kids would like.

- Some items we would like to include: homemade cookies (what a treat that will be!), caramel corn, hot choc., gum, fudge, etc. Some misc. items: chap stick, pens, markers, highlighters, etc.
- Help is also needed in putting the packages together. Please join us THIS **Thurs, Nov 29, 7pm.**
- We have 14 students! 14 Care Packages!



**Small Groups at Prosper**

- Care Group #3** will meet THIS Sat, Dec 1, 6:30pm at Church. Please study lesson 11.
- Care Group #4** will meet TODAY, 7pm at Linda C's. Please study lesson 5.
- Care Group #5** will meet Sat, Dec 8, 6:30pm at the BARN. Study lesson 3.
- Ladies Afternoon Bible Study** will meet THIS Wed, Nov 28, 1:30pm at Church. Please study lesson 8, *“More Worship Instructions.”*
- Men's Bible Study** will meet THIS Wednesday, Nov 28, 7pm at the BARN. Please study lesson 2, *“Becoming Doers of the Word.”*
- Women's Evening Bible Study** will meet Wed, Dec 5 at 7:00pm at the BARN. Please study week four, *“Reflection of His Heart.”* Lori E has snack.



Council thanks the congregation for presenting nominees for new council members —through much prayer and then the drawing of lots we have a new slate. The final selection of Elders and Deacons will take place by casting of lots at our **Congregational Meeting, TODAY** after the morning service.

Those up for a 3 year term of Elder are Dave DeKam, Gord Dick, Mark Shaarda and Mike Yount—two are needed. Those up for a 3 year term of Deacon are John Baas, Joel Brummel, Ezequiel Peña and Russ Rodenbaugh—two are needed.

Also, the proposed budget for 2019, approved by Council, will be brought to the congregation for final presentation.

THANK YOU!!!!