



Christian Reformed Church of Pease

April 14, 2024 - 9:30 A.M

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Mr. Jerry Van Someren

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We Enter God's Presence

Moment of Silence

Call to Worship

Opening Song: *"Blessed Assurance"*

God's Greeting and Our Mutual Greeting

Songs of Praise: *"This is My Father's World"*

"I Know That My Redeemer Lives"

Confession and Assurance

Song of Assurance: *"Living Hope"*

Intercessory Prayer: Dick Ritzema

Our Gifts: 1) General Fund

2) Pease Scholarship Fund

We Hear God's Word

Children's Message: Beth Sumner

Scripture: Numbers 11:4-23

Message: **"Is the Lord's Arm Too Short?"**

Song of application: *"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"*

We Depart with God's Blessing

God's Parting Blessing

Closing Song: *"My Life Is In You, Lord"*



Sermon Notes

And he died for all, that those who
live should no longer live for
themselves but for Him who died
for them and was raised again.

11 Corinthians 5:15



Because Jesus lives, God makes it possible for us to really be alive and experience the full joy of life-living in fellowship with God. Today we will experience the great love which Jesus Christ, our risen Savior, has for us through His Word. God is delighted that you have come to worship! Welcome!

This morning we welcome **Mr. Jerry Van Someren** who will be opening God's Word and preaching from Numbers 11:4-23. His sermon is titled "Is the Lord's Arm Too Short?"

Next week, **Pastor Dallas Smith** returns with his message, "Stepping Out on a Boat" based on Matthew 14.

The **SERVE** group is currently holding a Heggie's Pizza Fundraiser to raise funds for their trip to Muskegon, MI this July. Students will be at a table THIS MORNING in the Fellowship Hall after church to place your order. All orders are due April 17.



SNL meets tonight at 4:00! Kid's Club may be playing outside, so please dress your children accordingly! The Good News book study group will go over Lord's Days 38-42.



If you need some help understanding the **Pine Wood Derby rules** or what you can or cannot do to your car, come upstairs today from 3:30-4:00 to the workroom where Cadet counselors will cover those questions. Pre-registration takes place on the 28th, from 3:30-4:15 when you enter the Fellowship Hall to run trials for your car and make adjustments. The official scale that will be used at the race will be there. If you have an itch to make a car yet, visit the office with \$5 to enter the Open Class (yes, we have a trophy for that class too.)

The **Pine Wood Derby** is on Sunday, May 5! Weigh-in begins at 4:00, and the race begins around 4:30. Pizza and beverage will be provided!

Our Church Family

We express our sympathy to the family of **Char Dekraker** in the passing of her sister-in-law, Sharon Wagner, earlier this week in Michigan.

Anyone wishing to send cards or letters of encouragement to **Matt, Joanna Maja & Olivia Kuperus** can mail them to the following address. No extra postage is necessary: PSC 1650 Box 43/APO, AE 09103/United States

The Council has invited Pastor Joel DeBoer from Bunde CRC to present a **Pastoral Care Workshop** tomorrow, April 15 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend, as we learn how to be better equipped in walking with someone in their faith journey. If you are interested in attending this workshop tomorrow, please notify the office as soon as possible to ensure we have enough materials prepared.

Thank you to the Blue and Green Shepherding Groups for providing our final **Family Fellowship Meal** last Sunday! We have had a great season of food and fellowship, and appreciate everyone that participated in these events.

Stained Glass Window Update: We are excited to announce that the next phase of our stained glass window project will commence this Wednesday. We ask that you please be cautious if you come to church that day, as workers will be using the West entrance. The Building Team is very thankful to you, congregation, for your support of this project. To date, we have paid \$91,392.00. This leaves a balance of \$63,608.00. Of that balance, we will need **\$26,112.00** by the first of June to proceed. Your continued support of the project will be appreciated. Blue Stained Glass Giving envelopes are located on the tables in the narthex and may be dropped in the offering plate or left in the church office. You may also use the QR code provided to contribute through Tithe.ly.



The second offerings received for April are as follows:
April 21—125 Campaign April 28—GEMS

The Deacons gratefully acknowledge the following receipts from March:

Community Christian School- \$668.00
Perrin & Jodi Werner (Missionaries in Japan)- \$1,552.00
Milaca Area Pantry- \$832.00
125 Campaign- \$841.00
Resonate Global Missions- \$1,112.00

2024 monthly budget is \$44,195.56.
March General Offering received- \$34,139.57
Budget deficit of **\$9,970.78** for March

Applications for the **Gerrit Kiel Memorial Scholarship** and **CRC of Pease Scholarship** are due next Sunday, April 21. Applications will not be accepted after that date. Completed applications including supporting documentation and letters of consideration need to be given to Stacy Patten by the deadline. Contact Stacy with questions at 320-310-6086 or stacyspatten@gmail.com.

Pray: Pray for organizers as they prepare for the inaugural Gather event taking place in Minneapolis this weekend. In this first of ten planned events, five Christian Reformed classes are coming together to bear witness to God's work in their local contexts and to discern where God may be leading them into renewed ministry and mission. Taken from the April 2024 Prayer Guide. Learn more at: crcna.org/pray

Calendar for the Week

Sunday, April 14

9:30 a.m.

Sunday Morning Worship

4:00 p.m.

Sunday Night Live

Monday, April 15

1:30 p.m.

Mission Society

6:00 p.m.

Enhancing Pastoral Care Class

Wednesday, April 17

9:00 a.m.

Coffee in the Fireside Room

6:30 p.m.

REC Jr.

7:45 p.m.

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Thursday, April 18

6:00 p.m.

Thrive Parenting Roundtable Discussion

Upcoming Events

Saturday, April 27-28: GEMS Sleepover & GEMS Sunday

Sunday, April 28: Pine Wood Derby Trials & Cadet Parent Night

Sunday, May 5: Cadet Sunday & Pine Wood Derby

Community Announcements

April is Abortion Recovery Awareness Month. The **Rum River Life Choices Center** is providing a free and confidential abortion recovery program for women and men called *Forgiven and Set Free*. If abortion is part of your story, please give Rum River Life Choices Center a call at 763-389-7876 to begin your journey of finding redemption and hope in the arms of Jesus Christ.

Opportunities To Serve

Sound Board Today, April 14: Ryan Swanson

Next Sunday, April 21: Tom Patten

Media Today, April 14: Anita Hubers

Next Sunday, April 21: Linda Droogsma

Livestream Today, April 14: Sam Fradette

Next Sunday, April 21: Damian Patnode



Greeters Today, April 14:

East Door: Keith & Keri Cook

West Door: Pete & Betty De Boer

Next Sunday, April 21:

East Door: Donna & Twila Hastings

West Door: Jerry & Peggy Baas

Ushers Today, April 14:

East: Morris Droogsma

Center: John & Carol Teeler

West: Den Kiel

Next Sunday, April 21:

East: Carl Veurink

Center: Ron & Bonnie Homstad

West: George Droogsma

Nursery Today, April 14:

Leaders: Shawny Thompson, Haley Hemmerich

Helpers: Kinsley Hoyez, Kaylynn Patnode

Next Sunday, April 21:

Leaders: Nicole Hoffman, Julie Jaunich

Helpers: Annika Kiel, Ava Patode

Children's Church Today, April 14:

Little Lambs: *"Come to Me"*

Leader: Barb Goslinga

Helper: Ty Patnode

Worship Center: *"The Good Shepherd" and "The Lord's Supper"*

Leader: Joelle Hjort

Helper: Amelia Schluender

The 2-3's: *Lesson 25*

Leader: Julee Moorlag

The 4-5's: *Lesson 25*

Leader: Nicole Hoffman

Children's Church Next Sunday, April 21:

Little Lambs: *"Have a Great Day"*

Leader: Haley Hemmerich

Helper: Amelia Schluender

Worship Center: *"The Sea of Tiberias"*

Leader: Michelle Schluender

Helper: Ella Totzke

The 2-3's: *Lesson 26*

Leader: Shirley Geurkink

The 4-5's: *Lesson 26*

Leader: Jackee Bekius

Registration for
Vacation Bible School

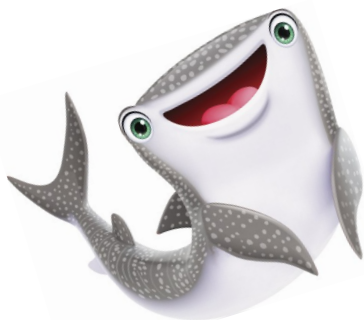
is now open!



June 10-14

9AM—Noon

Scan the QR code below to sign your kids up today,
or go to: vbspro.events/p/scuba-pease



Adults and youth entering 6th grade and above
please sign up as a volunteer using the same website.