



EASTER  
= SUNDAY =

# Christian Reformed Church of Pease

Mr. Jerry Van Someren

April 20, 2025

## We Enter God's Presence With Joy

Preparing for Worship

Call to Worship

Opening Song: *"Christ the Lord is Risen Today"*

God's Greeting and Our Mutual Greeting

Song of Praise: *"My Victory"*

*"This is Amazing Grace"*

Intercessory Prayer: Julee Moorlag

Our Gifts and Offerings: 1) General Fund

2) Resonate Global Missions

## We Hear God's Word

Children's Message: Shelly Ash

Scripture: Mark 16:1-8

Message: **"Finishing the Easter Story"**

Prayer of Application

Song of Application: *"I Serve a Risen Savior"*

## We Depart with God's Blessing

God's Parting Blessing

Parting Song: *"Because He Lives (Amen)"*



## Sermon Notes

- ♦ Thank you for allowing our nursery staff to care for your little ones so the worship of others will not be distracted.
- ♦ Children 3 years - 1st grade are invited to attend Worship Center following our children's message. At the close of the service, please retrieve your child upstairs, the first hallway to the left.
- ♦ As a courtesy, please switch your cell phones off or to silent mode.



He has risen! This was the joyful proclamation on the first Easter Sunday morning and we continue to proclaim it today. As we gather to look at the empty tomb this morning, may you be filled with awe and gladness at the victory that is ours through our Lord Jesus Christ.  
Christ has risen! He has risen indeed!

We welcome **Mr. Jerry Van Someren** to the pulpit this morning, as he looks to Mark 16:1-8 to base his message, "Finishing the Easter Story". Next Sunday **Pastor Travis Deur and the GEMS Girl's Club** will be leading our morning worship service as they share what they have learned this year!

There will be no 2nd-5th grade **Sunday School** classes this morning.

**Learn to trust Jesus in a wild world at True North VBS** on June 16-19



from 4-7 PM. Children age 3 through entering 5th grade may participate. We are also looking for volunteers (6th grade-adults) to help make our week a success! Please talk to Carrie if you are able to help. Registration is now open-use the QR code provided, or go to: [vbspro.events/p/truenorthpease](https://vbspro.events/p/truenorthpease).



The women of **Coffee Break** thank you all for your orders of Easter plants for the spring garden. Please pick up the plants you ordered after church. The rest will be brought to Shirley Geurkink's new home at 108 Bal Veld Drive in Pease, where they may be picked up at a later time. Happy Easter and to God be the Glory!



## Our Church Family

The **GEMS Sleepover** is next Saturday! RSVP's are due tomorrow- parents should check their email for all the details!

**Calling All Graduates!** We will be honoring all of our graduates with coffee and cake after our service on May 18, and would love to include any CCS, high school, or college graduates in a slide show highlighting their accomplishments. Please notify the office of the graduate in your life by May 4.

### **Pine Wood Derby Updates:**

April 27- 3:00 Derby trial runs & adjustments in Fellowship Hall

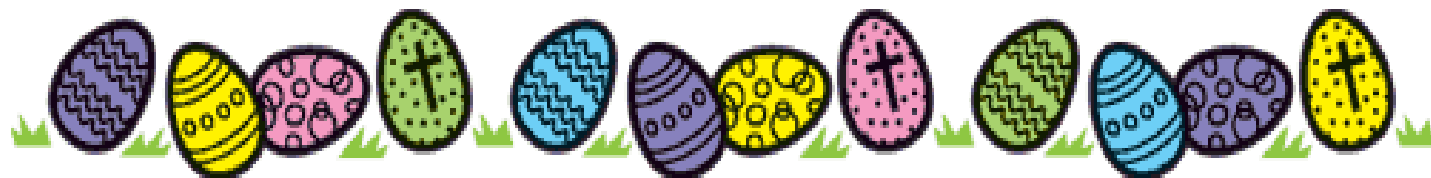
3:45 Parents invited to Cadet room for award presentation

May 4- 4:30 Weigh-in for Pinewood Derby (leave lubricants home)

5:00(ish) Pinewood Derby begins for GEMS, Cadets & Open Class (pizza and pop will be provided)

**Open Class**– if you would like to design a car for the Pine Wood Derby, and you're not in GEMS or Cadets, the office has a car for you and a copy of the rules governing the race. Bring \$5 for the car. All cars must be 5.00 oz or less to enter.

Applications for the **CRC of Pease Scholarship** are still available in the church office. Applications must be turned in by **next Sunday April 27, 2025**. If you have received this scholarship in the past, send a letter or email requesting consideration for a scholarship again this year. Completed applications including supporting documentation and letters of consideration need to be given to Stacy Patten by the deadline. Contact Stacy if you have questions. (320-310-6086; [stacyspatten@gmail.com](mailto:stacyspatten@gmail.com))



The second offerings through May will be received as follows:

4/27– GEMS

5/4- Community Christian School

5/11- Perrin Werner Ministry

5/18- Legacy Foundation

5/25- 125 Campaign



## Calendar for the Week

### **Sunday, April 20**

9:30 a.m. Easter Sunday Worship Service

### **Monday, April 21**

1:30 p.m. Mission Society

### **Wednesday, April 23**

6:00 p.m. Coffee Break

6:30 p.m. REC Jr.

7:45 p.m. REC

### **Thursday, April 24**

7:30 p.m. Men's Bible Study

### **Saturday, April 26**

3:00 p.m. GEMS Sleepover

## Advance Notices

- >Sunday, April 27: GEMS Sunday
- >Sunday, April 27: Pinewood Derby Weigh-ins & Trial Runs
- >Wednesday, April 30: Senior Bible Study
- >Sunday, May 4: Pinewood Derby
- >June 13-15: Cadet Campout & Cane Pole Fishing



## Community Announcements

"Follow sisters Alice and Jane as they participate in the mysterious Trial of the Seasons, learning important lessons in self-esteem, gratitude, standing up for oneself, and being present in every moment." May 3 and 10, 6:00 PM, doors open at 5:00, at the Sauk Rapids-Rice Middle School. Tickets available at [www.heart2toestudios.com](http://www.heart2toestudios.com).

## Opportunities To Serve

**Sound Board Today, April 20:** Bernie Boldt

**Next Sunday, April 27:** Ryan Swanson

**Media Today, April 20:** Anita Hubers

**Next Sunday, April 27:** Linda Droogsma

**Livestream Today, April 20:** Dylan Moorlag

**Next Sunday, April 27:** Damian Patnode

**Greeters Today, April 20:**

**East Door:** Dennis & Marian Beier

**West Door:** Brenda Santema

**Next Sunday, April 27:**

**East Door:** Morris Droogsma

**West Door:** Doug & Dort Brink

**Ushers Today, April 20:**

**East:** Terry & Sharry Kragt

**Center:** John & Carol Teeler

**West:** George Droogsma

**Next Sunday, April 27:**

**East:** Mitch & Edie Kuperus

**Center:** Harly Pap

**West:** Laura Broberg

**Nursery Today, April 20:**

**Leaders:** Julie Jaunich, Beth Sumner

**Helpers:** Maddie Pipkin, Aeli Luckhurst, Kinsley Hoyez

**Next Sunday, April 27:**

**Leaders:** Carrie Luckhurst, Jim Santema

**Helpers:** Ty Patnode, Lauryn Droogsma

**Children's Church Today, April 20:**

**Little Lambs:** *"The Best Day Ever!"*

**Leader:** Mary Koppendrayner

**Greeter:** Lauryn Droogsma

**Worship Center:** *"Jesus is Risen"*

**Leader:** Carol Veurink

**Greeter:** Aleeri Veurink

**Sunday School:** *No Class- Easter Sunday*

**Children's Church Next Sunday, April 27:**

**Little Lambs:** *"Goodbye- For Now"*

**Leader:** Barb Goslinga

**Greeter:** Keslyn Hoyez

**Worship Center:** *"The Road to Emmaus"*

**Leader:** Ann Byykkonen

**Greeter:** Ava Patnode

**Sunday School:** *No Class- GEMS Sunday*



Flowers have been placed  
in the sanctuary today  
in loving memory of:



**Gerb Spoelstra**

*by Louise Spoelstra & family*

**John & Marilla Koppendrayer**

*by Merlin & Bev Koppendrayer*

**Bob Hastings**

**Ed & Minnie Hastings**

**Bill & Rena Kooiman**

*by Donna & Twila Hastings*

**Bob Geurkink**

**Jonathan Geurkink**

**My Parents & Siblings**

*by Shirley Geurkink & family*

**Jim Hanenburg & Baby James**

**Andy & Shirley Hanenburg**

**Gerald & Helen Brink**

**Ben Patnode**

*by Brenda Hanenburg & family*

**Larry Patten**

*by Sophie, Cassie, Ricky, Millard,  
& Leslie Patten*

**Gert Kiel**

**Irene Kok**

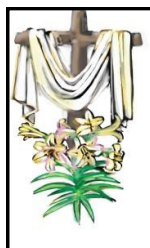
**Jim Vedders**

**Wes Geurkink**

**Ken Rindels**

**Buck Garin**

*by Pam & Bill Ruis*



**Layne Koppendrayer**

**Jake & Pearl Koppendrayer**

**Ben & Adeline Groen**

*by Kevin & Mary Koppendrayer*

**Mike & Nancy Kaluzne**

*by Bobby & Rachael Kaluzne*

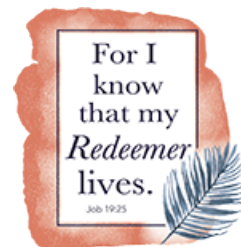
**Wayne & Flo Van De Riet**

**Wes Van De Riet**

**Bob Van De Riet**

**Don & Marilyn Hielkema**

*by Phil Van De Riet*



**Bob Christensen**

*by the Christensen & Rothanburg  
families*

**Lyle Christensen**

**Ken Christensen**

*by the Sherri Woller & Sue Petty  
families*

**Andy & Helen Kok**

*by Morris & Linda Droogsma;  
Laurie & Doug Braun & their  
families*

**Gary Timmer**

**Shari Timmer**

*by Carol Timmer & family*

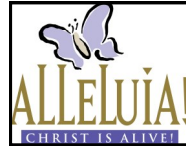
**Al Ruis**

*by Marla Ruis*





**Lee Kragt**  
*by his family*



**Carol Bouma**  
**Bob Christensen**  
*by Duane & Karen Bouma*

**Wayne & Florence Van De Riet**  
**Wes Van De Riet**  
**Bob Van De Riet**  
**Don & Marilyn Hielkema**  
*by Dick & Lois Ritzema*

**John Santema**  
**Kenneth Berndt**  
**Norval Backlund**  
**Carol Lagerstrom**  
*by Jim, Jenny & Corey Santema;*  
*Craig, Kayla & Lily Lagerstrom;*  
*Craig & Paige Santema*

**Harlin Hanenburg**  
**Our Parents**  
*by Lois Hanenburg*

**Melvin & Betty Droogsma**  
**Arlan & Della Martin**  
*by George & Shirley Droogsma*  
*& family*

**Jim Meyer**  
**Gerrit Baas**  
**Clarence & Emily Baas**  
**Gerrit & Irene Lengkeek**  
*by Jerry & Peggy Baas;*  
*Faith, Scott & Joe Meyer*



**Herman & Marie Hubers**  
**Dave & Shirley Hubers**  
**Glen Ruter**  
*by Steve & Anita Hubers*

**Alan Byker**  
*by Susie Byker & family*

**Harry & Christine Moorlag**  
**Don Kragt**  
**Jeanne Kragt-Barchinger**  
*by Tom & Stacy Patten & family*

**Joe & Josie Teeler**  
**Al & Dorothy Wierenga**  
*by John & Carol Teeler*

**Walt & Ann Smith**  
**Margaret Smith**  
**Duane Smith**  
**Ray & Bette Gaudinier**  
*by John & Carol Teeler*

**Floyd & Mae DeVries**  
**Ralph & Skip De Vries**  
*by Alan & Ruth Ann Kragt*

**Our Grandparents, Parents & Siblings**  
*by Doug & Dort Brink*

**Hank Veurink**  
*by Lorraine Veurink*

**Elaine Bekius**  
**Jay Bekius**  
*by Al & Barbara Bekius*

**Mark Hemmerich**  
*by Markie Hemmerich*

**Anita VanderLinden**  
*by Judy VanderLinden*  
*& Warren Liepitz*

**Leonard & Jean Meixell**  
**Oscar & Leona Kostanshek**  
*by Steve & Sandy Meixell*



**John Santema**  
**Bert & Dena Bekius**  
**John & Bertha Santema**  
*by Brenda Santema & family*

**Riley Jade Ash**  
*by Daddy, Mommy, Dylan & Bailey,  
Gracie, & Jaegar*

**Melvin & Betty Droogsma**  
*by the Duane Droogsma family*

**Gerald Droogsma**  
*by Jean Droogsma*

**Harry & Christine Moorlag**  
**Don Kragt**  
**Jeanne Barchinger-Kragt**  
*by Terry & Sharry Kragt*

**Grandpa Al Ruis**  
*by ALL of his grandkids*

**Lyle Christensen**  
**Ken Christensen**  
*by Dianne Christensen & family*

**Warren & Carolyn Kamstra**  
**Gerb Spoelstra**  
*by the Christensen & Rothanburg  
families*

**Ralph & Rena Top**  
**Henry & Margaret De Boer**  
*by Pete & Betty De Boer*

**Sidney Droogsma**  
*by Jean Droogsma*

**Mr. & Mrs. Ed Kok**  
**Mr. & Mrs. George Kiel**  
*by John Kok*

**Our Parents:**  
**Laurence, Donna, Lillian,  
Carl, & Elaine**  
*by Tom & Kris Kiel*

**Herb & Joyce Claffy**  
*by Phil & Deb Vedders*

**Ernie & Joan Droogsma**  
*by Morris, Linda, Brent  
& Derek Droogsma*

**The Dillan Great Grandparents**  
*by Brinley, Mark, & Benjamin*

**Pastor Arlan Koppendrayer**  
**Jake & Pearl Koppendrayer**  
**Bill Dekraker**  
**Loralie Knase**  
*by Char Dekraker & family*

**Frank & Joan Knight**  
**Mark Drangstviet**  
**Anna Schott**  
**Darlene Hanenburg**  
**Al & Lil Hubers**  
**Norma Hanenburg**  
*by Curt & Sharon Hanenburg*

**Ginny Brown**  
*by Sam, Emily, Ginny, & Ann Fradette*

**John & Irene Vedders**  
*by Phil & Deb Vedders*

**Irene Kok**  
*by Mike & Lisa;  
Adam, Shelby & Kaes;  
Trevor, Megan & Taylor*

**Harlin Hanenburg**  
*by Jeff & Jan Hanenburg*



**Bernard & Adeline Nobel**

**Curt Nobel**

*by Mitch, Deb, Marcus, Kealsie,  
& Connor Finley*

**Elsie Liepitz**

*by Judy Vander Linden  
& Warren Liepitz*

**Howard Kiel**

**Stan Kiel**

**Travis Kiel**

*by Joyce Kiel*

**Irene Kok**

*by John Kok*

**John & Joanna Kuperus**

*by Connie Geurkink;  
Dan & Myra Minks*

**Gerald & Helen Brink**

**Clint & Bev Pearson**

*by Sam & Jan Pearson & family*

**Bob Hastings**

*by Abbie Manke*

**Jim Vedders**

**Robert “Buck” Garin**

*by Al & Barbara Bekius*

**Kay Keimig**

*by Riley & Thomas Byykkonen*

**Elaine Manke**

**Otto Sorensen**

**Glen Ruter**

**Herman & Marie Hubers**

*by Ryan, Jamie, Cameron,  
& Abigail Manke*



**Rosena Van Driel**

*by her family*

**Marian Reed**

**Diane Piescher**

*by Denny & Marian Beier*

**Ervin & Winnie Roelofs**

**Jim Roelofs**

**Harlo Roelofs**

**Jay Roelofs**

**Danny Roelofs**

**Ralph, Sue, & Curt Brinks**

**George & Marvin Schreur**

*by Tim & Lois Roelofs*



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**Ben Patnode**

**Jim Hanenburg**

*by the Pipkins & Patnodes*

**Bill Goslinga**

*by Brian, Jill, Tom, Luis, & Félix*

**Warren Geurkink**

*by Connie, Mark, Tim, Patrick  
& Kristi Geurkink*

**Carol Kiel**

*by her loving family*

**Hank & Jennie Rensenbrink**

**Sidney & Freda Pap**

*by Harly & Pauline Pap*

**Ray & Alice Mosley**

**Karen (Mosley) Nelson**

**Elias Lloyd**

*by Lee, Carol, Shane, Alexis  
& Alyvia Lloyd;  
Jennessa (Nelson) Carlson*



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*by the Jim Santema family*

**Brenda Ellefson**  
*by Aeli, Owen, & Axel Luckhurst*

**John Kok**  
*by Mike & Lisa;  
Adam, Shelby & Kaes;  
Trevor, Megan & Taylor*

**Louise Spoelstra**  
*by the Christensen & Rothanburg  
families*

**Lois Hanenburg**  
**Bud & Vonda Terpstra**  
*by Jeff & Jan Hanenburg*



**Terry & Sharry Kragt**  
*by Tom & Stacy Patten & family*

**Dianne Christensen**  
*by the Sherri Woller & Sue Petty  
families*

**Steve & Anita Hubers**  
**Carolyn Ruter**  
**Bev Sorensen**  
**Jerry Manke**  
*by Cameron & Abigail Manke*



**Aunt Dort**  
*by Brinley Hemmerich*

**My Church Family**  
*by Shirley Geurkink*

**Donna Hastings**  
*by Abbie Manke*



**My Kids & Grandson:**  
**Jesse & Andrea Tuller,**  
**Justin & Amelia Vermeer,**  
**Josh Vermeer, & Liam Tuller**  
*by Hope Vermeer*

**Karla Garin**  
*by Bill & Pam Ruis*



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