



"Spirit on Them"

Numbers 11:24-30

Christian Reformed Church of Pease

May 24, 2026 - 9:30 A.M

Pastor Brad Bierma

Christian Reformed Church of Pease

May 24, 2026

Pastor Brad Bierma

We Enter God's Presence

Call to Worship

Opening Song: *"This is the Day"*

God's Greeting & Our Mutual Greeting

Song of Praise: *"King of Kings"*

Confession and Assurance

Song of Assurance: *"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"*

Intercessory Prayer: Dick Ritzema

Offering received for: 1) General Fund

2) Operation Community Connect

We Hear God's Word

Children's Message: Nicole Hoffman

Scripture: Numbers 11:24-30

Message: **"Spirit on Them"**

Prayer of Application

Song of Application: *"Dwell in Me, O Blessed Spirit"*

We Depart with God's Blessing

God's Parting Blessing

Parting Song: *"Spirit of the Living God"*



Sermon Notes

Thank you for worshiping with us today!

- ◆ If you're a visitor with us, we welcome you in the name of Christ and invite you to fill out the card in the back of the pew in front of you and place it in the offering plate. We would love to reach out to you and get to know you better!
- ◆ Nursery care for infants through age two is available during our service.
- ◆ Children in Worship is available for children ages 3-1st grade. Kids will be invited up front for a children's message, and will then be excused.
- ◆ Activity bags for small children are available near the office.
- ◆ Hearing enhancers are available in the Sound Booth.
- ◆ As a courtesy, please switch your cell phones off or to silent mode.



*...each one heard them speaking
their own language.*

Acts 2:6b

On this Pentecost Sunday we are gathered together to hear the good news about Jesus in our own language. We are products of the Holy Spirit's work begun at Pentecost, and may God continue that good work in us.

Welcome to the worship of our Triune God through the presence and power of his Holy Spirit.

This morning Pastor Brad will take a break from his series on creation to give his message from Numbers 11: 24-30 titled, "Spirit on Them". Next Sunday we welcome **Pastor Travis Deur** to join us in worship with a message from Genesis 3, "Back to the Beginning".



PENTECOST SUNDAY

Pentecost is celebrated on the seventh Sunday after Easter, and commemorates the descent of the Holy Spirit upon the Apostles and other followers of Jesus. Acts 2 details a violent wind from heaven and 'tongues of fire' resting on the heads of believers. They were filled with the Holy Spirit and began speaking in multiple languages, allowing them to communicate with people from various nations.

Please return your **Baby Bottles** next Sunday, May 31. Online giving is still an option at: rumriverforlife.org/donate. Let's help them reach their \$28,000 goal by joining area churches in this important fundraiser for the pregnancy center. The **Rum River Life Choices Center** appreciates all your support!



Our Church Family

Please continue to be in prayer for those who are receiving treatments for a variety of health conditions, including **Laura Lynch Bekius** and **Phil Van De Riet**.



Doing a little spring cleaning? We would love to set up a **puzzle and board game exchange** for families to utilize during the summer months. If you have puzzles or board games that are gently used (but still complete), please bring them to the Fireside Room over the next couple of weeks!

Anyone wishing to give towards the **4th of July Celebration** may do so by placing a marked envelope in the offering plate. All checks must be made out to the "*Pease CRC Picnic Fund*". The 4th of July Committee thanks you for your support of our country's 250th anniversary event!



You (and your children) are invited to the inaugural **Pease Shootout** on Saturday, June 20, for Christian

fellowship and a fun morning of shooting! This is for .22 rifles only, but you do not have to own your own firearm to attend. Flyers with information about how to register, as well as other details about the day, can be found near the office entrance. Questions? Talk to Josh Baas, John Goslinga, or Pastor Brad.



Today we celebrate Pentecost, the festival when Jesus' promise to send his Spirit to all believers was fulfilled (Acts 2:1-41). This is a great time to celebrate the gift of the Holy Spirit and the birth of the church. For ways in which you can celebrate as a family or with friends, download God's Big Pentecost Story: A Celebration for Families (DwellCurriculum.org/Home). Brought to you by Thrive: crcna.org/Thrive

Remembering- As we anticipate Memorial Day, we remember all who had a bright future and yet gave up their lives while serving their country. We pray for their loved ones left behind-friends and family who are grieving and may feel abandoned. Guide us to live in the hope that one day all wars will cease at the coming of Jesus Christ. Taken from the May 2026 Prayer Guide: crcna.org/pray

Pray

The second offerings through June will be taken as follows:

May 31- 125 Campaign
June 7- Community Christian School
June 14- Benevolent Fund
June 21- Vacation Bible School
June 28- 125 Campaign



Calendar for the Week

Sunday, May 24

9:30 a.m. Sunday Morning Worship

Wednesday, May 27

10:30 a.m. Senior Bible Study
6:30 p.m. Rec Jr.
7:45 p.m. Rec

Upcoming Events

June 3: Coffee in the Fireside Room (VBS Décor Prep Day)
June 9: Elders, Deacons & Council Meet
June 9 & 12: VBS Decorating Days
June 12-14: Cadet Campout & Fishing Trip
June 15-18: Rainforest Falls VBS
June 20: Pease Shootout & GAP Cookout
July 28: American Red Cross Blood Drive



Community Announcements



Memorial Day Observances will take place tomorrow, May 25, beginning at St. Louis Cemetery at 8:05 am. Dick Ritzema will deliver the Benediction at the Pease Cemetery at 9:25 am, and services will conclude at the Forest Hill Cemetery at 11:15.

Opportunities To Serve

Sound Board Today, May 24: Ryan Swanson

Next Sunday, May 31: Bernie Boldt

Media Today, May 24: Linda Droogsma

Next Sunday, May 31: Stacy Patten

Livestream Today, May 24: Bob Sumner

Next Sunday, May 31: Sam Fradette

Greeters Today, May 24:

East Door: Jay & Greta Rensenbrink

Next Sunday, May 31:

East Door: Dianne Christensen

Ushers Today, May 24:

East: Mitch & Edie Kuperus

West: George Droogsma

Next Sunday, May 31:

East: Carl Veurink

West: Laura Broberg

Nursery Today, May 24:

Leaders: Carrie Luckhurst, Jenny Santema

Helpers: Addie Bierma, Darin Moorlag

Next Sunday, May 31:

Leaders: Beth Sumner, Julie Jaunich

Helpers: Abbie Manke, Annika Kiel

Children's Church Today, May 24:

Little Lambs: "A New Friend"

Leader: Haley Hemmerich

Worship Center: "Jesus Appears to Thomas"

Leader: Michelle Schluender

Sunday School: No Class ~ Summer Break

Children's Church Next Sunday, May 31:

Little Lambs: "What is It?"

Leader: Peggy Timmer

Worship Center: "The Sower"

Leader: Carol Veurink

Sunday School: No Class ~ Summer Break



West Door: Den & Jayne Kiel

West Door: Pete & Betty De Boer

Center: John & Carol Teeler

Center: Harly Pap

Greeter: Ava Patnode, Aeli Luckhurst

Greeter: Amelia Schluender

Greeter: Josh Timmer, Amelia Schluender

Greeter: Aleeri Veurink



June 15-18

10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.



Register: To sign up your children ages 3- entering 5th grade, use the QR code below, or go online to vbspro.events/p/peasevbs



Volunteer: We need many adult and youth volunteers (entering 6th grade and up)! Talk to Carrie if you are able to help!



Prepare: Décor prep days are planned for May 20 and June 3 at 9:00 a.m. Bring your scissors and come for some coffee, sweet treats & fun!



Decorate: Decorating days are planned for June 9 & 12, with final touches on June 14!



Donate: Can we borrow any of the following?

- >Jungle-type décor (ferns??)
- >Artificial foliage (greenery, 'tropical' plants)
- >Large cardboard tubes & boxes (not returned)

