

## This Week's Events:

### Monday:

- Elders' Meeting: 6:15 p.m.
- Consistory Meeting: 7:30 p.m.

### Tuesday:

- Bible Study Fellowship: 7 p.m.

### Wednesday:

- Men's Bible Study: 5:30 a.m.
- Supper (soup & baked potatoes): 5 p.m.
- Middle School Ministry: 6:15 p.m.
- Cadets (1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade boys): 6:15 p.m.
- All Church Bible Study: 6:30 p.m.
- Church Made Simple: 6:30 p.m.

### Thursday:

- Coffee Break: 9 a.m.
- Women's Bible Study: 7 p.m.

## Prayer Requests:

- Tim & Nancy Kuzma's granddaughter Claire will have surgery on January 12 to have a feeding port put in because of abnormal throat anatomy and a malpositioned colon.
- Dan & Dawn Wedeven's grandson Cohen had surgery on January 6 to remove a cyst on his intestine and is back home.
- Jodi Geurink had surgery for a broken wrist on December 24.
- Scott and David Geurink's mom Mary fell outside and hit her head. She had a brain bleed that is already resolving. She is back home.
- Please pray for the BERG Church in Germany.
- Please pray for revival in the United States.
- Continued healing for Jerome Berens, Emily Boerman, Marcia Boerman, Maria Brockman, Larry Eding, Amanda Gaulke, John Koops, Betty Kroeze, Ashlynn Lengkeek, Mitch Lengkeek, Eric McCleery, Rog Smith, Andrea Mulder, Brenda Immink's cousin Steve, Tina Raak's sister Linda, Brittany McCarter's stepmom Kat, Rog Smith's great-grandson Wyatt, and Carl & Kathie Slotman's grandson Jack.
- Loved ones under hospice care: Missionary Lori Lampen's mom
- Our friends at home: Betty Kroeze and Shirley Price
- Our missionaries serving the Lord internationally and domestically.

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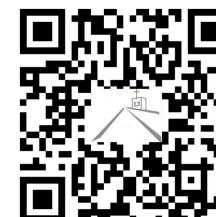
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### Service Times:

Sundays at 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.



# Bentheim Reformed Church



We exist to reach the lost, exalt Christ, serve the community, and teach God's Word.

## Lord's Day Worship

January 11, 2026, 9:30 a.m.

Pastor Kristoffer Popovitch

Scripture Meditation: "And the rain fell, and the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house, but it did not fall, because it had been founded on the rock."

Matthew 7:25

Prelude

Ringing of the Bell

Welcome

Call to Worship: Responsive Reading #629

Invocation

Songs of Praise:

*God Is for Us*

*How Deep the Father's Love for Us*

*Cornerstone*

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture: 1 Peter 2:1-10 (page 1204)

**Message: Just Who and What is Bentheim Reformed Church?**

Prayer of Application

Song of Response:

*Who You Say I Am*

Benediction

Doxology

Children's Ministry check-in/check-out is in the church lobby and at the entrance of the Children's Ministry Center (CMC) downstairs. Please check your children in before the service or when they are dismissed during the service. If this is your childrens' first time, you are welcome to go with them and stay the entire time or return to the service once they are comfortable.

## Today's Events:

- Bible Buddies (2-3 year old) & WOW Jr. (PreK & Kindergarten): Pick-up after morning service.
- WOW (1<sup>st</sup> -4<sup>th</sup> grade): Pick-up at 11 a.m. if not attending God's Gang
- God's Gang (PreK-4<sup>th</sup> grade): Pickup at 11:30 a.m.
- 5<sup>th</sup> grade: Pick-up at 11:30 a.m. in the CMC.
- Faith Seekers (high school) will meet in the youth room after the service until 11:30 a.m.
- Care for the Marginalized class, led by Al Gemmen, will meet in the consistory room after the morning service.
- Evening Service: 5 p.m. Pastor Kris' message will be "Swimming Upstream."
- High School Ministry: 6 p.m.
- Young Adults Group: 6:30 p.m.

We at Bentheim Reformed Church would like to extend a special welcome to visitors and guests. If you have any questions, please visit the Welcome Center or see the Pastor or Elders after the service.

If you call Bentheim Reformed Church your home church and you are not included in the church directory or don't have access, please let Jess Hassevoort know ([jessica@bentheim.org](mailto:jessica@bentheim.org) / 616-889-9467). We want to include you. The directory is an excellent way to put names with faces.

## Leadership:

**Pastor Kristoffer Popovitch, Lead Pastor**

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## 2026 Consistory

### Elders

Kyle Lampen, '26: Vice President  
Russ Lameris, '27: Assistant Vice President

Paul Scholten, '28: Clerk

Brian Scholten, '26

Tom Overhiser, '27

Jonathan Patmos, '27

Craig Jipping, '28

### Deacons

Gabe Busscher, '27: Chairman

Brian Brink, '26: General Fund Treasurer

Brent Russcher, '26: Building Fund Treasurer

David Geurink, '27: Mission Fund Treasurer

Michael Alexander, '27

Phil Brower, '28

Craig Mesbergen, '28

## Today's Worship Team:

Jackie DeVries

Dan Lameris

Marisa Patmos

Heather LePoire

Clara Rupp

James McCleery

Levi Rupp

Justen Medendorp

Thank you to all the volunteers who help make the worship service and all of the education ministries run smoothly. We thank you for your commitment and your love for the bride of Christ.