

This Week's Events:

Monday:

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

Tuesday:

- Women's Bible Study: 9 a.m.
- Bible Study Fellowship: 7 p.m.
- Women's Ministries: 7 p.m.

Wednesday:

- Men's Bible Study: 5:30 a.m.
- Supper (tacos): 5 p.m.
- Middle School Ministry: 6:15 p.m.
- Cadets (1st-5th grade boys): 6:15 p.m.
- All Church Bible Study: 6:30 p.m.
- Church Made Simple: 6:30 p.m.

Saturday:

- Firewood Ministry: 8 a.m.

Next Sunday:

- Christmas Hymn Sing: 5 p.m.

Prayer Requests:

- Jerome Berens is having issues with his left lower leg.
- Marcia Boerman has a partially blocked carotid artery and is having a stent put in on December 8 to hopefully stop her strokes/mini strokes.
- Praise God, the lump on Oliver McCleery's arm is common, and he will only need physical therapy!
- Bruce LaMar's sister's only grandchild passed away on November 21.
- Andrea Mulder was hospitalized with Rhabdomyolysis but is back home.
- Amanda Gaulke's small intestine transplant failed and she is again waiting for a transplant.
- Please pray for the BERG Church in Germany.
- Please pray for revival in the United States.
- Continued healing for Emily Boerman, Marcia Boerman, Maria Brockman, Larry Eding, Kevin Franken, Amanda Gaulke, John Kooops, Betty Kroeze, Ashlynn Lengkeek, Mitch Lengkeek, Eric McCleery, Rog Smith, Mary Smoes, 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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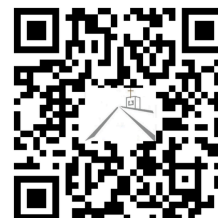
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Service Times:
Sundays at 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.



Bentheim Reformed Church



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

Lord's Day Worship

December 1, 2025, 9:30 a.m.

Pastor Kristoffer Popovitch

Scripture Meditation: "John answered them, "I baptize with water, but among you stands one you do not know, even he who comes after me, the strap of whose sandal I am not worthy to untie." John 1:26-27

Prelude

Ringling of the Bell

Welcome

Lighting of the Advent Candle
(Al Deboer)

Songs of Praise:
Sing to the King
O Come All Ye Faithful
Silent Night

Profession of Faith/Membership Transfer:
Joe & Shannon Hoffman

Baptism of Lucy Hoffman

Bible Memory

Kids Dismissed to WOW

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture: Isaiah 9:1-7 (page 680)

Message: **Wonderful Counselor**

Prayer of Application

Song of Response:
Angels We Have Heard on High

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 (1st -4th grade): Pick-up at 11 a.m. if not attending God's Gang
- God's Gang (PreK-4th grade): Pickup at 11:30 a.m.
- 5th grade: Pick-up at 11:30 a.m. in the CMC.
- Faith Builders (middle school) and 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.
- Marriage Class, led by Kyle & Michelle Lampen will meet in the tree house after the morning service.
- Choir Practice: 3 p.m.
- Children's Christmas Program: 5 p.m.
- High School Ministry: 6 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 / 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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2025 Consistory

Elders

Jeff Hoeve, '25: Vice President
Kyle Lampen, '26: Assistant Vice President
Tim Kuzma, '25: Clerk
Brian Scholten, '26
Russ Lameris, '27
Tom Overhiser, '27
Jonathan Patmos, '27

Deacons

Tyler Bliet, '25: Chairman
Brian Brink, '26: General Fund Treasurer
Brent Russcher, '26: Building Fund Treasurer
Scott Nyboer, '25: Mission Fund Treasurer
Michael Alexander, '27
Gabe Busscher, '27
David Geurink, '27

Today's Worship Team:

Al Gemmen
Jonah Walters
Averie Brower
Ava Lengkeek
Jon Brink
Grant Lampen
Josiah Dirkse
Eric McCleery

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.