This Week's Events:

Tuesday:

• Women's Bible Study: 9 a.m.

Wednesday:

• Men's Bible Study: 5:30 a.m.

• Quilting Ministry: 8:30 a.m.

• Supper (lasagna/pasta bake): 5 p.m.

• Middle School Ministry: 6:15 p.m.

• GEMS (1st-5th grade girls): 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.

Next Sunday:

• The Lord's Supper

Prayer Requests:

- Jack Schrotenboer, Helen Zeerip's brother-inlaw, is in the ICU because his blood levels are off for an unknown reason.
- Jerome Berens is having issues with his left lower leg.
- Marcia Boerman's surgery to put a stent in went well and she is back home.
- Andrea Mulder was hospitalized with Rhabdomyolysis but is back home.
- 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, Amanda Gaulke, John Koops, 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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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 14, 2025, 9:30 a.m. Pastor Kristoffer Popovitch

Scripture Meditation: "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep." John 10:11

Prelude

Ringing of the Bell

Welcome

Lighting of the Advent Candle (Kooienga Family)

Songs of Praise:
Hark the Herald Angels Sing
It Came Upon a Midnight Clear
Holy Forever (Christmas)

Professions of Faith: Hawkins & Lindsey Lewis

Baptism of Hawkins & Hailey Lewis

Kids Dismissed to WOW

Pastoral Prayer

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

Message: Let's Unwrap Gift 2 and 3: Mighty God and Everlasting Father

Prayer of Application

Song of Response: Good Good Father

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.
- Marriage Class, led by Kyle & Michelle Lampen will meet in the sanctuary after the morning service.
- Christmas Hymn Sing: 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.

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2025 Consistory

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Today's Worship Team:

Jackie DeVries
Brea Zoerhof
Bob Schutter
Clara Rupp
Flynn McCleery
Justen Medendorp
Levi Rupp
Jonah Walters

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.