

Nursery is available during the Morning Service and upon request during the Evening Service.

Our Mission

As followers of Jesus Christ we are called to worship, serve, and love so that God is glorified and lives are transformed.

Our Vision

Our vision is to become a loving presence in the community that connects people of all ages to Jesus Christ through engaging worship and meaningful acts of service.

THOSE SERVING TODAY, JULY 1ST

Ushers AM Garrett Prince (northeast), Den Heuker (southeast),
Dan Zuiderveen
Nursery AM Heidi Heuker, Patti Brouwer, Devon Kamphouse
Greeters AM West – Mike & Rose Nederhood
East – Larry & Sandy Pluger
Coffee Servers: Darrell & Kim Kuiper, Gerry & MaryJane VandenBerg,
Bernie & Linda Mulder

Please bring 5 dozen cookies each

Children & Worship Leader/Teacher: Danielle Pluger
Children & Worship Adult Helper: Deb Hoeksema
Children & Worship Child Helper: Kate Shaarda

Elder

Bob Zuiderveen
Rocky Schierbeek
Jim Pluger
Jim Benthem
Rog Hoeksema
Dan Tacoma

Church Families

A-B
C-Kamphouse
Kortman – L
M-Pluger
Pogue-S
T-Z

Deacon

Marc Pluger
Sam Yonkman
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Welcome To Lucas Christian Reformed Church

July 01, 2018



Worship Serve Love

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- ◇ **July 15—Autumnwood Church Service**
- ◇ **July 20—Booster Club Food Booth @ Cadillac Arts Festival**
- ◇ **July 20—McBain Days Community Pig Roast Potluck @ McBain Grain Company Parking Lot**
- ◇ **July 21—McBain Days Pancake Breakfast @ Fire Hall Barn**
- ◇ **July 21—Booster Club Food Booth @ Cadillac Arts Festival**
- ◇ **July 22—Combined Community Morning Worship Service**
- ◇ **July 22—Evening Worship Service @ Lucas CRC**
- ◇ July 23—Elder's Meeting
- ◇ July 25—Discipleship Committee Meeting
- ◇ **July 26—Lucas CRC Diaper Pantry**
- ◇ **July 28—Lucas CRC Diaper Pantry**
- ◇ July 30—Deacon's & Full Council Meetings

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Northern Michigan Christian School is currently seeking a qualified Christian individual to fill the position of Route Bus Driver. This is a part-time position and requires a CDL License and all appropriate endorsements and a current physical. Interested candidates should submit a **cover letter, resume, and references** to Finance Director **Jenny Closson** by email at jclosson@nmcs.us or call #231-825-2492 for more information.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Liz Curtis Higgs and Bible League International CEO, Jos Snoep, join the BL Volunteers in providing you a special day on Thursday, September 6th at Friendship Christian Reformed Church in Byron Center, MI. Registration Brochures are available from your **Key Contact - Elaine Diemer**, or online at: www.bibleleague.org/retreat18.

THOSE SERVING NEXT SUNDAY, JULY 8TH

Ushers AM Dan Tacoma (northeast),
Dave Zuiderveen (southeast),
Darrell Kuiper

Nursery AM Juli Tacoma,
MaryJane Vandenberg,
Kate Shaarda

Greeters AM **West** – Jim & Karen Pluger
East – Matt & Renee Pogue

Coffee Servers: Bruce & Karen Benthem,
Larry & Diane Kortman-Kirt,
Joel & Esther Nederhood
Please bring 5 dozen cookies each

Children & Worship Leader/Teacher:
Erin Lavender

Children & Worship Adult Helper:
Sandy (L) Pluger

Children & Worship Child Helper:
Mason Heuker

Praise Team: Green

Offering for Next Week:

AM 1st: General Fund/Budget
2nd: Christian Education Fund

Welcome to Lucas CRC! All are welcome to join us as we spend time meeting God in his Word. We pray that you will be fed and nourished by God's Word and that all will be changed through our time with Him. May God be glorified in our praise, our listening, and in our lives!

WEEK AT A GLANCE...

SUNDAY:

9:30 AM Morning Worship Service
Children & Worship
6:00 PM Evening Worship Service

TUESDAY:

7:00 PM Autumnwood Singing

WEDNESDAY:

All Day Independence Day

NEXT SUNDAY:

9:30 AM Morning Worship Service
Children & Worship
10:45 AM ***Congregational Meeting in the Sanctuary***
6:00 PM Evening Worship Service

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY:

This Morning we welcome Pastor Paul Mpindi who will be preaching for us. We are thankful for the work that God does through him at **Mission French Africa**, and for his willingness to lead us this Morning. This **Evening, Pastor Mike Sherf, from Clam River Chapel**, will lead our Evening Service. We are thankful for these men, and pray that God will speak through them to feed us with his Word **TODAY**. Pastor Todd will be on Vacation until **Saturday, July 7th** and will be back to lead **both Worship Services Next Week Sunday, July 8th**. If you have a need during this time, please contact your **District Elder**.

Thank you to Kids, Parents, Grandparents, EVERY VBS Volunteer, Little Blessings (& Diane), Pastor Todd, Covenant CRC, and Lucas CRC for your commitment to Time Lab VBS! Jesus Reigns 🎵Alpha and Omega 🎵!

SERMON SERIES:

Next Week Sunday Morning, July 8th, Pastor Todd will begin the Summer Sermon Series *Tough Stuff in the Bible*. Many of you have submitted ideas and suggestions for passages that are hard to understand or difficult to accept. We will spend the summer months considering these passages that YOU have said are tough stuff in the Bible. If you would still like to submit an idea, you may still do that through email, text, or write it down and put it in **Pastor Todd's box**.

Next Week Sunday Night, July 8th, in our Evening Services we will return again to *The Dragon-Slayer Saga, as we make our way through the book of Revelation*. We will be picking up again in **Chapter 8**. You are encouraged to read through book of Revelation again! Or at least read through **Chapters 8 and 9**.

PERIODICALS:

⇒ JULY/AUGUST TODAY'S
⇒ DISABILITY CONCERNS
BREAKING BARRIERS
NEWSLETTER

ARE AVAILABLE ON THE
FELLOWSHIP HALL TABLE; PLEASE
FEEL FREE TO TAKE A COPY TO
PERUSE AT YOUR LEISURE!

JULY LUCAS LINKS ARE
AVAILABLE TODAY. LOOK IN
YOUR CHURCH BOX OR ON THE
FELLOWSHIP HALL TABLE FOR
YOUR COPY! QUESTIONS, SPEAK
WITH DIANE KORTMAN-KIRT.

MINISTRIES @ LUCAS

*Children & Worship—Ages 3-5—
TODAY—Classroom #1 studying
The Jesus Storybook Bible &
Assorted Crafts—Ally Brinks*

BOOSTER CLUB BUSINESS:

CADILLAC ART FESTIVAL - The
Booster Club is Serving Food at the
Cadillac Arts Festival on Friday,
July 20th, and Saturday, July 21st.
Please check the Sign-Up Sheets on
the Fellowship Hall table to verify
what items you previously specified
that you would be willing to donate
for this Upcoming Event. There are
index cards or post-its available if
you need something to remind you
at home. Thank you so very much in
advance for all of your continued
support for the Lucas CRC Booster
Club! **Any Questions, contact
Carrie Stahl!**

OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES:

We will be singing at Autumnwood on
Tuesday, July 3rd, at 7:00 p.m. Everyone is
welcome to come sing with us! Questions
please touch base with **Jim Pluger.**

FELLOWSHIP FUNCTIONS:

4th Annual Camping Trip on Friday, August 17th – Sunday, August 19th. Each
Family is responsible for making their own **Reservations by either calling or
booking online TODAY.** They are no longer able to hold Sites. We are trying to
keep our Group in the same **section (Lots #34-38)** So be sure to make your
Reservation soon, so our Group is more likely to be all together! Tent Sites & Cabins
are also available! **See DeAnn Prince, with any Questions!**

It is that time of year again to enjoy Fellowship around a Campfire with good
Food!!! Please bring a **Dish to Share, your own Chairs, and a Roasting Fork to
Patrick & Erin Lavender's House** immediately following the Evening Worship
Service on **Sunday, July 15th.** The Fellowship Committee will provide Hot Dogs,
Buns, Condiments, and disposable Tableware. The host will provide Beverages or a
Dish to Share. **We encourage you to bring your own Dishes if you would like too.**
Any Questions, please feel free to contact **Jennifer Van Houten.**

Now that Pastor Todd has completed his course work and has been
approved at Synod for a call; Lucas CRC needs to move forward to
formally call him. A short Congregational Meeting will be held
immediately after the **Morning Worship Service Next Sunday, July
8th** to vote to call Pastor Todd Kuperus.

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Aetna and Vogel Center Booster Clubs' will once
again have a Food Booth at the Falmouth
Fireworks Event. Brats, hotdogs, soft pretzels,
nachos and cheese, brownies, popcorn, candy, pop,
and water will be available. All proceeds go towards
Christian Education. Come out for a night of family,
fun, food, and fellowship!! Food will be available for
purchase **6:00 p.m. - Dusk.**

Falmouth Area Churches invite you to bring your
Lawn Chairs and celebrate Independence Day at
the Falmouth Pond on Wednesday, July 4th! Local
Booster Clubs will be serving pies/dessert and ice
cream, hotdogs, brats, chips and cheese, popcorn, pop,
water, coffee, and other goodies. **FREE kids games
and family fun activities will also take place.** A
Concert will start about **7:30 p.m.** and the **Firework
Show** will be at **dusk! ALL THE FUN BEGINS AT 5:30
p.m. on July 4th at Falmouth Pond.**

On Saturday, July 7th —Falmouth area Churches
invite BIKE RIDERS of ALL ages and skill levels
to join together for a FREE family fun BICYCLE
RIDE routing through beautiful, downtown
Falmouth! For more information or to print your
Registration Form, please visit [www.facebook.com/
events/2045668178986017](http://www.facebook.com/events/2045668178986017) or email
falmouthed@gmail.com or call #231-667-0322.

Rehoboth Ramble 5K Run/Walk: Join us on
Saturday, July 21st, for a fun and affordable 5K to
benefit Life Resources of Northern Michigan!
Route begins and ends at Rehoboth Reformed
Church in Lucas. Race begins at **8:00 a.m.,** and all
participants receive a **free T-Shirt** as well as a
Pancake Breakfast after the race. **Registration is
only \$15, with a \$45 cap per family.** For more
information and to register, visit
www.rehoboth.church/ramble or call #231-775-7943.

Do you love Pancakes and Serving Others? Calling all Volunteers, at least 30 needed, to help out at the
Annual McBain Days Pancake Breakfast, scheduled for Saturday, July 21st! Volunteers are responsible for
many tasks, including those listed below and on the Sign-Up Sheet. Help is needed starting on Friday
Afternoon through Clean-Up Saturday Morning. Please **Sign-Up on the Sheet** on the Fellowship Hall table to
help with any of these options! Any questions, talk to **Joyce Falan, Linda Mulder, or Faith Lawson.**

- ◆ Haul Tables and Chairs from McBain Baptist Church: This is still being determined, see **Joyce Falan** with questions.
- ◆ Grills from McBain Grain Company: Need a couple of people to go to McBain Grain Company **Friday afternoon (they close at 5:00 p.m.)** to get the Grills (will fit in a Pickup) and have them to the **Fire Barn Friday Night by 7:00 p.m.** So they can be set up, tested, and ready to use in the Morning. These will also need to be returned to the McBain Grain Company when the Breakfast is done.
- ◆ Haul Tables from Church and have to **Fire Barn by 7:00 p.m. Friday Night** so the Grills can be set up. There will also be **Boxes of Supplies** that will need to be brought to the **Fire Barn Friday Night.**
- ◆ Heat Sausages: This needs to be done at your Home on **Saturday Morning and be at the Fire Barn, some by 7:15 a.m. and some by 8:15 a.m.** It would be great if these were brought in a **Crock Pot or Roaster.**