

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, JUNE 3RD**

**Ushers AM** Ron Brouwer (northeast), Becky Nicholas (southeast),  
Dave Zuiderveen

**Nursery AM** Angie Kamphouse, Sandy (G) Plugger, Sydney Heuker

**Greeters AM** **West** – Diane & Larry Kortman-Kirt  
**East** – Darrell & Kim Kuiper

**Coffee Servers:** Dan & Jan Van Houten, Faith Lawson,  
Ken & Judy Kamphouse

**Please bring 5 dozen cookies each**

**Children & Worship Leader/Teacher:** Renee Pogue

**Children & Worship Adult Helper:** DeAnn Prince

**Children & Worship Child Helper:** Dereck Kamphouse

#### **Elder**

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

#### **Church Families**

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

#### **Deacon**

Marc Plugger  
Sam Yonkman  
Dan Zuiderveen  
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# Welcome To

# Lucas Christian Reformed Church

## June 03, 2018



*Worship Serve Love*



## **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- ◇ June 16—Private Event @ Church
- ◇ **June 17—Father's Day**
- ◇ June 18—Elders Meeting
- ◇ June 23—Private Event @ Church
- ◇ June 25—Deacon's & Full Council Meetings
- ◇ **July 1—Autumnwood Church Services**
- ◇ **July 4—Independence Day**
- ◇ **July 15—Campfire @ Patrick & Erin Lavender's**
- ◇ **July 21—McBain Days Pancake Breakfast**
- ◇ **July 22—Combined Morning Worship Service @ McBain Baptist Church**
- ◇ July 25—Discipleship Committee Meeting
- ◇ **July 26 & 28—Lucas CRC Diaper Pantry**

## **COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Love in the Name of Christ Golf Outing is coming up on this Saturday, June 9<sup>th</sup> at the beautiful Emerald Vale Golf Course in Manton, MI.** The cost is \$75.00 per Golfer for 18 holes, a delicious Lunch and a good time. Space is available for Golfers and also Sponsorship. If you are interested in having fun on the course and helping our Ministry reach those of our Community in need, please call the **Love Inc. Office** at #231-779-1888 for more information. Thank you for your support!

**Highland CRC is sponsoring a Blood Drive on Wednesday, June 13<sup>th</sup> from 2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.** Our Strong Tower Group will receive \$10 for each person attempting to donate blood. If you can donate, please call **Michigan Blood, #866-642-5663**, to set up an Appointment, or stop in whenever it's convenient for you. Thank you for saving lives!

## **COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Space is limited at the September 6, 2018 Bible League Volunteer Retreat.** Sign-Up today to enjoy the day of fellowship with Special Guests, including **Key Note Speaker, Liz Curtis Higgs.** Her messages are biblical, encouraging, down-to-earth, and profoundly funny, helping sisters and seekers experience the depth of God's love. **Registration Brochures are available from your Key Contact:** Elaine Diemer or online at [www.bibleleague.org/retreat18](http://www.bibleleague.org/retreat18).

## **THOSE SERVING NEXT SUNDAY,** **JUNE 10TH**

**Ushers AM** Larry Pluger (northeast),  
Kathy Spoelma (southeast),  
Dan Tacoma

**Nursery AM** Brenda Benthem,  
JoAnne Benthem,  
Dereck Kamhouse

**Greeters AM** **West** – Emilie Kuipers  
**East** – Patrick & Erin Lavender

**Coffee Servers:** Rog & Deb Hoeksema,  
Ron & Patti Brouwer,  
Mike & Rose Nederhood  
**Please bring 5 dozen cookies each**

**Children & Worship Leader/Teacher:**  
Talli Bode

**Children & Worship Adult Helper:**  
Faye Lutke

**Children & Worship Child Helper:**  
Emma Shaarda

**Praise Team:** Green

**Offering for Next Week:**  
**AM** 1st: General Fund/Budget  
2nd: Christian Education Fund

**W**elcome to Lucas CRC! A special welcome to all visitors! We hope that you are blessed, encouraged, challenged and uplifted through your time here with us. Please let us know if you have any questions or if you need prayer.

## **WEEK AT A GLANCE...**

### **SUNDAY:**

9:30 AM Morning Worship Service  
Children & Worship

10:45 AM **Graduates Cake Reception in the Fellowship Hall**

6:00 PM Evening Worship Service

### **MONDAY:**

**At Night Private Event @ Church**

### **TUESDAY:**

7:00 PM Autumnwood Singing

### **SATURDAY:**

5:30 PM Council "All Stars" vs. Lucas "Pilgrim Sluggers" Ball Game @ **Ball Field near McBain Public School**

7:00 PM **Campfire @ Kathy Spoelma's**

### **NEXT SUNDAY:**

9:30 AM Morning Worship Service  
Children & Worship

2:00 PM **Jail Ministry @ Missaukee County Prison**

6:00 PM Evening Worship Service

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR OUR CHURCH FAMILY:**

**PRIVATE EVENT:** this coming **Monday Night, June 4<sup>th</sup>** at Church. So please plan accordingly!

### **SERMON SERIES:**

**Pastor Todd needs your help for a Summer Sermon Series. Starting in July, we will go through a Series on Tough Stuff in the Bible, where we will look together at some of the more difficult Passages of Scripture.** What are the Passages or Parts of the Bible that you find hard to understand, or hard to accept? Submit your ideas to **Pastor Todd** by text, email, or by writing it down on a piece of paper.

**Our Evening Sermon Series, The Twelve, will continue this Evening as we are studying the Twelve Disciples.** Jesus chose and used doubters, sinners, and "nobodies" to be his disciples and to be the Foundation of the Church. Learning about these men, can help us see how Jesus can use us as well.

**It's not too late to join the Profession of Faith Class.** If you are interested in making Profession of Faith, if you want to learn more about what Profession of Faith is, or if you simply want a refresher on what we believe, this Class is for you. There are no age limits or requirements in order to be part of the Class. **Contact Pastor Todd if you are interested.**

**PLEASE SAVE FOR VBS CRAFTS!!! Toilet Paper Rolls, Paper Towel Rolls, Pringles Cans, Soup Cans, Milk Jug Caps, and Pie Tins** are needed for various art projects/crafts. There will be a labeled tote in the Fellowship Hall for these Items. Thank You!

## MINISTRIES @ LUCAS

- ⇒ *Children & Worship*—Ages 3-5—**TODAY**—Classroom #1 studying The Jesus Storybook Bible & Assorted Crafts—**Ally Brinks**
- ⇒ *Vacation Bible School*—Ages 4 yrs. old—5th Grade—**June 19, 20, & 21**—9:00 a.m.—11:00 a.m. Time Lab! - **Dan Tacoma, Cindy Schierbeek, Diane Kortman-Kirt, & Faith Lawson**

## PERIODICALS:

**\*\*MAY/JUNE TODAY'S**

**\*\*NMCS COMET CONNECTION — LAST ONE!!!**

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

**JUNE 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.**

## CADETS:

**The Lucas CRC Cadet Club needs Leaders!** We are looking for Men who have it in their heart to help **Boys in Grades 1<sup>st</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup>** grow more Christ-like in all areas of their life. If this sounds like you (or if you just want to learn more), please talk to **Kraig Van Houten in person or @ #231-429-1874.**

## OUTREACH OPPORTUNITIES:

**We will be Singing at Autumnwood on Tuesday, June 5<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 p.m.** Everyone is welcome to come sing with us! Questions please touch base with **Jim Pluger.**

**Jail Ministry:** It is Lucas' turn to be represented at the Missaukee County Jail. If you would like to help with this Ministry **Next Sunday, June 10<sup>th</sup>,** please let **Rog Hoeksema** know.

**As a Church Family and Community, we are always looking for ways that we can encourage, bless, and support each other, especially in times of need.**

As many of you know, **Courtney Box** has been dealing with MS for the last few years. Reeves and Courtney have been made aware of a very promising and hopeful stem cell treatment that could seriously reduce the effects of Courtney's MS. However, this treatment is not covered by insurance and, as you can imagine, is quite costly. **The Lucas CRC Deacons are encouraging us as a Church and Community to come alongside Reeves and Courtney and help to make this Treatment a possibility.**

Reeves and Courtney have set up a GoFundMe page where you can find out more Information and you can donate toward the overall goal of \$20,000. Simply go to: <https://www.gofundme.com/stand-with-Courtney>. If you would like to support Courtney without going through the GoFundMe page, contact one of the **Deacons at Lucas CRC.**

## FELLOWSHIP FUNCTIONS:

**Graduates from High School, Trade School, and College!** There will be a **Cake Reception TODAY** served immediately after the Morning Worship Service during Coffee Service time, to celebrate your achievements! **Please don't forget to sign the Congrats Cards then as well!** Thanks, the Fellowship Committee.

**The undefeated Lucas Council "All Stars" and their Spouses have agreed to host an Exhibition Softball Game against any and all Members of the Congregation.** The All Stars feature such notables as: **Z Z Zuiderveen, Jim Buggins, Kaline Kuperus, Bo Bo Pluger, and Rocky Cultivator.** The Game is scheduled for this coming **Saturday, June 9<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m. at the Field North of Kathy Spoelma's House.** Following the Game there will be a **Campfire/Potluck at Kathy's House** to celebrate the All Stars Victory. A retired EMS might be in attendance at the Game.

**"Lucas Pilgrim Sluggers" cordially invites any and all fellow Pilgrims in our Congregation to join us in rising to the Challenge offered by the "Lucas Council All Stars" and their Spouses.** Come one, come all - man, woman, and child - to join in Challenge on the Field or cheer and encourage from the Stands! If you are interested in matching skills with the Council All Stars contact **Den Heuker or Dan Shaarda** who will try to bring together a Team to best the Council All Stars!

**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 Kathy Spoelma's House** immediately following the conclusion of the Council "All Stars" vs. Lucas "Pilgrim Sluggers" Baseball Game on **Saturday, June 9<sup>th</sup>.** This Event is being co-hosted by **Kathy Spoelma and Jerry & Donna Lutke!** 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.**

**Are you & your family interested in attending another Great Lakes Loons Baseball Game in Midland, MI., on Saturday, August 4<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 p.m., the Lucas CRC Fellowship Committee wants to know!** There will be a **Sign-Up Sheet** on the Fellowship Hall table to write your name on, and for how many in your family will attend **until Sunday, June 17<sup>th</sup>!** We have **30 seats Reserved!** The cost is **\$9.50/person (Box Ticket) and \$5.00/person (Meal Ticket).** We will determine Car Pooling Strategies closer too! Benefits include: Early admittance into stadium, Watch Visitors and Loons batting practice, Exclusive Stadium Tour, Prize Giveaways, Fireworks, and Tons of Activities for Children during the Ball-Game, etc.! Please ask any and all Questions to **Jennifer Van Houten.**