

# New Holland Christian Reformed Church

Sunday September 3, 2023

## 10:00 AM Worship

Prelude

\*Welcome, Call to Worship, Praise Songs

*My Faith Looks up to Thee* #262

*Fill Thou My Life, O Lord My God* #547

\*God's Greeting / Mutual Greeting

Announcements

Congregational Prayer

Children's Sermon

Offerings General Fund/Denominational Shares

(Children ages 3-5 may leave for Children's Church.

Meet at the back of the sanctuary.)

Scripture Revelation 2:18-29

Message **Bend or Die**

Prayer

\*Song *Be Thou My Vision* CH #562 vs 1,2,3

\*God's Blessing

\*Closing Song *Be Thou My Vision* CH #562 vs 4

\*Postlude

**\*Congregation Standing (if able)**

Please note: Hearing devices are available at the Sound Booth. Nursery is provided in the Fellowship Hall during worship. Please join us for refreshments/fellowship after the morning service in the Fellowship Hall.

## **Announcements**

**Happy Birthday** and best wishes to our senior members with birthdays this week: Percy Dykshorn (September 5), KayAnn Hubers (September 8), Joan DeVelder (September 10).

Thanks to everyone who attended **Family Fun Night!** Approximately \$7900 was raised for the New Building Fund. Thanks to Sarah and Val for organizing this and to Work Group 2 for serving the walking tacos and supervising the Bake Sale.

**The** September-October *Our Daily Bread* devotionals and *Today* devotionals are on the back tables.

**NHCRC Council** will meet on September 5 at 7:30 PM.

**Update from the Search Team:** We are currently waiting for a Pastor to discern a date for a possible visit to New Holland. We were disappointed to learn that a Pastor that we had been talking to has decided not to pursue a possible move here, but we did receive another name of a Pastor and are looking into that. Thank you for your continued prayers.

**Sunday School** will begin next Sunday, September 10; a commissioning time for teachers and others will be part of the morning worship on September 17. A yellow information sheet is in your mailbox. It shows important dates, classroom location, and more.

In case you need it, here is **Pastor John and Barb Gorter's address:**  
13701 Lauerman St, Unit 36  
Cedar Lake, IN 46303

**Please find in your mailbox** a newsletter from Steve & Chelsey Nugteren.

## **Mark your calendars! Dakota Christian Harvest Sale!**

Thursday, September 21st, 5:30 - Live & Silent Auction

Tuesday September 12<sup>th</sup> 8:00pm – Tuesday

September 19th 8:00 pm– ONLINE Auction

The link to the online auction will be posted on dchs.net and the school Facebook page. Please note, the online auction and live auction are separate events with different items. If you or your business has a donation you would like picked up please contact Nicole VanZuidam 680-4202 Lydia Niewenhuis 680-9906 or Brandi DeLange 680-5035

**The Dakota Christian Harvest Sale Lunch committee** is in need of pies and bars to serve at the Harvest Sale lunch on September 21. If you would be willing to donate a pie or pan of bars, please call or text Rachelle Hubers 680-5417, Val Kuipers 680-4371, or Judy Hansum 680-9028. Thank you!!

**Platte Community Student Ministry Junior High Kickoff is September 6th** at North Park at 6:30-8:15, Games, food & drink, mentor/family time will be part of the kickoff.

**The Vine's Bountiful Table** next meal will be Sept 14. Menu will be Pork Loin. Sign up due date is Sept 10. You can sign up in the foyer of Platte CRC or call Norma at 680-1691

## **Recap of Bulletin Dates**

**September 5:** NHCRC Council meets

**September 6:** Coffee Break Bible Study starts

**September 10:** Sunday School begins

**September 14:** Vine's Bountiful Table meal

**September 17:** Sunday School Commissioning

**September 21:** DCS Harvest Sale

**September 28-October 1:** Couple's Cursillo Retreat

**Coffee Break Bible Study** resumes Wednesday, September 6 at 9:30 AM with Registration, when Study Guides will be handed out, along with some information in regards to Coffee Break. The first lesson from the seven-week study of Micah will be on September 13 at 9:30. Coffee Break is a Small Group Bible Study which meets weekly, Wednesdays from 9:30 -11:00 AM at Platte Chr. Ref. Church. We encourage women of all ages to join this community Bible Study. No particular Bible knowledge is required. Using our Bibles and Study Guides we together discover and share God's promises found in His Word. Come, learn along with us. Feel free to bring a friend. New members are welcome! For mothers who attend, there is nursery care for your infants to 2-yr-olds. The 3- to 5-year-old children will love attending Story Hour. Both of these are tended by loving and caring mothers. If you have any questions, please call Yvonne Bentz --337-3725.

**Usher & Lift Information:**

Head:	July - Dec 2023 N	Rudy Niewenhuis
	July - Dec 2023 S	Devin DeLange
	Sept-October N	Mitch Munneke, Jon Dykshorn
	Sept-October S	Todd Spoelstra, Scott Veurink
Lift:	September	Vic Munneke

**Upcoming Special Music:**

- 9/10** Brady & Sarah Baan Hofman
- 9/24** Barb Shea
- 10/8** Harvey Muilenburg

**Missionary Special Dates:**

- Aldo Sarti's birthday: September 14
- Victor Selemani's birthday: October 14

# **Sermon Notes**

The Seven Churches of Revelation

## **BEND or DIE**

Culture and Influence

Sermon #4 Thyatira—

1. Complaint
2. Complement
3. Correction
4. Consequence
5. Church

## **Today, Sunday September 3, 2023**

**Prayer at 9:30 am, Worship at 10:00 am**

<b>Valet</b>	Joel Muckey
<b>Accompanist</b>	JoEllen Dykstra
<b>Offerings</b>	General Fund/Denominational Shares
<b>Scripture Reader</b>	Bonnie VanderLey
<b>Praise Team</b>	Hymns
<b>Nursery</b>	Tyler & Bri V.; Mike & Danica Z.
<b>Children's Church</b>	Brady & Sarah BaanHofman
<b>Projection</b>	Ben Kroese
<b>Sound</b>	Kate DeLange
<b>Library</b>	Vonnie V. H.
<b>Coffee</b>	Tim & Grace Vander Ley
<b>Cookies</b>	Cyndee VanderPol, Aspen Niewenhuis, Carol Dykshorn

## **Sunday, September 10, 2023**

**Prayer at 9:30 am, Worship at 10:00 am**

<b>Valet</b>	Mitch Munneke
<b>Accompanist</b>	Deb VanZee
<b>Offerings</b>	Dakota Christian School/Victor & Lori Selemani
<b>Scripture Reader</b>	Brandi DeLange
<b>Praise Team</b>	Brianna Veurink, Gordy Munneke, Dan Veurink, Janet Beltman
<b>Nursery</b>	Riley & Katie Z.; Dalton & Kate DL
<b>Children's Church</b>	Rich & Nicole VanZuidam
<b>Projection</b>	Sarah Baan Hoffman
<b>Sound</b>	Colin Lagge
<b>Library</b>	Mavis Veurink
<b>Coffee</b>	Dave & Cyndee Vander Pol
<b>Cookies</b>	Brandi DeLange, Geneva Overweg, Sara Munneke

*Church-Hall Reservations: Cyndee VanderPol 243-2333 or 680-2042.  
Bulletin items can be emailed (mveurink@midstatesd.net) to Donna Veurink  
by noon on Thursday.*