

WELCOME TO AVERY STREET CHURCH! We greet those who are visiting with us today in the name of our Lord and Savior. Please join us for coffee after the service. Our Pastor and the greeting Elder are available to answer any questions you may have. For more information about the Christian Reformed Church visit our website at www.ascrc.org



THIS WEEK

Scripture: Psalm 10:1; John 16:33
Message: Who's in Charge Here? (V): "In Times of Trouble"

NEXT WEEK

Scripture: Acts 2:1-12
Message: "The Spirit of Pentecost"

MINISTRIES FOR AVERY STREET CHURCH HOSPITALITY

Greeting Elder
Doug Christians

North Door Elder
Bruce Laube

Offertory Deacon
Annie Rentz

Greeters: Jim & Maureen Childs
Ushers: Damien & Monique Paquet

Coffee Servers: **This week:** Paul & Sandy James
Next Week: Ken & Connie Johnson



Children's Worship: Elisabeth Winkel and Emma Lapierre

* * * **NURSERY** * * *

A nursery is available during the worship service. The nursery is located in the north hall of this building. Electronic pagers are available and will vibrate if it should become necessary for a parent to come to the nursery. For parents with small children, we also offer a "cry room" in which you can see and hear worship and feel more comfortable should your child become fussy during worship. It is located near the corner with the sound and visual equipment.

5/28/17
9:15 AM
Sunday School
Volunteer on Call

5/28/17
10:30 AM
Worship Service
Melanie Smedley
Brandon Nelson
(Elisabeth Flynn (on call infants))

* * * **AUDIO EQUIPMENT** * * *

A voice copy of the sermon is available on the church website at ascrc.org. CD copies are available as well. See Rich O'Neill or email him at roneill28@cox.net. Please specify sermon or service. Copies are ready the following week but can also be expedited if necessary. Thank you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU: We would like to sincerely thank the Construction Support Team for their diligent efforts in coordinating with the town in all aspects of the Beelzebub Road reconstruction project. This team was formed by council when the town first initiated their plans to shift Beelzebub Road onto what was then Avery Street Church property. They coordinated the real estate evaluations and legal paperwork for selling that land to the town, arranged for a temporary sign during construction, evaluated options for reconfiguring the parking lot entrance and traffic flow, and worked closely with the town and the sign company to completely renovate and relocate our permanent church sign. Team members are Barry Priest (team lead), Dave Hiskes, Monique and Damien Paquet, Cal Hulstein, Steve Zielinski, and Peter Ferwerda Jr. In particular, Barry spent countless hours ensuring that every detail of the various agreements was thoroughly documented and understood by all parties. Please take a moment to thank these team members for their outstanding work.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING: There will be a congregational meeting in the Fellowship Hall after church on Sunday, June 18. The purpose of the meeting is to approve the budget for the coming fiscal year (July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018), and to select one new shepherding elder and one new administrative elder. The retiring elders are Bruce Laube and Joe Christians. The nominees for shepherding elder are Gloria Ranney, Tony Liebl, and Brad Sylvester. The nominees for administrative elder are Cal Hulstein and Scott Smedley. Absentee ballots and copies of the proposed budget will be available beginning on Sunday, June 4. Please contact Joe Christians if you have any comments or questions.

Seniors Age 55 and Over: Our final luncheon before summer is Thursday June 1st, 12:30 pm at Teddy's Pizza Restaurant, Rte 30, 289 Oakland Road, South Windsor, CT. We had lunch at Teddy's once and many expressed a desire to return. Please let me know if you plan to attend so I can provide the owner with an accurate count. We will not be going out to lunch for the months of July or August. Thank you! Jim Childs, Email - jimchilds@hotmail.com

MISSIONARY NEED: The Lapians, ministering in a Classical Home Missions church in Dover, New Hampshire, are in need of a good used vehicle. If you have a car you are considering donating, the Lapians would like to be considered. Please contact Rose Hiskes and she will put you in touch with them.

This Week's Calendar

Sunday 5/28/17	9:15 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship Service
	(5:00) PM	(Taco Night) (NA)(FH)
Monday		
Memorial Day		
Tuesday	(5:00-10:00 PM)	(MRPF)(Church)
Wednesday	8:30AM	Men's Life (Emeralds)
	7:00 PM	Choir
Thursday	6:45 AM	Man-to-Man (FH)
Friday	6:30-7:30 AM	Men's Bible Study (Admin)

Next Week's Calendar

Sunday 6/4/17	9:15 AM	Sunday School
	10:30 AM	Worship Service
	(7:30) PM	(NA)(FH)
Tuesday	7:00 PM	Council (Admin)
	(5:00-10:00 PM)	(MRPF)(Church)
Wednesday	8:30 AM	Men's Life (Emeralds)
	7:00 PM	Choir
Thursday	6:45 AM	Man-to-Man (FH)
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CHURCH COUNCIL

Full Council/Administrative Council

Elders: Joe Christians, President
Bruce Laube, Clerk

Deacon: Kevin Crawford

Shepherding Council

Shepherding Elders and Deacons

District 1 (A-F)

Elder: Ed VanderLeest

Deacon: Sue Brownell

District 2 (G-L)

Elder: Doug Christians

Deacon: Chuck Hulstein

District 3 (M-Ra)

Elder: Barry Priest

(Secretary Shepherding Elders)

Deacon: Sandra Dominguez

District 4 (Re-Z)

Elder: Toby Lewis

(V.P. Shepherding Elders)

Deacon: Annie Rentz

MINISTRY MANAGEMENT TEAM

Elder Joe Christians, President

Marg Christians, Adult Ministries Team Leader

Jean Ohliger, Children/Youth Team Leader

Dave Hiskes, Support Ministries Team Leader

John Drohan, Worship Ministries Team Leader

Eric Rentz, Congregational Life Team Leader

CHURCH STAFF

Pastor: Rev. Dave Poolman (644-2731)

Church Secretary: Bev Kaldy (644-2731)

Custodian: Randy Wiggins

Michael May

Treasurer: Shirley Mannheim

Sonshine Ministry: Melanie Smedley

Transportation Coordinator: Lucy Berghuis

FAITH PROMISE MISSIONARIES

Jermayne & Meredith Chapman, Indianapolis, Indiana

Jim & Josephine Zylstra, Tanzania

Rev. Timothy & Wilma Palmer, Nigeria

Bruce & Pam Johnson, Japan

MISSION STATEMENT

Avery Street Christian Reformed Church seeks to be a church of obedient Disciples of Jesus making obedient Disciples of Jesus.

VISION STATEMENT

Avery Street Christian Reformed Church is committed to fulfilling Jesus' command as expressed in the Great Commission: "Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you."

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