

MAY 24, 2026



MIDDLEBURG FREE GRACE
REFORMED CHURCH

Knowing Jesus and making Jesus known



WELCOME

WE ARE SO GLAD YOU ARE HERE TO WORSHIP WITH US!

WORSHIP

SUNDAY, MAY 24, 2026

Prelude

Praise & Worship

Song of the Saints
He will Hold Me Fast
Love of God

Prayer

Announcements

Ministry of Music - Verburg Grandkids

Congregational Prayer

Hymn Medley - #804 - Battle Hymn of the Republic
#799 - America the Beautiful (vs. 1,3) *Congregation joins on vs. 3*

Offering

Message - Well-Off in the Kingdom | Matthew 5:1-12

Communion

Hymn #807- My Country, 'Tis of Thee (vs. 1,2,3)

Special Offering - Brian & Elizabeth Bruxvoort

Benediction

Hymn #807- My Country, 'Tis of Thee (vs. 4)

CONNECT WITH US!

If you are new and wish to get connected with MFG, scan the QR Code.



FELLOWSHIP WITH US

A special welcome to our visitors! If you are a visitor, we would like to make contact with you. Please fill out a "Welcome to the Family" card located by the sanctuary doors and place it in Rus Verburg's church mailbox. Thank you for coming! Everyone is invited to the fellowship hall for coffee & lemonade.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Communion

You do not come to this table because you are strong and without fault; you come because you recognize your need for Christ's grace. Come, not because you must earn your place, but because Jesus has earned it for you. All who are weary and heavy-laden are welcome here to find rest in His love. Join us as we partake in Communion together.

Memorial Weekend

May the memory of our fallen heroes inspire us to cherish and protect the freedoms for which they fought. Tomorrow is a day of reverence and remembrance. Wishing you a meaningful Memorial Day.

Pastor Candidate

The Consistory and Search Team are excited to announce Pastor Cody Raak as our Pastoral Candidate. He will be preaching on June 14 and congregational vote will take place on June 21. Contact a consistory member if you need an absentee ballot. Please keep this process in your prayers.

Regnerus Family

Congratulations to Justin & Cassie Regnerus family on the official adoption of Kobey Javonte Regnerus! We celebrate with them as he has now joined his forever family.

Cake Auction

The Jr. RCYF would like to thank everyone who generously supported our Mother's Day cake sale. Thank You!!

Volunteer Opportunity

Do you have a few hours and a heart to serve? Renewed Hope Thrift Store, a mission of Family Crisis Centers, is looking for volunteers to help customers at the register, sort donations, and stock shelves. Every hour you give helps keep our store running and our community strong. Call 712-722-4488 or email reneem@familycrisiscenters.org to learn more.

PRAYER CONCERNS

Let us remember our friends and family in our prayers:

- Kate Broersma, as she recovers from a vehicle accident.
- Matt Punt, Heidi Oolman's cousin, as he recovers from injuries due to a plane crash.
- Leon Te Grotenhuis, as they have recently moved Leon into a Hospice Cottage.
- All our beloved elderly members who are unable to gather with us each Sunday.
- Be in prayer for our church as we consider Pastor Cody Raak as our new pastor.
- Members of our military families who currently have family members on active duty.



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UPCOMING EVENTS

May 30 - Movie "David"

May 31 - Morning Tent Service & Evening Concert

June 1-5 - Camp Middleburg

BIRTHDAY

May 24 - Brexdan Kooiker

May 25 - Arnie De Smit

May 27 - Brittany Hoogland

May 27 - Heidi Kooiker

May 28 - Joslin Hoogland

May 30 - Chloe Schafer

ANNIVERSARIES

May 25 - Wyatt & Sienna Gulker

May 26 - Leon & Gloria Te Grotenhuis

May 28 - Joel & Karen Schuiteman

May 30 - Movie Night

Join us Saturday evening on the east side of church as we watch the movie "David". The fun begins at 7:00 pm. Popcorn and root beer floats will be available.

May 31 - Morning Tent Service

Please join us for our first outdoor service this year on Sunday, May 31 at 10 am as we worship under the tent. We ask that you bring a lawn chair and a side dish. The noon meal will begin at 11:30. Meat and tableware will be provided. See you then!

May 31 - Sunday Evening Tent Concert

Mark your calendars to join us for our annual evening tent service on May 31 at 7pm. The Ebel family from Sutherland will be leading the service.

June 1-5 Camp Middleburg

Camp Middleburg is just a week away. Our mission project is Hope Haven's wheelchair ministry. Please be in prayer for all of our campers and volunteers that we have fun learning about finding our strength in God at Snowball Mountain.

THIS WEEK

Wednesday, 6 AM – Mendistry at the church

Wednesday, 7 PM – Mendistry at the Middleburg Store

Thursday, 7 PM – Mendistry at Evan Grotenhuis' shed (Newkirk)

Saturday, 7:30 AM – Mendistry at the church

Saturday, 7 PM – Movie "David"

TODAY'S WORSHIP

Pastor - Doug Van Aartsen
Pianist - Nora V.
Organist - Nevonne S.
Sound Tech - Bryce H.
Power Point - Nelva H.
Children's Message - None.
Ministry of Music - Irene & Nora, Verburg
grandchildren
Special Offering - Brian & Elizabeth Bruxvoort
Ushers - James K. & Peter DH

Prayer Team - Full Consistory
Coffee & Lemonade - Katelyn H.

NURSERY ATTENDANTS

Brittany H; Brayson K; Katelyn W.

ELDER GREETERS

Pastor(E), Evan(S), Dave(W)

** Communion Sunday*

NEXT SUNDAY

TENT SERVICE AT 10AM

Pastor - Doug Van Aartsen
Pianist - Nora V.
Sound Tech - Luke K.
Power Point - Haylee H.
Children's Message - None.
Ministry of Music - Paul & Sue Kooiker
Special Offering - None.

Ushers - Mike B. & Chad K.
Prayer Team - Loren & Chris
Coffee & Lemonade - Lana

NURSERY ATTENDANTS

Haylee O; Joslin H; Lily L.

ELDER GREETERS

Dave(E), Pastor(S), Loren(W)

OUR LEADERSHIP

ELDERS

Rich Kooiker
Dave Roskam
Kevin Moss
Evan Kraayenbrink
Loren Te Slaa

DEACONS

Tyler Van Der Zwaag
Darren Broersma
Chris Garris
Mitchal Punt
Dan Oolman



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Sunday Worship Service at 9:30 a.m. Go to our Facebook Page to view our live stream services

Please have your bulletin announcements and notices sent to our church email by 8pm on Wednesday.