



*"Winning People for Christ and Equipping Them to Serve."
A Rehoboth church filled with disciple-makers for Jesus, known and felt by our
community as a place of spiritual renewal and grace.*

APRIL 5, 2026

Easter Sunday

A joyous welcome to you all! We are here to celebrate the glorious victory of Christ over sin and death. Let us rejoice exuberantly and give God the glory. Hallelujah! The Lord lives and reigns! Forever and forever!

-ORDER OF SERVICE-

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Worship Songs

Holy Forever

Living Hope

Thank You Jesus For The Blood

Special Music

Man of Sorrows – Kirk Smallegan

Prayer

Scripture Reading

John 20:11-29

Sermon

Pastor Jim DeZeeuw

"Who Are You Looking For?"

Prayer

Closing Song

Because He Lives (Amen)

Hallelujah Chorus

Blessing

Postlude

Would you learn more about what it means to be a part of Rehoboth?
Please reach out to our Connections Pastor Kathy Vana at kathy@rehoboth.church

-SCHEDULE-

TODAY

Easter Sunday!

9 AM, Morning Prayer

9:30 AM, Worship Service

No Kids Church, Nursery Open

~~10:50 AM, Adult Sunday School~~

THIS WEEK

Tuesday, April 7

6 AM, Men's Life Group

7 PM, Worship Practice

Wednesday April 8

11 AM, CCHC, Home School Group

Thursday, April 9

4:30 PM, Loaves & Fishes + Soup Supper

4:30 PM, Staff Meeting

Out: All Staff, April 6

Sarah, April 14

Pastor Kathy, April 13 – 16

NEXT WEEK

Sunday, April 12

9 AM, Morning Prayer

9:30 AM, Worship Service, Building Fund

10:50 AM, Adult Sunday School

11 AM, Kids Church Dismissal

5 PM, Middle School Youth Group

6:30 PM, High School Youth Group

Tuesday, April 14

6 AM, Men's Life Group

7 PM, Worship Practice

7 PM, Consistory Meeting

Wednesday April 15

9:30 AM, Service Day

11 AM, CCHC, Home School Group

Thursday, April 16

4:30 PM, Loaves & Fishes

-LOAVES & FISHES-

Food Distribution

On Thursday, March 26 we served...

145 Total Households

462 Total People

*If you ordered Easter flowers this year you may take your flowers home after service today.
Your name will be behind the nametags displayed on the plant. Thank you! Happy Easter!!*



Easter Flowers

Daffodils

Greg & Mary Jo Blackmer - Adrian & Gertrude Lucas
Patti Bosscher - Tom Bosscher
Tom & Teresa Carrington - James Carrington
Jeremiah Johnson & Family - Julie Johnson
Mary LaChonce & Family - Dan LaChonce
Robert & Ethan Schripsema - Joe Schripsema
Steve Schut - Claus & Hattie Schut
Dewey & Kim VanderVlucht - Jared & Barb VanderVlucht
Jake & Kayle VanderVlucht - Our Grandparents & Jared VanderVlucht
Jessica Whetstone & Family - Grandparents

Tulips

Derek, Krisann, Connor & Hayden - Grandpa Bill DeZeeuw & Bob Jenema
DeZeeuw Family - Rich & Carol DeZeeuw
Steve & Sarah Eisenga - Our Grandparents
Gary & Karen Hamming - Mark Cape
Ruth Hamming - Maurice & Joan Hamming
Breslynn & Oaklynn LaChonce - Aunt Pauline & Grandma Barb
Lutke Family - Grandpa Byron
Bryan & Kim Meyering - Lauren Warner
Carter Mulder - Keith Mulder
Masen & Eleanor Reinink - Papa Bob Stanhope
Kris Stanhope - Bob Stanhope, Herm & Shirley Kroes
Dan & Bonnie Schripsema - Bill & Marie Schripsema, Lawrence & Alberta Brunink & Joe Schripsema
Steve Schut - Don & Pauline Schut
Pam Smits - Dan Smits & My Parents
Whitey & Jeremy Soule - Grandparents
Hankie Taylor - Jim & Jack Taylor
Dewey & Kim VanderVlucht - John & Karen Springberg
Jace & Jayda VanderVlucht - Our Great Grandparents
Jessica Whetstone & Family - Grandparents

Mums

Nella Eisenga - Ben Eisenga, Herm & Kate Lucas
Finstrom Family - Bumpa & Grammy
Jeremiah Johnson, Mallory VanderMeulen & Families - Harv Pluger
Eleanor Karsten - Kerwin Karsten & Jeff Koetje
Terry & Sandra Pluger - Bruce Reynolds, Merle & Willie Pluger
Bernie & Barb Scholten - Our Parents, Gail Scholten & Keith Mulder
McCoy Stanhope - Papa Bob Stanhope
Marc & Sharon Taylor - Maurice & Joan Hamming & Jerry Taylor
Dewey & Kim VanderVlucht - Our Grandparents

Please take a moment to pray over the families of those we would like to honor and remember this Easter Sunday.



Kids Church Dismissals: Kids Church classes will dismiss at 11 AM. Pickup is downstairs in the basement through the doors your kids went through during service. Toddler and nursery rooms will dismiss after service.

Kids Check-In: Don't forget to check-in your child(ren) upon arriving at church at the Welcome Center on Sunday mornings! Here children will be registered, if they aren't already, and given name tags. Our name tags help the kids church volunteers learn names, they will include your phone number(s) to contact you during service if needed, and will even include any allergies your child(ren) may have.

Nursing Mothers: Downstairs in the toddler room there is a private nursing room for you to nurse. There is a TV installed in the nursing room so that you can watch and enjoy service in real time in the comfort of the private room. You are most welcome to use it whenever the need arises.

Kids Church Busy Bags: Parents, do you have little ones that just aren't ready to venture to kids church and leave you yet? Worried they won't be entertained during service? We have the answer! "Busy Bags" are now available at the check-in desk near the welcome center. Please help yourself and take home.



THERE WILL BE NO KIDS' CHURCH ON TODAY, PRE-K-5TH GRADE KIDS ARE WELCOME TO GRAB AN ACTIVITY BAG ON THEIR WAY INTO SERVICE.
NURSERY WILL STILL BE OPEN.

-ANNOUNCEMENTS-

RightNow Media: Holy Week: If you want to go deeper in your faith this coming Holy Week, RightNow Media has several options for you and your family. Head over today and check out the channels For Lent and Kids Easter and make this Easter season a meaningful one. Visit <https://tinyurl.com/mtbz34rn> to go to RightNow Media.



Soup Supper! You are all invited to the Food Distributions Soup Supper! Please join us on **THURSDAY, APRIL 9TH** from 4:30 PM – 6 PM. If you are looking to help with this event we would greatly appreciate it. A sign-up list of recommended food donations is at the welcome center. We would love to see a strong RRC representation at this event to mingle with those that come through our food distribution line. See you there!

Praying the Vision: This event originally scheduled for Tuesday, March 24th at 8 AM at Reedy's has been **cancelled** for the month of March. We will continue our prayer meetings at Reedy's on **TUESDAY, APRIL 21ST**.

Loaves and Fishes: Now that the weather is shaping up we are hoping we can get more volunteers like you to help with our weekly food distribution, "Loaves & Fishes". Here at Rehoboth we provide a bag of groceries for families in our community every Thursday 4:30 PM - 5:30 PM. In doing so we depend on help from volunteers like you. We are in need of more volunteers to help pick up food from Feeding America, bag groceries, help load cars and check people in as they come through. If you think you could maybe volunteer your time in any of these areas please take a look at the sign-up link with full descriptions or call me at the office. You can sign up as much or as little as you want, no pressure. Check out the sign-ups below 😊 Thank you!!



-COMMUNITY-

Annual Men's Dinner! Join us on **TUESDAY, APRIL 21ST** for a fully catered steak dinner for only \$10ea. It makes it the best meal in town! Our speaker this year is Seth Broadhurst from Freedom in Christ Ministries who will challenge and encourage us under the theme of "Adopted as Sons". Olde Mill Venue in Marion. Doors open at 6 PM. Tickets required in advance and may be purchased by calling Pastor Adam at 616.566.7937 or stopping by the Vogel Center Church office on Tuesday, Thursday or Friday mornings.

Focus on Life Banquet: Wexford/Missaukee Right to Life will be holding their annual "Focus on Life" Banquet on **MONDAY, MAY 4TH** at Northland Community Church. Doors open at 5pm, dinner at 6pm. Tickets are \$25. each. Tickets are available from your church Table Captain OR call Don Hoytenga at 231 839-2583.

Nurses Needed! Are you a registered nurse looking for part-time work 1-2 days a week? We have an exciting opportunity for you at our growing clinic! Due to a 37% increase in ultrasounds performed over the past year, we are expanding our services at our Big Rapids location and need additional staff. If you are interested, we are taking applications now. Please send your resume to **executive.director@liferesourcesnm.org**. This is a paid, part-time position at a non-profit clinic that provides free services to the community. We are seeking someone who is passionate about our mission, demonstrates grace and non-judgmental kindness, and is comfortable working in a technology-driven environment.

Life Resources Volunteers Needed! Considering where to volunteer? We have a two-hour event coming up on **TUESDAY, APRIL 14TH** in Cadillac from 1 PM – 3 PM that will allow you to tour our center and discover whether Life Resources is the best fit for you. Please sign up, using the QR code, to attend.



-PAST PRAYER CHAIN MESSAGES & UPDATES-

"Fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my righteous right hand." ~ Isaiah 41:10

3/24/26: On 3/25 was scan day for **Colter Bailey**. Prayers for continued clear scans, peace over every anxious thought and no fear, no doubt—just full trust. Please continue to pray for Colter and his family, cover them in strength, courage, and complete peace. **UPDATE 3/27**: Scans remained clear of Disease! Praise God! Colter will begin immunotherapy on April 6. This is an inpatient tx for 5 days a week, once a month. He has 5 cycles to complete. Thank you for praying for complete healing with us! Pray he handles this phase well too!

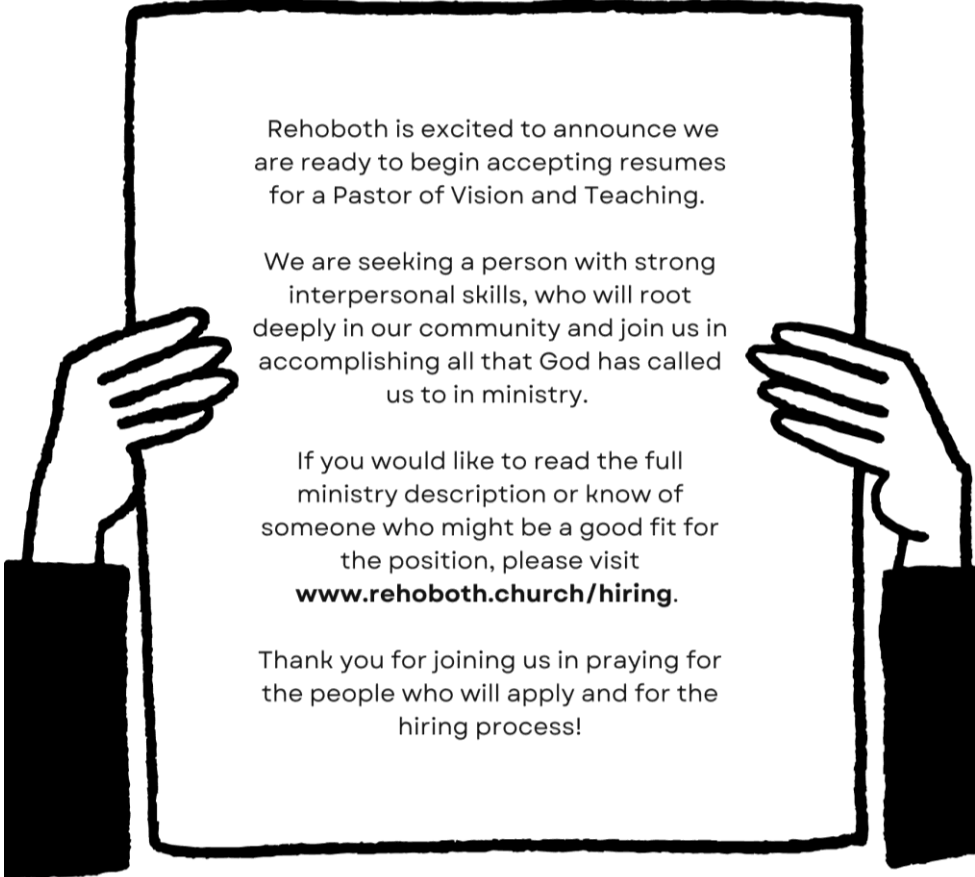
3/27/26: Please be in prayer for **Arlene Scholten**, her son Brian is working with the staff of Wexford Senior Care, the third appeal has been submitted for Arlene to stay at the facility for continued therapy, please be in prayer for this appeal to be approved for Arlene to receive much needed therapy. Pray for Arlene to gain strength and the reassurance that she has the ability to walk again. **UPDATE 3/27**: Praise!! Brian informed us he has received a phone call from the insurance company agent and Prayers answered, the appeal has been approved for continued care and therapy!! Thank You Prayer Warriors of Rehoboth!!

-KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS-

Keep in your prayers the members of our congregation who are in nursing or health care facilities, Dorothy Bazuin at Maple Ridge Living Center in Cadillac, Jeanette Derrick & Kay Hofstra at Curry House in Cadillac, Betty Meyering at Whispering Pines in Lake City, and Joan Sutton at Autumnwood in McBain.

Be in prayer for the following person(s), as they undergo treatment and receive on going care for cancer: Pastor Dave McMahan (*Address: 16414 20 Mile Rd, Tustin, MI 49688*) and Colter Bailey.

REHOBOTH NOW HIRING



Rehoboth is excited to announce we are ready to begin accepting resumes for a Pastor of Vision and Teaching.

We are seeking a person with strong interpersonal skills, who will root deeply in our community and join us in accomplishing all that God has called us to in ministry.

If you would like to read the full ministry description or know of someone who might be a good fit for the position, please visit www.rehoboth.church/hiring.

Thank you for joining us in praying for the people who will apply and for the hiring process!

2026 Consistory

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