



Rehoboth
Reformed
Church

“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 12, 2026

A genuine and hearty welcome to each of you. Worship is beneficial as we follow the teaching found in 1 Timothy 4:7-8. “Train yourself in godliness for godliness is valuable in every way, holding promise for both the present life and the life to come.” Godliness is an eternal value.

-ORDER OF SERVICE-

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Worship Songs

Shout To The North

Lion Of Judah

Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)

Mission Trip Recap

Dismiss Kids

Prayer

Scripture Reading

1 Samuel 16:1-23

Sermon

Pastor Rachel Reinink

“Unlikely Yet Chosen for a Spiritual Journey”

Prayer

Closing Song

Who You Say I Am

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

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

THIS WEEK

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, Leader: Hankie T.
11 AM, CCHC, Home School Group

Thursday, April 16

4:30 PM, Loaves & Fishes

NEXT WEEK

Sunday, April 19

9 AM, Morning Prayer
9:30 AM, Worship Service
10:50 AM, Adult Sunday School
11 AM, Kids Church Dismissal
5 PM, Middle School Youth Group
6:30 PM, High School Youth Group

Monday, April 20

11:30 AM, Golden Girls @ 13th St. Café
7 PM, Property Team Meeting

Tuesday, April 21

8 AM, Prayer Meeting @ Reedy's
6 AM, Men's Life Group
7 PM, Worship Practice

Wednesday, April 22

Administrative Professionals Day!
11 AM, CCHC, Home School Group

Thursday, April 23

10 AM, Pricilla Circle, Leader: Sue B.
Host: Jean V.
4:30 PM, Loaves & Fishes

-LOAVES & FISHES-

Food Distribution

On Thursday, April 2 we served...

123 Total Households

375 Total People



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.

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-COLLEGE CARDS-

After service **TODAY** we invite you to help us encourage and send well wishes to our college students that will be preparing for their exams.

Cards will be located in the Fellowship Hall 😊

-ANNOUNCEMENTS-

All Church Bible Study: Our new sermon series is about the life of David, and you're invited to go deeper with a video-based Bible study on the book of 1 Samuel. The heroes of the Bible offer complex, flawed examples of leadership. Their stories prompt us to examine the difference between our outward appearance and what God sees in our hearts. In this ten-session series, pastor and author Sharon Hodde Miller guides us through the book of 1 Samuel, exploring the frailty of the human heart and the faithfulness of God. To get started, go to <https://tinyurl.com/46hcy3sy> or scan the QR code.



Bible Study

Qdoba Fundraiser! You are all invited to come out to dinner at Qdoba in Cadillac on **THURSDAY, APRIL 16TH** from 4 PM- 8 PM. Enjoy Qdoba and help hope bloom in our community! When you dine in, drive thru or take out, 25% of the sale will support Community Hope in Missaukee County. Bring a copy of the flyer at the bulletin take to the restaurant to be scanned or mention Community Hope. If you order online use code: QDOBAGIVES. See you there!

Golden Girls! The next Golden Girls meeting will take place on **MONDAY, APRIL 20TH** at 11:30 AM at The 13th Street Café in Cadillac. Please sign-up at the welcome center. See you there!

Harvest Network Gathering – You're Invited! The Harvest Network is inviting anyone from Rehoboth to join us for the upcoming Harvest Network Gathering! This year's event will be held at Overisel Reformed Church in Holland, MI, on **APRIL 23–24**. This is a great opportunity to connect, be encouraged, and grow alongside others who share a heart for ministry and the work God is doing. For full details, registration, and directions, please visit: <https://tinyurl.com/ynfvx3yn>

Engage Gathering 2026: The Alliance of Reformed Churches invites Rehoboth to join in for Engage: Gathering 2026, happening **AUGUST 19–21** at Community Reformed Church in Zeeland, Michigan. This year's gathering will focus on discipleship and promises to be a meaningful time of fellowship, worship, learning, and spiritual growth. Register early to receive the discounted rate of \$60 (regular cost is \$80). Day passes are also available for \$30. For more information go to: <https://tinyurl.com/248wd5de>

*If either of these events interest you, please reach out to Pastor Kathy or an Elder or Deacon.

Center Lake Bible Camp: Over the last several years, Center Lake Bible Camp has received great support from our local churches regarding the health care items needed for summer camp. Because of the great response, we have received many duplicate items. *At the bulletin tables you can find a list of items to donate, created specifically for your church.* We would appreciate your help in meeting these needs as we serve our campers. *Items are due on or before **THURSDAY, APRIL 30TH**.* Thank you for your continued support of Center Lake Bible Camp.

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!!

April



May



June



Now Hiring: Pastor of Vision and Teaching: Rehoboth is excited to announce we are 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!

-MARCH MADNESS-

Congratulations to our top 5 bracket challenge winners! We had a record-breaking 70 people participate this year. If you are one of our winners, we'll be in touch to deliver your prizes!



1. Sara Walenjus
2. Gary Vana
3. Sharon Taylor

4. Brad and Tonya Hinton
5. Easton Short

-COMMUNITY-

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.



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.

The Mindful Marriage Conference: You're invited to Rockford Reformed Church for The Mindful Marriage Conference, designed to inspire, educate, and encourage couples in all seasons of life (pre-marriage, marriage, and blended family marriage) toward greater intimacy and stability. Couples leave the event with an intimate plan, specific to their relationship, for building peace and intimacy in their us-ness. The conference will be **FRIDAY-SATURDAY, MAY 1-2** in Rockford, MI. For more information and registration go to <https://rondeal.org/events/event/115> or scan the QR code.



Mindful Marriage

The AMEN Chorus will begin practices on **SATURDAY, MAY 2ND** from 5 PM – 7 PM at Cadillac Christian Reformed Church. We will be preparing for our concert on Sunday, June 14 as well as our program in the park for the arts festival in July. Please bring \$10 to help cover the cost of the music. If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact Angela Warner at kirkangelwarner@hotmail.com or 231-330-0894.

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, with guest speaker **Amy Smallegan!** Doors open at 5pm, dinner at 6pm. Tickets are \$25. each. Tickets are available from your church Table Captain OR call Don Hoitenga 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.

-PAST PRAYER CHAIN MESSAGES & UPDATES-

"LORD, be gracious to us; we long for you. Be our strength every morning, our salvation in time of distress." ~ Isaiah 33:2

4/8/26: **Colter Bailey's** Immunotherapy has been going as well as the doctors had hoped. Day 1 was rough...battling fevers, fluid retention, and low blood pressures. They since have seemed to have found the sweet spot for pain management now and Colter has been much more comfortable. They are hoping to come home on 4/10! Please continue to pray for Colter and his family!

4/12/26: **Letha McGraw** will be undergoing foot surgery this Friday 4/17 to remove the cysts, arthritis and bone spurs, then a fusion of the joints in my left foot. Pray for a successful surgery without complications and patience for Doug as he cares for Letha.

-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.

-SPECIAL THANKS-

Thank you for all the cards and calls for my 90th Birthday. It is good to be thought of even when I am in Florida.

- John Orvis



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THANK YOU

We are blessed at Rehoboth to have Rachel serving in the role as our Administrative Assistant for 12 years! Thanks, Rachel for using your gifts to help build the kingdom!



RACHEL POTTER
ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Happy Staff Anniversary
12 YEARS!

2026 Consistory

Elders

Mike Bosscher, VP
Doug Buning
Greg Buning, Clerk
Troy Finstrom
Rick Kars
Barb Scholten

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