



Rehoboth
Reformed
Church

“Winning People for Christ and Equipping Them to Serve.”

JUNE 15, 2025

Father's Day

Welcome on this Father's Day. In this church we place great value on family, and consider it a privilege to have you join with our church family today. God, our heavenly Father, has changed our lives for the better. We hope that you will feel his presence here as we honor Him in our worship.

-ORDER OF SERVICE-

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Kids Led Worship

My Jesus

Raise a Hallelujah

Praise You Anywhere

Profession of Faith

Emma VandeWater

Dismiss Kids

Kids Hope

Carol Brunink & Whitney Soule

Prayer

Sermon

Pastor Kathy Vana

Goodness - God Is Good... Even in This?

Romans 8:28

Prayer

Closing Song

I'll Fly Away

Blessing

Postlude

***Outdoor Baptism**

Our Connections Pastor would love to hear from you!

Pastor Kathy Vana: kathy@rehoboth.church

-SCHEDULE-

TODAY

Father's Day!

9 AM, Morning Prayer

9:30 AM, Worship Service "Goodness"

Speaker: Pastor Kathy Vana

THIS WEEK

Monday, June 16

11:30 AM, Golden Girls at Big Boy

7 PM, Vision Team Meeting

7 PM, Property Team Meeting

Tuesday, June 17

6 AM, Men's Life Group

7 PM, Worship Practice

Wednesday, June 18

9 AM, Service Day

9:30 am: High School Adventure Bible
Study (headed to Empire Bluffs)

12 PM, Women's Bible Study

Thursday, June 19

4:30 PM, Loaves & Fishes – *Food Dist.*

Friday, June 20

First Day of Summer!

Out: Pastor Kathy, June 20 – 27

Rachel, June 21 - 24

Sarah out @ 3 PM, June 23 - 25

NEXT WEEK

Sunday, June 22

9 AM, Morning Prayer

9:30 AM, Worship Service "Gentleness"

Speaker: Pastor Ben Ingebretson

10:35 AM, Town Hall Meeting

Monday, June 23

1:30 PM, Esther Circle, Host: Donna M.

6:30 PM, Prayer Alliance Meeting

7 PM, Vision Team Meeting

Tuesday, June 24

6 AM, Men's Life Group

1:30 PM, Dorcas Circle, Host: Nella E.

Lesson #4

7 PM, Worship Practice

Wednesday, June 25

12 PM, Women's Bible Study

Thursday, June 26

4:30 PM, Loaves & Fishes – *Food Dist.*

Friday, June 27

Rachel's Birthday!

6 PM, Women's Hat Bar Event!

-ANNOUNCEMENTS-

Today we celebrate the Profession of Faith and Baptism of Emma LeeAnn VandeWater. Congratulations Emma! May God always bless & keep you!

**Emma's baptism will be a full submersion baptism on the outside lawn after service today. All are welcome to watch. ☺*



Kids Church Dismissals: ALL Kids Church classes will dismiss at the end of service, we will resume our 11 AM dismissal again on Sunday, September 7th.

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.

Kids Ministry Store!

The Kids Ministry store for Kids Min.
gear is now OPEN!

Go to: <https://tinyurl.com/9wwmr79a>

Purchase t-shirts and hoodies in various sizes.

The store is set to close TODAY!

Please reach out to Troy if you have any
questions! ☺



-ANNOUNCEMENTS-

June Golden Girls: The next Golden Girls meeting will be **TOMORROW** at 11:30 AM at Big Boy in Cadillac. Please sign-up at the Welcome Center.

Youth Group Car Wash! Come support the High school youth group on **SATURDAY, JUNE 21ST** from 10 AM – 1 PM. Each wash is by donation and all money errand will go towards their mission trip to North Carolina! Come on out!

Men's Summer Life Group: Troy Finstrom will be leading a Men's Life Group on Tuesday's at 6 AM. If you have any questions please reach out to Troy at *troy@rehoboth.church*

Are you CPR Certified? We are looking to make a list of CPR certified people of our congregation for our Security Team. If you would like to make your skills known to them please sign up at the Welcome Center. Thank you!

Looking for a Handyman: We are in need of "handymen/handywomen" for our Care Team. Occasionally Rehoboth will get calls from congregation members or people in our community that are in need of help...like, fixing a leaky faucet, repairing small issues, etc. IF YOU think you could be our churches go to for handyman things please let Sarah or Pastor Kathy know. Thanks!!

-COMMUNITY-

Clam River Chapel Evangelism Class: Clam River Chapel is hosting a 9-week Evangelism class starting **SUNDAY, JULY 6TH** on Sunday evenings from 4:45 PM – 6 PM using the book "Evangelism and the Sovereignty of God" by J.I. Packer and Village Missions CDI program. We would love to help any come to be encouraged and equip it better to share their faith. If interested in participating you can Contact Pastor Stephen Chapman for more information at 231-826-3315.

Center Lake Bible Camps! Center Lake Bible Camp will be hosting a Women's Retreat September 12 - 14, 2025 and a Men's Retreat September 26 – 28, 2025. For more details see handouts at the bulletin tables.

-FROM CONSISTORY-

- A summary of the Town Hall Meeting that took place on Sunday, May 18th is now available on the bulletin tables.
- We will be having a Town Hall Meeting after the service on **SUNDAY, JUNE 22ND** to vote on the budget for the fiscal 2025-2026 which starts on July 1 and to call the affirmation. The spending plan is now available at the bulletin tables and has been approved by the Consistory.
- The Consistory would like to share that Lisa DeBoer has chosen to step down from her role as Prayer Team leader. We are deeply grateful for Lisa's faithful leadership and the way she has guided and encouraged our prayer ministry. Although Lisa is stepping away from this leadership position, the prayer team will continue to gather and pray together, as they have been doing. Please join us in praying for the person God is already preparing to step into this role. We trust His leading as He continues to grow this vital ministry at Rehoboth. Thank you, Lisa, and thank you, Rehoboth, for your continued prayers.



-REFLECTIONS & MORE-

The new Summer edition of the **Reflections** is now available! Grab your copy today at the Welcome Center or Bulletin tables!

The July – September edition of **Words of Hope** are also available! Grab your copy at the Bulletin tables or by the mailboxes.

-LOAVES & FISHES-

Food Distribution

On Thursday, June 5 we served...

151 Total Households

455 Total People

-CONSISTORY MEETING SUMMARY-

May 13, 2025

The Meeting was called to order by Mike at 7:15 pm.

Devotions and prayer were offered by Mark, reading from the Sermon on the Mount, Matthew 6: 25-34; Do not worry about your life, that we need to lose our life to gain it, reminding us to always move right side up and forward, always putting His Kingdom first, closing by reading a prayer from the book, Diary of a Private Prayer by Dr. John Baillie.

Elders Meeting Report was given by Mike and all Elders present, the Communion and Town Hall meeting dates were reviewed.

Doug McLain, representative from the Security Team, was present to offer a proposal to the Consistory for consideration, after discussion, this will be placed on the June agenda.

Financial Report: The deacons provided the April updates to the financial status and the current spending plan. The deacons have approved a new synthesizer and a new computer for Jason (as the current equipment is no longer functional and the money is available within the spending plan). An open discussion regarding the 2025/2026 spending plan followed, it was determined that changes are still being made. The treasurer will share it electronically to all Consistory members for approval by the end of May.

The Ministry Team Reports were reviewed by all members prior to the meeting and discussion followed as needed.

God Praise Reports were shared by several members, we reviewed the many praises that were reported in the Celebrating God's Faithfulness on Sunday, May 11, praises offered for the work that has been completed by Pastor Ben, the recent meetings held by all of the Focus Groups and their respective outlines that have been shared, and the many areas that Pastor Kathy is exceeding in her work within Rehoboth.

Ongoing Ministry: Pastor Ben gave a short overview of the work that is done by the Group Coram Deo, this will be placed on the June agenda, as a potential future mission support. He discussed the Visionary Team members and the timeline for the first meeting.

Mike closed the meeting with prayer at 9:00 pm.

Minutes written by Barb Scholten – Clerk for Rehoboth Reformed Church

-PAST PRAYER CHAIN MESSAGES & UPDATES-

"Even though I walk through the darkest valley, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me." ~ Psalm 23:4

6/11/25: The following is an update on **Kathy Jenema** from her daughter Paula Dykhouse. "We are moving her to Quiet Creek tomorrow morning. She needs 24 care as she is a fall risk. She is very weak. We are hoping this helps get her stronger to be able to come back home. She has lost so much weight too. Her incision from her surgery is infected but she's not strong enough for the surgery to scrape it away. She will have wound care there too." Please continue to pray for Kathy's health and pray for both Paula and her sister as they are trying their best to give her around the clock care and comfort.

6/12/25: We invite you to lift up **Gary Finstrom** and his loved ones in prayer. In the past 24 hours, Gary's condition has declined significantly. Hospice has informed the family that his breathing is now very short and shallow. Please join us in surrounding Gary, Troy & Stacey, and their entire family with love and prayer during this tender time.

UPDATE 6/12: **Colter Bailey**, *Krisann DeZeeuw's nephew*, finished Round 1 of chemotherapy. He is now home until the next round, which will be at the end of the month. Please pray for minimal side effects of chemo and for continued strength for him and his family.

-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, Gary Finstrom at Quiet Creek in Falmouth 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: Don Schepers & Mary Jo Blackmer

-FREE PIANO-

Free upright piano! If you are interested please contact Jack or Mary Klunder at 231-878-8175. Thank you!

-CARD SHOWER-

Caleb Gilde is at Army Basic Training and we would love to shower him with some love from Rehoboth. At this time he can **ONLY** receive letters. *Please no care packages.* Cards and letters can be sent up until July 26th to:

PVT GILDE, CALEB
1-13th INF REGT C CO 2ND PLT 193RD BDE
5482 JACKSON BLVD
FORT JACKSON, SC 29207



ATTENTION!

Starting **August 11, 2025**
Sarah's New Office Hours
10:30 AM - 2:30 PM
M- TH

