

# Ministries

## Children

**Nursery:** There are staffed nurseries located at the end of the hallway for infants and toddlers.

**Two and Three Year-Olds:** Children are invited to attend our God Loves Me summer program. Children exit the sanctuary following the banner during the mutual greeting.

**Preschool-Early Elementary:** Kids' Class is held during the worship service. Children exit the sanctuary and follow the banner during the mutual greeting.

**Sunday School:** Sunday school begins at 9:15 a.m. on Sunday for kindergarten and older, September through May.

## Please Pray for the Youth Life Trip Team

The Youth Life Trip Team is in Lander, WY. Please pray for our fellowship together, for the opportunity to serve one other, for time to grow closer to God and for our travels back home on the 20th. We look forward to sharing our experience with you upon our return. Thank you, Ben Landheer, Daniel Rosema, Peter Van Winkle, Christian Winters, Lauren Merz, Anne Van Rees, Julie Merz, Courtne Stuk, Jeff Somers, Adam Horos and Paula De Jonge

# Announcements

## Next Sunday

Life is full of ups and downs. Indeed, it can feel like a roller coaster at times. But what we find is that the highest peaks and the lowest valleys have something in common that is of great importance. We'll find out what it is next Sunday as we continue our look at Elijah's life.

## This Month's Offering is for Cribs/Benevolence

Ferrysburg Community Church provided 54 cribs and handmade quilts to new moms in the Tri-Cities in 2009. This ministry is a tangible way of showing God's love to those who struggle financially at this critical time of life.

## Food Pantry

Two Leppinks bags dangling, one from each handle bar, he bicycled up to our pantry Monday. Twenty-three year old Bill was buying beer for himself at Leppinks and thought 'if I can buy beer for myself, I can buy a bag of groceries for this pantry!' Grace— isn't it amazing?

## Prayer for GEMS

The annual GEMS Counselors' Leadership Conference will take place Thursday-Sunday in Minneapolis, MN. Brenda Donselar, Nina France, Lori Houskamp, Tina Teunis, and Becky Tjapkes will be attending from our church. Please pray for safe travels and a powerful conference experience focusing on the upcoming Feed the Fire theme. Pray that the conference will equip and challenge attendees to actively live out a contagious faith.

## Southern Gospel Music at FCC

This summer FCC will feature two nationally renown Southern Gospel groups, the Ball Brothers and the Crist Family. Both have received multiple awards for their music ministry. The Ball Brothers will participate in our service on August 1 and the Crist Family on August 29. Both groups will begin singing at 9:15.

## Parade of Ships

Seniors! You are invited to watch the Coast Guard Parade of Ships on Monday, August 2 on our porch at North Shore Pier. Bring a bag lunch at 12:30 p.m. and we will provide lemonade and dessert to enjoy while the ships arrive. Please park in the Fisherman's Parking Lot. Al & Lynn DeYoung, 846-3865



## Church Directory Updates

❖ People Pages: If you have a change of address or telephone number that hasn't been reported to the church office, please call Sharon at 842-3880 or send an email to office@ferrysburgchurch.com.

❖ Yellow Pages: If you would like to be included in the Yellow Pages section of the Directory, please send an email to office@ferrysburgchurch.com or call Sharon at 842-3880.

## Tri-City Seniors

Don't forget to sign up by August 2 for our fall trip to Dubuque, IA, Galena and Moline, IL. We will leave on September 13 and return on September 15. We should have a wonderful time with several fun events planned. Your reservation and deposit of \$100 per person must be sent to our treasurer, Joe Kramer, 17051 Grandview Dr., Spring Lake, MI 49456. Questions? Call 850-8414.

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## Love INC

Love INC is in need of the following items for the furniture ministry: twin mattress, full box springs, bed frames, small kitchen tables, night stands, or recliners. If you have any of these items and would like to donate them, please drop them off or call 846-2701 to arrange pick up.

## Western Michigan Christian High School

Mark your calendar for the WMC Warrior Open, the 22nd annual Western Michigan Christian High Athletic Boosters golf scramble to be held Saturday, September 11 at Chase Hammond. Persons who have golfed in the event in recent years will receive an application in the mail. If you need an application, please contact the school office at 231-799-9644. Registration will begin at 8 a.m. with a shotgun start at 9 a.m. Proceeds are used to help fund the athletic program at WMC.

Western Michigan Christian High School is in need of host families for international students who will attend WMC in the fall of 2010. Host families are paid to provide room and board, a place to study, transportation to and from school and then good parental counsel to our students. Please contact Kyle Kempster at 231.799.9644x220 or email kyle@wmchs.net if you would like more information.

## Grand Haven Christian School

The Grand Haven Christian School's 20th annual golf scramble is being held Saturday, Aug. 21 at beautiful Pilgrim's Run Golf Club. Pick up an application form at the school or call the school at 842-5420. If you don't have a foursome, just let the school know and you will be assigned to one. Your business can also become a sponsor by contacting the school.

Grand Haven Christian School believes in educating your child mentally, physically, emotionally, and spiritually. And early. Our Preschool program begins with older 2 year olds (must be 3 by Dec. 31), and we incorporate Spanish Immersion sessions once a week. We also offer Surround Care which is fulltime childcare from 7 a.m. — 6 p.m. If you would like a Christ-centered and academically excellent education for your child, please visit GrandHavenChristian.org for more information or call 616.842.5420 x202 to schedule a tour or visit.

## Lakeshore Pregnancy Center

Is 2010 the year for you to serve God at Lakeshore Pregnancy Center? Do you want to help people facing an unplanned pregnancy or struggling as a parent? We have a comprehensive volunteer training for advocates on Aug. 3, 4, 6, 10, 11, & 13 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at our Holland center. Other volunteer positions that do not require training are also available. For more information or to register, please call Becky or Sarah at 616-842-7510. Thank you for supporting this life-affirming ministry!

# Collection Information

## General Fund—July 4, 2010

Offering	\$	7,106.66
Weekly Auto Debit Giving	\$	1,680.00
Weekly Budget Amount Needed	\$	8,151.63
Month-To-Date Offering	\$	8,786.66

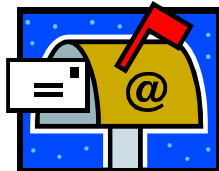
## Special Offering

<i>Cribs/Benevolence</i>	\$	218.00
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*Next Week's Special Offering—Cribs/Benevolence*

## Address Correction

Ruth Westhoff is living at Christian Haven Home, 704 Pennoyer Ave., Grand Haven, MI 49417.



## Condolences

Our condolences to Dawn Ross and family. May God give you peace and comfort in the face of this loss. Dawn's address is 15195 Mercury Drive, Grand Haven, MI 49417.



## Prayer Corner

### Pray for:

- Dawn Ross and family on the loss of her husband, Ron.
- Jan Miller's sister, Arlene Wagenmaker, recovering from surgery.
- AvaEvon Eastwood's sister, Sharon Andrew, recovering from surgery.
- Jeremy Schipma's mother, Ruth Schipma, pray for healing.
- Harold and Phyllis Broersema's daughter-in-law, Colleen Broersma, suffering from a brain injury. Pray for healing and for the family during this time.
- Doug Tjapkes, being treated for an infection in his back
- Al & Lynn DeYoung's daughter, Ellen VanOss, diagnosed with cancer. Visit carepages.com—Ellen VanOss for updates.
- Donna DeYoung's sister, Karen Straley, diagnosed with lung cancer.
- Norm Heerema, pray for a diagnosis and remission.
- Janet Anderson, undergoing treatment for cancer.
- Billy Hines

### Pray for our loved ones who are unable to worship with us:

- Wilma Olson at Grand Pines
- Marguerite Turnbull at the Rose Garden
- Liz Mastenbrook
- Bob Palen
- Walter Zerlaut at Robbinswood
- Kathy Fritsma
- Ann Walker
- Ruth Westhoff at Christian Haven Home



## Prayer Challenge

Ask God for His power to help you overcome an area of pain or sin in your life.

## Talk About It

Share something amazing about God.

## This Week at FCC (July 18 — July 24, 2010)

<b>Sunday:</b>	Worship Service	9:30 AM	Sanctuary
	Building Use	3:00 PM	
<b>Monday:</b>	Senior Energizers	9:00 AM	
	Food Pantry	10:00 AM	
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Quilters	8:45 AM	
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Senior Energizers	9:00 AM	
<b>Thursday:</b>	No Scheduled Events		
<b>Friday:</b>	Senior Energizers	9:00 AM	
<b>Saturday:</b>	No Scheduled Events		

## Service

	July 18, 2010	July 25, 2010
<b>Greeters</b>	Don & Joyce Turnbull	Don & Joyce Turnbull
<b>Welcomers</b>	Dean & Donna Hoover Michele Schipma	Dean & Donna Hoover Michele Schipma
<b>Nursery</b>	Supervisor Adult Helper Greeter	Melissa Tjapkes Bethany Holtrop Adrienne Aardema Sara Meiste
		Christina Bennink Mary Wiersma Peter VanWinkle Sara Meiste
<b>God Loves Me</b>	Leader Helper	Lauren Visser Dean Geschiere
		Lauren Visser Cassie Kingma
<b>Kids' Class</b>	Leader Assistant Assistant	Dana Miller Lorelle Hallenbeck Mike Merz
<b>Sound</b>		Cory/Ken
		Ken/Cory
<b>Screen Ushers</b>	Chris Kemperman Ron Bross Brian Meiste	Julie Merz Ron Bross Brian Meiste

### Staff

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Sherry Merz, <i>Kids' Choir Director</i>		
Liz Posthuma, <i>Parish Nurse (pregnant &amp; new moms)</i>		
Doug Tjapkes, <i>Music Assistant</i>		

### Elders

Greg DeWeerd, President  
Bob Rozema  
David VanWinkle, Clerk

Ola Tornga  
Judy Ponstine  
Dale DeYoung  
Lynn DeYoung

### Care Districts

*Last names A-D*  
*Last names E-K*  
*Last names L-Sm*  
*Last names So - Z*

### Deacons

Brady Proctor, President  
Chris Kemperman  
Alison Kossuth

Dan Spicer  
Paul Betten  
Paul Tjapkes  
Brian Meiste

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# Ferrysburg Community Church

**Modeling our Lives after Christ**  
Offering Grace • Nurturing Faith • Equipping for Service

Welcome to Ferrysburg Community Church! Thank you for spending this morning with us. We hope that you experience God's grace today during your time here. Please join us for refreshments after the service.

**July 18, 2010 • 8th Sunday after Pentecost**

**9:30 a.m. Worship Service**

Organ: *Cathy Schaaf* Piano: *Sherry Merz*

Reader: *Joanne Kuiper*

*Schaaf Trio*

### We Gather for Worship

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

Opening Songs

What A Day That Will Be

When We All Get to Heaven

Heaven Came Down

I Believe in A Hill Called Calvary

Greeting from God

Mutual Greeting

Prayer

Offertory

### God Speaks To Us In Word

Scripture Reading: 1 Kings: 18:16-40 (p. 557)

Prayer for Open Minds

Sermon

Elijah — Showdown

### The Sacrament of Communion

Institution

Distribution

Prayer

Doxology

### God Sends Us Out For Service

Blessing

Moment of Reflection

Postlude

Wireless hearing devices are available at the sound booth.