

## Ministries

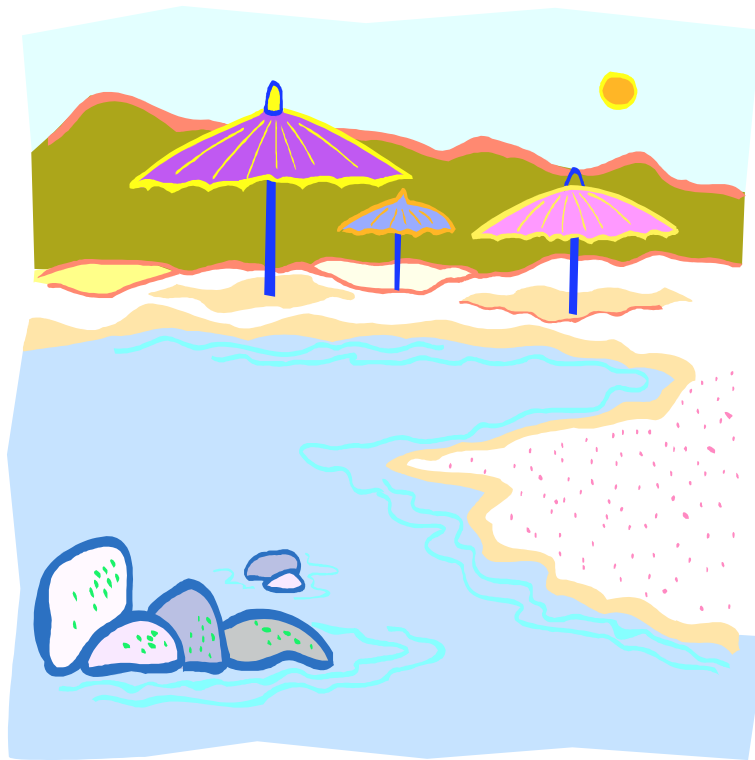
### Children

**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.



### Thank You

The Youth Life Trip Team would like to say thank you for all of your prayers while we were in the mountains in Wyoming. We were blessed with safe travel and everyone came back without any major injuries. Scrapes, bruises and mosquito bites were the worst of our injuries. Praise God. We hope to be able to show you some of our trip soon. Thank you again for all your prayers - Ben Landheer, Julie Merz, Lauren Merz, Daniel Rosema, Peter Van Winkle, Courtne Stuk, Anne VanRees, Christian Winters, Paula De Jonge, Adam Horos and Jeff Somers.

### New Address

Scott and Mimi Whiting's new address, effective August 1, is 445 W. 63rd St., Indianapolis, IN 46260.

## Announcements

### Next Sunday

It's not uncommon to hear Christians talk about how God spoke to them or about things God told them to do. It can leave a lot of us feeling inferior because, well, we've never heard God say anything to us out loud. We'll address this issue next Sunday as we look at how Elijah recognized the voice of God. We will also celebrate the Profession of Faith and baptism of Laura McMurray.

### The Ball Brothers

Next Sunday we will welcome national recording artists, The Ball Brothers to our service. The Ball Brothers were at FCC just over a year ago, and we are delighted to have them back. They will begin singing at 9:15, so come early and bring a friend! Also, don't forget that the Crist Family will be at FCC on August 29.

### 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

Blueberries...peaches...fresh fruit and vegetables—all are welcomed at our pantry. And snacks, too! Potato chips, pretzels, crackers. Thanks to your donations we have given groceries to 41 people in the past two weeks.

### 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](mailto: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](mailto:office@ferrysburgchurch.com) or call Sharon at 842-3880.

### Pick up! Pack Up! Picnic!!

Let's meet this Thursday, July 29 at 6:15 p.m. at Ferry Park (across from Pizza Hut). Peanut butter and jelly sandwich from home? A bag of Ray's burgers with fries? Perhaps a Pronto Pup? Or maybe a Butch's Beach Burrito? Whatever your choice...bring it and we'll picnic together.

### 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.

### Operation Christmas Child

It's time to start picking up school supplies at back-to-school prices! Small notebooks, crayons, pencils, pencil sharpeners, pens and rulers are the essentials. You can put your contributions in the box by the main entrance. Look for more information on this ministry in the coming weeks.

## Announcements

### 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 is looking for a Christian junior varsity girls volleyball coach for this coming fall. Those interested should send a resume to Athletic Director John Swinburne, Western Michigan Christian High, 455 E. Ellis, Muskegon, MI 49441. If you have any questions, you may call him at 231-799-9644.

### 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](http://GrandHavenChristian.org) for more information or call 616.842.5420 x202 to schedule a tour or visit.

### Detroit Tigers Game

Spring Lake Christian Reformed Church is hosting a bus to see the Tigers play on August 25; the bus will leave SLCRC around 8:30 a.m. The cost is \$52 for a ticket to the game and a seat on the bus. Money is due by August 8. If you have questions, call 616-430-2393.

## Collection Information

### General Fund—July 11 and 18, 2010

Offering for July 11	\$	6,336.78
Offering for July 18	\$	3,938.51
Weekly Auto Debit Giving for July 11 and 18	\$	3,360.00
Weekly Budget Amount Needed	\$	8,151.63
Month-To-Date Offering	\$	22,421.95

### Special Offering

<i>Cribs/Benevolence</i>	\$	1,607.00
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*Next Week's Special Offering—CRWM (Segaar-King)*

## Prayer Corner

### Pray for:

- Louisa Johnson, on a mission trip to Honduras August 6—25.
- Norm Heerema, recovering from surgery.
- Dale DeYoung's granddaughter, Sharon Gruss, scheduled for brain surgery on July 27.
- Dawn Ross and family on the loss of her husband, Ron.
- 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.
- 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

Spend some time with God clarifying the difference between your job (obedience) and His job (outcomes).

## Talk About It

What is one way God has blessed you this summer?

## This Week at FCC (July 25 — July 31, 2010)

<b>Sunday:</b>	Worship Service	9:30 AM	Sanctuary
<b>Monday:</b>	Senior Energizers	9:00 AM	
	Food Pantry	10:00 AM	
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Quilters	8:45 AM	
	Trio	7:30 PM	
<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		

## Happy Birthday

Madison Miller	7/26
Madeline Somers	7/28
Rob Hallenbeck	7/31
Jenna Houskamp	7/31

## Service

	July 25, 2010	August 1, 2010
<b>Greeters</b>	Don & Joyce Turnbull	Dale & Pam DeYoung
<b>Welcomers</b>	Dean & Donna Hoover Michele Schipma	Mark & Sandy Benson Al & Liz Posthuma Greg & Judy DeWeerd
<b>Nursery</b> Supervisor Adult Helper Greeter	Christina Bennink Mary Wiersma Stephanie Hoover Sara Meiste	Tracey Knollinger Phil Hallenbeck Peter VanWinkle Tracey Knollinger
<b>God Loves Me</b> Leader Helper	Lauren Visser Hannah Staal	Charla Proctor Dean Geschiere
<b>Kids' Class</b> Leader Assistant Assistant	Michele Schipma Phoebe Risselade Mike Merz	Courtney Grek Jacob Kempster Madie Somers
<b>Sound</b>	Ken/Cory	Stu/Keith
<b>Screen</b>	Julie Merz	Jake Kempster
<b>Ushers</b>	Ron Bross Brian Meiste	Al DeYoung Cal Dykstra

### 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 25, 2010 • 9th Sunday after Pentecost**

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

Organ: *Lisa Mulder* Piano: *Sherry Merz*

Reader: *Brandon Hoover*

*Praise Team*

Soloist: *Alison Kossuth*

### We Gather for Worship

Prelude

Welcome

Call to Worship

Opening Songs

You Invite Me In

I Lift My Eyes Up

Fill Thou My Life

Grey Hymnal # 547

Wonderful, Merciful Savior

Greeting from God

Mutual Greeting

Prayer

### God Speaks To Us In Word

Scripture Reading: 1 Kings: 19:1-9 (p. 559)

Prayer for Open Minds

Sermon

Elijah — Peaks and Valleys

Prayer

Song

Guide Me, O My Great Redeemer

Grey Hymnal #543, v. 1-2

Offertory

### God Sends Us Out For Service

Doxology

Blessing

Moment of Reflection

Postlude

Wireless hearing devices are available at the sound booth.