



CHRIST
CHURCH

September 20, 2026



Welcome to worship at Christ Church!

Our aim is to enjoy the goodness of our triune God in fellowship within the community he has formed, lifting our hearts as an offering to the Lord using the varied and unique gifts of this local congregation. We await his transformative word in our lives.

We are glad that you have joined us.

Young children are an important part of our community as well. We are very happy to be part of this very significant stage in their lives — learning to worship together in the community of believers. You are welcome to keep your children with you throughout the service, or you may choose to use one of our nurseries for children ages 3 years and younger and Christ Kids Worship at the 8:30 service for 4 and 5 year olds during the sermon. Activity bags for children during the 11:15 service are available in the bulletin table in the foyer. If you would like a quiet space to feed or rock your baby during the worship service, you are welcome to use Room 106 or the Children's Ministry office, Room 102.

Assistive hearing devices are available in the sound booth, located in the back of the sanctuary. If you are experiencing sensory sensitivity, an usher can direct you to a quiet space.

Prelude

Welcome

Pastor Michael Anderson

Silent meditation

When we hear that a friend is struggling, we can pray scripture over them.
Below are a few selections from prayer guides found in Nancy Guthrie's book
I'm praying for you: 40 Days of Praying the Bible for Someone Who Is Suffering.

I'm praying that the work of God will be displayed in your life.

("Jesus answered, 'It was not that this man sinned, or his parents, but that the works of God might be displayed in him.'" John 9:3)

I'm praying that the Lord will keep you.

*("The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace."
Numbers 6:24–26)*

I'm praying that you will not fear bad news.

*(Praise the Lord! Blessed is the man who fears the Lord, who greatly delights in his commandments! . . . He is not afraid of bad news; his heart is firm, trusting in the Lord.
Psalm 112:1, 7)*

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP

Call to Worship

Lamentations 3:19-26

Elder Paul Dallaire

Remember my affliction and my wanderings,
the wormwood and the gall!
My soul continually remembers it
and is bowed down within me.
But this I call to mind,
and therefore I have hope:

The steadfast love of the LORD never ceases;
his mercies never come to an end;
they are new every morning;
great is your faithfulness.
“The LORD is my portion,” says my soul,
“therefore I will hope in him.”

The LORD is good to those who wait for him,
to the soul who seeks him.
It is good that one should wait quietly
for the salvation of the LORD.

* Arise, My Soul, Arise

text, C. Wesley; music, K. Twit



1. A - rise my soul, a - rise shake off your guilt - ty fears;
2. He ev - er lives a - bove for me to in - ter - cede,
(Men) 3. Five bleeding wounds he bears, re - ceived on Cal - va - ry
4. My God is re - con - ciled, his par - d'ning voice I hear;



- the bleed - ing sac - ri - fice on my be - half ap - pears.
his all - re - deem - ing love his pre - cious blood to plead.
(Women) they pour ef - fec - tual prayers they strong - ly plead for me.
he owns me for his child, I can no long - er fear;



Be - fore the throne my Su - re - ty stands,
 His blood a - toned for ev - er - y race
 (Men) "For - give him, O for - give" they cry,
 with con - fi - dence I now draw nigh,



be - fore the throne my Su - re - ty stands
 his blood a - toned for ev - er - y race
 (Women) "For - give her, O for - give" they cry,
 with con - fi - dence I now draw nigh,



my name is writ - ten on his hands.
 and sprin - kles now the throne of grace.
 (All) "don't let that ran - somed sin - ner die."
 and "Fa - ther, Ab - ba, Fa - ther" cry.



(Men) (Women) (All)
 A - rise, a - rise, a - rise, a - rise my soul a - rise.



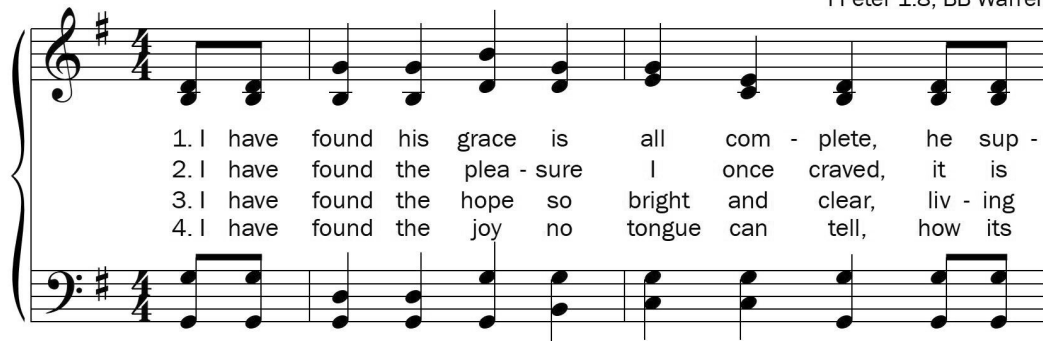
(Men) (Women) (All)
 A - rise, a - rise, a - rise, a - rise my soul, a - rise,



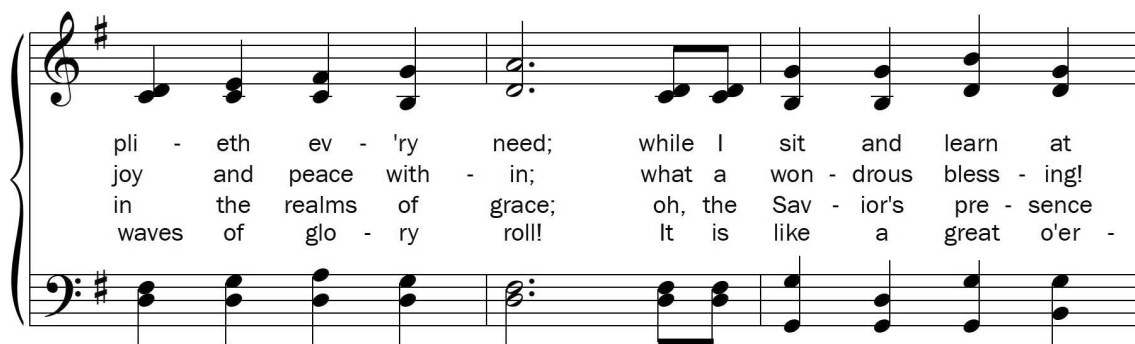
shake of your guilt - ty fears and rise.

* Joy Unspeakable

I Peter 1:8; BB Warren



1. I have found his grace is all com - plete, he sup -
 2. I have found the plea - sure I once craved, it is
 3. I have found the hope so bright and clear, liv - ing
 4. I have found the joy no tongue can tell, how its



pli - eth ev - 'ry need; while I sit and learn at
 joy and peace with - in; what a won - drous bless - ing!
 in the realms of grace; oh, the Sav - ior's pre - sence
 waves of glo - ry roll! It is like a great o'er -



Je - sus' feet, I am free, yes, free in - deed.
 I am saved from the aw - ful gulf of sin. It is
 is so near, I can see his smil - ling face.
 flow - ing well, spring - ing up with - in my soul.



* **Invocation** *concluding with the following responsive prayer; congregation reads **bold type***

O Lord, our Lord,
there are many places we could be this morning,
but we are in your house.

There are many voices to which we can listen today,
but we desire to hear your voice.

It would be easy to scatter,
but this morning we gathered.

We need to behold your beauty,
to inquire in your temple,

to be wrapped in your love,
and to experience your renewing Spirit.

Come close, Lord Jesus,
to fill us and renew us. Amen.

GOD CALLS US TO RENEWAL

Call to confession Isaiah 1:2-3

Hear, O heavens, and give ear, O earth;
for the Lord has spoken:
“Children have I reared and brought up,
but they have rebelled against me.
The ox knows its owner,
and the donkey its master's crib,
but Israel does not know,
my people do not understand.”

Prayer of confession followed by a time of silent confession

Declaration of Forgiveness Colossians 1:13-20 *responsively; congregation read **bold type***

He [the Father] has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn of all creation. For by him all things were created, in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or rulers or authorities—all things were created through him and for him.

And he is before all things, and in him all things hold together. And he is the head of the body, the church. He is the beginning, the firstborn from the dead, that in everything he might be preeminent.

For in him all the fullness of God was pleased to dwell, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether on earth or in heaven, making peace by the blood of his cross.

Reception of New Members

Tyler Dood (8:30)

Jocelyn Miedema

Reception of New Members and Baptisms

Morgan McCormick (8:30)

Judah Martin (11:15)

8:30 service On the final verse of the song below, 4- to 5- year-olds are invited to the foyer to join Christ Kids Worship and will return following the sermon.

11:15 service Church bags are available in the foyer for 4- to 5-year-olds who need some quiet activities during the sermon.

*** *My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less*** Trinity Hymnal 521

GOD'S WORD GIVEN TO US

* Scripture reading

I Peter 1:3-12

³ Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, ⁴ to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you, ⁵ who by God's power are being guarded through faith for a salvation ready to be revealed in the last time. ⁶ In this you rejoice, though now for a little while, if necessary, you have been grieved by various trials, ⁷ so that the tested genuineness of your faith—more precious than gold that perishes though it is tested by fire—may be found to result in praise and glory and honor at the revelation of Jesus Christ. ⁸ Though you have not seen him, you love him. Though you do not now see him, you believe in him and rejoice with joy that is inexpressible and filled with glory, ⁹ obtaining the outcome of your faith, the salvation of your souls.

¹⁰ Concerning this salvation, the prophets who prophesied about the grace that was to be yours searched and inquired carefully, ¹¹ inquiring what person or time the Spirit of Christ in them was indicating when he predicted the sufferings of Christ and the subsequent glories. ¹² It was revealed to them that they were serving not themselves but you, in the things that have now been announced to you through those who preached the good news to you by the Holy Spirit sent from heaven, things into which angels long to look.

Elder: The Word of the Lord

All: Thanks be to God!

* Prayer

Sermon

Cosmic Theater

Pastor Andrew VanderMaas

Present Realities

Sustained By

Produce

Further discussion/questions? andrewvandermaas@christchurchgr.org
Sermons are available online at www.christchurchgr.org

DEDICATING OURSELVES TO GOD

* *Springtime*

by Chris Renzema
by Chris Renzema and Hank Bentley



1. You're the res - ur - rec - tion ____
2. You're the liv - ing wa - ter. ____

that we've wait - ed for.
God, we thirst for you.



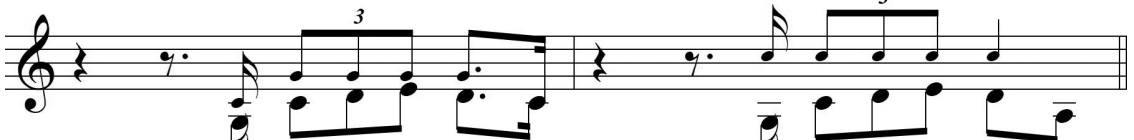
You bur - ied the night,
The dry and the bar - ren

and came with the morn - ing.
will flow - er and bloom ____



You're the King of hea - ven; ____
You're the sun that's shin - ing. ____

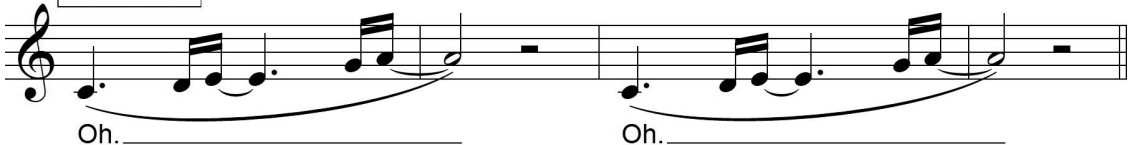
~ the praise is yours.
You re - store my soul.



The long - er the qui - et,
The deep - er you call us;

the loud - er the chor - us.
the deep - er we'll go. *Skip to*
CHORUS

PRE-CHORUS



Oh. ____

Oh. ____

CHORUS



We will sing a new song, 'cause death is dead and gone with the win - ter.



We will sing a new song. Let hal - le - lu - jahs flow like a riv - er.



We're com - ing back to life, reach - ing towards the light.

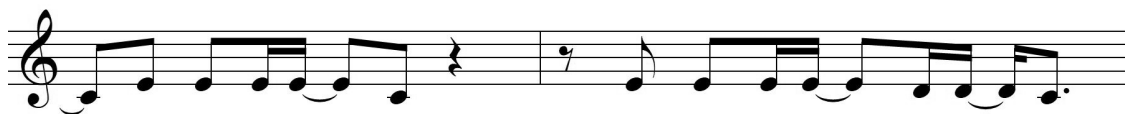


Your love is like spring - time.____
*1st time to Vs 2
2nd time to BRIDGE*

BRIDGE



Come tend the soil,____ come tend the soil____ of____ my soul.



____ And like a gar - den, and like a gar - den I____ will



grow.____

*Sing BRIDGE 2x,
then to **CHORUS***

Living out our faith announcements about the life of the church

Prayers of the People

During the offertory please pass the red friendship pads found at the end of the rows.

Give online at christchurchgr.org or by texting (888) 793-1604

Offertory

I See the Birds

duet

by Hank Bentley, Jon Guerra

Do not be anxious about your life
I heard you say to me
You dress the lilies
You leave the weeds
The sower of the seed

Am I in charge of my own mind
Or is it in charge of me

I see the birds up in the air
I know you feed them
I know you care
So won't you teach me
How I mean more to you than them
In times of trouble
Be my help again

You've held me sturdy
You've led me on
Through years of joy and grief
So don't you leave me
All on my own
You know me Lord
I'm weak

Don't you worry child
Don't you worry child
He won't leave you by yourself
In times of trouble he's your help

*** New Doxology**

Praise God, from whom all _____ bless - ings _____ flow;

praise him, all crea - tures here be - low;

praise him a - bove, ye _____ heav'n - ly _____ host;

praise Fa - ther, Son and Ho - ly Ghost.

A - men. A - men.

*** Benediction**

Kids and All: You are invited to come forward and play rhythm instruments as we sing our closing Amen song.

*** Let the People Sing Amen, Amen**

John Michael Talbot

C F G C

Let the peo - ple sing a _____ men, a _____ men.
Let us walk in the light _____ of the Spi - rit;
Let us go as a light _____ to the na - tions;

F G C

Let the peo - ple sing a - men, a - men.
let us walk in the light _____ of the Spi - rit;
let us go as a light _____ to the na - tions;

F G C

Let the peo - ple sing a - men, a - men.
Let us walk in the light _____ of the Spi - rit.
let us go as a light _____ to the na - tions.

*** Postlude**

Prayer Partners are available to pray with you right now. Come to the area by the organ with anything on your heart: praise, fears, questions, thanksgiving. We'll sit down and pray together.

Worship musicians

Linda Bokma-deJong, singer

Greg Stawicki, singer

Rob LaPlaca, guitar

Susan Guerra, piano

Mark Lundell, bass

Cameron Risma, drums

Sunday School for all ages 10:00 - 10:50

COVENANT SCHOOL CLASSES

Pre-K through 4th grade students: sign your child in at the multipurpose room; parents sign out children from classrooms (listed below) at 10:50.

5th-12th grade students do not need to be signed in or out

2 year old	room 201	5th – 6th grade	room 303
3 year old	room 205	7th – 8th grade	room 302
Preschool	room 200	9th – 10th grade	room 304
Kindergarten	room 106	11th – 12th grade	room 206/lounge
1st grade	room 203		
2nd grade	room 105/Library		
3rd grade	room 107		
4th grade	room 204		

ADULT INSTITUTE

Foundations of the Faith:

Understanding the Times

Understanding the times has always been both a call and a challenge for God’s people. Whether it is knowing how Israel should respond to a change in Kingship, as in the days of the Chronicler, or whether it is knowing how the church should respond in the midst of the swirling tides of today's information society, discernment is needed. Join us as we lay out a framework for Biblical discernment and then put that framework into practice discussing ideas in recent podcasts.

Andrew VanderMaas and Dan Churchwell
SANCTUARY

Sermon Response

You are welcome at the circle to talk about what God is stirring up in your heart through the presentation of the word this morning. It’s ok to just listen also. Second service attenders come and get a preview.

Linda Bokma-deJong and Susan Guerra
ROOM 301

Leviticus

Although Leviticus often receives a bad reputation, it has a rich significance when its deep symbolism is understood. The book demonstrates how Israel approached God through various sacrifices and purity regulations. Furthermore, Leviticus served as a blueprint for Israel's holiness in divine service. Throughout this course, we will explore how these core concepts inform and shape our perspective on the New Testament.

Jerry Stutzman
SOUTH OVERFLOW

First Things

This informal discussion class is designed for those who want to know more about the theology, vision, ministries, and behind-the-scenes working of the church. It is for any who are interested in membership and for those who are simply curious about faith and/or the church.

Lucas Mooibroek
NORTH OVERFLOW



Church Center App
*for sign-ups, calendar,
directory, giving & forms*

You're invited to our Wednesday Night time of fellowship and prayer! Join us for a meal at 5:45 with prayer following at 6:30. Whether you are new or have been around a while, this a time for our church family to embody Christ's call to loving unity as we break bread and become better acquainted with our fellow saints. Come eat good food, meet some new faces, and spend time covering one another and our church in prayer! **Dinner this week is Breakfast. Please bring a side of fruit or muffins to go with the main meal.**

If you ever made something to eat, used a dish or two, and then cleaned those dishes— you are officially qualified for our Wednesday night dish crew! As part of our weekly rhythm, we utilize reusable items like glasses, silverware, and ceramic plates to show ongoing care for the world God created. It also helps that those who lead, Julie Churchwell and Marguerite Duemler, are a lot of fun! Show up for our 5:45 meal and enjoy fellowship, then begin washing around 6:15 afterwards. Email Marguerite if interested at meduemler@gmail.com.

Blood Drive: Save the date to donate blood on Wednesday, **Oct 21 from 2:30 to 7 pm.**

Coffee House #40 will be on October 23! Using the QR code, sign up to present a song, skit, poem, dance, or something else. Find some way to connect your performance--through as many degrees of separation as needed--to the number 40!

Town Hall meeting September 27, at 10 am to go over the congregational summary of the Canaan report co-authored by Canaan and a small team of CC reps who have been working with them, share updates on the progress of the building committee, and answer questions. To help us make the best use of our time, send questions that you may have to the link at the QR code. Hard copies of the report are available at the welcome center.

Our annual Service of Lament will be Sept 27 at 6:00pm. We will worship together as we acknowledge the sorrows of this life and cling to God as our only hope.

Elder & Deacon Nominations: We are grateful for the service of our elders and deacons and seek nominations for the 2026 officer training program. Nomination forms are available in Church Center and at the welcome center.

Go Deeper with Your Story: Many people come to adulthood never having truly dealt with pains and patterns experienced in childhood and how that story may be impacting current challenges of life. You are invited to join us for a weekend exploring how your early years have made a mark on you today and in the process find hope, healing and freedom in the truths of the gospel. Within this community, it is our hope that you will gain an increased awareness of grace and a deeper intimacy with the Author of your story. This year the Journey will be offered in a weekend format from 6 pm on Nov 12 to 4 pm Nov 15. For more information contact Pastor Andrew, Heather Maupin, Alicia Harley, or Matt Tilchen. Greater detail to follow.

CAM (*college age ministry*)

Join us **Sunday nights at 8:00 pm** for Bible study, games and socializing.

SINKs & DINKs

Post-high school young adults (18-30+) who are not in college and do not have kids. Bring your friends!

Enjoying Fall: Sept 26 at 7pm. Join us at Farmhaus Cider (5025 Stanton St in Hudsonville) at 9pm we'll head to Fisk Knob (the highest point in Kent county) arriving there around 9:45 to enjoy the bright and beautiful harvest moon. Come if you appreciate the fall season, harvest time, the moon, Fisk Knob, or Kent County. Bring a lawn chair or picnic blanket for moon and star gazing! Reach out to Lucas (260)-450-5437 with any questions.

Staff Update

We are excited to announce that **Jocelyn Miedema will serve as our Family Ministries Assistant.** Jocelyn has a passion for serving behind the scenes through administration, organization, and making delicious food. She will also bring a fresh, vibrant perspective to events and communication with parents and volunteers. Praise God for providing Jocelyn to serve the church in this way, and pray for her as she transitions into this new role in the coming weeks! Additionally, pray that God will use our entire Family Ministries team to equip parents and disciple our covenant children.

Family Ministries Team:

- Michael Anderson
Pastor of Family Ministries
- Rachel Dallaire
Lead Children's Ministry Coordinator
- Dawn Lundell
Children's Ministry Assistant
- Rachel Morales
Nursery Coordinator
- Caleb Balaraju
Lead Youth Discipleship Coordinator
- Joelle McCormick
Youth Discipleship Coordinator
- Jocelyn Miedema
Family Ministries Assistant

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

Christ Kids Worship

September Theme: Benediction

OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

Sign up at Take them a Meal to encourage those adjusting to a new baby or struggling with health concerns. Last Name: Christ Church, Password: *church*

A few more volunteers are needed to help with our early grades Sunday school! Serve every Sunday, or on a rotation that works for your group. The more volunteers we have, the more flexibility for everyone. Come be part of something joyful—our kids (and teachers!) would love to have you. Reach out today to Rachel, Dawn, or Michael.

Bring the main dish and/or side dishes for the Nov 8 CAM Lunch. Contact Michele at pengwins4@gmail.com

YOUTH MINISTRY

Parents Forum - tonight from 6-7 pm

Parents of 5th-12th grade students: join Pastor Michael Anderson, Joelle McCormick, and some of our youth volunteers in the Atrium to hear about the year ahead. We'll provide snacks, and you can bring all your questions! We're looking forward to partnering with you in discipling your students!

Join the youth worship band led this year by Norah Tilchen and Ethan Klamer. If you'd like to participate, sign up with the announcement QR Code. Reach out to Joelle (joellemccormick@christchurchgr.org), Norah (27tilchennorah@student.schs.org), or Ethan (e0749273@gmail.com) with questions.

WOMEN'S DISCIPLESHIP

Expecting mothers and postpartum mothers:

Did you know we have a closet with maternity and nursing clothes to share with you!? We would love to help take the pressure off of the need for creating an entirely new wardrobe during such a short season. Everything is free! If you would like to take a look and borrow some articles, contact Mandi Rodenbeck 734-347-2618 to arrange a time. If you are done with your maternity clothes, consider donating to our closet! The mothers following you would be so grateful for your options!

South Fold Women: join us Friday Oct 2 at 7pm for another casual evening of fellowship, food and fun at the Holland Home Ridge (2772 Pfeiffer Woods Dr SE), in the private dining room. Our goal is simply to know each other better so we can pray and encourage one another in the Lord. RSVP with the QR code to give us an idea of how many to plan for. If you would like a ride contact Emma or Molly.

Former member, Marge Shell, is with our Lord after a season of Alzheimer's and Cancer. Marge died peacefully in Atlanta, GA with her daughters, Ann and Jennifer, by her side on September 11, 2026. She was 90. Marge loved her Christ Church family and directing the choir was the most celebrated time of her life. Her ministry to the choir and being ministered to from the choir was an ever-present joy in her life and one she reflected on often in her final days. Marge is survived by her daughters and 4 grandsons: Jamie, Nick, Harrison, Spencer). A Celebration of Life will be planned at a later date. Condolences can be given directly to Ann (aesj@msn.com/678-333-6618) and Jennifer (jennifer.cordelier@gmail.com/616-302-7474).

MEN'S MINISTRY

Movie night Friday, Oct 16 where we will be streaming *Minari* (2020), a heartfelt, critically acclaimed film that tells the story of a Korean immigrant family pursuing the American dream as they begin a new life on a small farm in 1980s rural Arkansas. Through themes of faith, sacrifice, resilience, and belonging, the movie offers a hopeful, authentic look at the challenges and rewards the family faces as they find their place in a new community. Invite a friend, co-worker or neighbor and join us for an inspiring and thought-provoking screening and discussion. Snacks and soft drinks provided. Signup in the Church Center App. *Rated PG-13 for some thematic elements and language.*

Fold Ministry

We love and care for each other through our elder-led fold structure organized by zip code. Each fold has a directional name based on where it's located, generally speaking, in relation to church. We encourage you to contact those below in your fold about needs and prayer matters.

Elders Shepherd, serve and pray for families, primarily attending to spiritual needs.

Deacons Coordinate mercy care, primarily attending to financial and physical needs.

Fold Facilitators Women assisting elders and deacons by encouraging, praying for, and helping other women while being attentive to practical needs.

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This Week's Events

Today	8:30 AM	Worship Service
	10:00 AM	Sunday School for All Ages
	11:15 AM	Worship Service
	6:00 PM	Youth Parents Forum
	8:00 PM	CAM Night
Monday	7:00 PM	Women's Habakkuk Bible Study
		Men's Bible Study
Tuesday	7:00 AM	Men's Bible Study - <i>Gathering Place - 6886 Cascade Rd SE</i>
	8:30 AM	Men's Breakfast - <i>New Beginnings - 6209 28th Street SE</i>
	10:00 AM	Women's Bible Study
Wednesday	6:30 AM	Men's Bible Study
	8:00 AM	Men's Breakfast - <i>Russ' Restaurant, 4440 Chicago Drive</i>
	9:00 AM	<i>Habakkuk</i> Bible Study
	4:00 PM	<i>Habakkuk</i> Bible Study
	5:00 PM	Children's Choir (K-4th)
		Youth Ensemble (5th-8th)
	5:45 PM	Wednesday Nights
		Re Engage Marriage
Thursday	7:30 PM	Adult Choir
Thursday	8:30 AM	Men's Breakfast - <i>New Beginning's - 4415 Broadmoor Ave SE</i>
	7:00 PM	Men's Post College Bible Study - <i>621 Bates St SE</i>
Friday	6:00 AM	Men's Friday Forge Bible Study
	6:00 PM	Jr High Fall Retreat
Saturday		Jr High Fall Retreat
	7:00 PM	SINKs & DINKs: Enjoying Fall @Farmhaus Cider & Fisk Knob

Financial Report

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES		
For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2026		
	ACTUAL	BUDGET
Receipts	\$ 859,916	\$ 773,422
Expenses	\$ 891,462	\$ 789,273
Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets	\$ (31,546)	\$ (14,621)
September Collections	ACTUAL	BUDGET
September 6	\$ 28,569	\$ 35,696
September 13	\$ 26,938	\$ 35,696
Total	\$ 55,507	\$ 71,393



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