

News & Notes May 28-June 6, 2026

Nursery: May 31: Jenna D., June 7: Alyssa Brauer, June 14: Marcie Van Tol, June 21: Christie Cleveland, June 28: Evie D.
Children's Chapel: May 31: Julie Weller, June 7: Eavee Walker, June 14: Julie Weller, June 21: Maya Garcia, June 28: Maya Garcia

Welcome Center Host: May 31: Berni Geoghan, June 7: Carol C., June 14: Sue Crider, June 21: open, June 28: Berni Geoghan

Hall Monitor: May 31: Tom Van Andel, June 7: Mike Geoghan, June 14: Derrin D., June 21: Tony Darland, June 28: Scott Van Duine

Scripture Reference for Sunday: Connor Maki, Psalm 51

Prayer Chain - Barb Yonkman will be out of state from May 28-June 5. If you have a request for the email prayer chain during that time, please contact the office at office@discoveringcc.com or 744-4781.

Graduate Recognition Sunday is June 7, and you are invited to celebrate with us as we acknowledge our graduates from high school, college, trade school, and military school during the worship service. There will be a special time of fellowship and cake following the worship service in the Family Life Center. **High school graduates** – you are invited to set up a table in the Family Life Center before the service to display pictures, medals, awards, etc. Invite your family and friends to celebrate with us!

You're Invited! Faith Darland would like to invite her DCC family to attend her graduation open house on Saturday, June 13 from 2pm-4pm. We will be celebrating in the big red barn at our house – rain or shine. 2279 E. Riley Thompson Rd., Muskegon 49445.

Jenna Darland will be out of the office and on vacation June 5-14. Her wonderful sub, Michealle Cleveland, will be recovering from eye surgery during that time. Therefore, the office may have minimal & sporadic coverage while Jenna is away, depending on how well Michealle's recovery process goes. If you have tasks for the office that can be done ahead of time, you're encouraged to communicate them to Jenna this week to take care of. In case of an emergency, please reach out to your Shepherd team or an Elder. If you're unsure who your Shepherd is, the teams are posted on the bulletin board across from the church mailboxes. Our Elders are Tom Van Andel, John Kuipers, and Tim DeVriendt.

Thank you to all who gave generously to **Muskegon Pregnancy Services** with your checks, cash, and coins. Collectively we were able to bless this ministry with \$998.85! Please continue to pray for those who are seeking help in a time of crisis and those who minister to them—that the Holy Spirit would strengthen them with words of hope and reassurance that He is our fortress!

VBS July 22-25, 6-8:30pm Our theme this year is **True North**. This program points kids to Jesus, A Faithful Friend we can Trust. In this Wild World we live in, it is easy to lose sight of what is true. When we wonder, when we feel alone, when we feel powerless, when we need hope, when we need help—**We Can Trust in Jesus**. Please consider taking on the role of a station leader for either our Bible story or a Sticky scripture area. If you are interested, but not willing yet to commit, please reach out to Marcie Van Tol (616) 502-9695 with any questions. Please also be in prayer for volunteers, participants, and for this program to reach the children and families from our church family and our community.

Student Ministries:

Thank you, parents, for your support and a great program year with your students. More information about summer gatherings will be coming soon.

RNR (High School)

- June 7, 10:00am is Graduation Recognition Sunday. Plan to attend and support our graduating seniors.
- Mark your calendars for Vacation Bible School, July 22-25. Come be part of the team and help the VBS Director, Marcie Van Tol.

Praises and Prayer Requests

Isaiah 55:8-9. Pray for God's clear direction in how resumes are examined, and interviews conducted. Ask God to bring the right person to the attention of the search team.

From Eavee Walker: "My dad has diabetes and his foot hurts bad right now. We appreciate any prayers. Thank you."

Christie Cleveland is requesting prayers for her mother, Barb LaNore who is recovering from strokes that she experienced last weekend. She is still in Trinity hospital and is waiting to be moved to Mary Freebed for therapy. Please pray for her healing & recovery.

Please pray for Gretchen, Dave Crider's sister. Gretchen lives in Louisiana and is recovering from major surgery. Gretchen has returned home and is being cared for by her daughter. Please pray for quick and complete healing.

We praise God for a successful back surgery for Alishia Derrick's mother, Jeanne Shell. Please continue to remember her in prayer as she has a 6-month recovery and rehabilitation ahead of her.

We offer thanks to God for seeing Michealle Cleveland through her eye surgery on May 27. She will need to spend the next week face down...only allowed to be up for 10 minutes of each hour. Please continue to pray for her healing—both for the Bells Palsy and surgery recovery.

Pray for our youth based on based on Psalm 51:2. Ask God to help them grow in gratitude for His complete cleansing of guilt when they come to Him for forgiveness.

Church Facility Calendar: Worship Center (WC), Family Life Center (FLC), Kitchen (K), Library (Lib.), Next Steps (NS), Fellowship Hall (FH), Prayer Room (PR), All-Purpose Room (AP)

Thursday, May 28 – Men's Bible Study-9:30am (NS), Praise Team Practice-7pm (WC)

Friday, May 29 – Athletic Sensations Baton Class-5:30pm (FLC, FLC-1)

Sunday, May 31 - Worship-10:00am (WC)

Tuesday, June 2 – Staff Meeting-9:30am (FLC-1), Grief Support Group-10am (FH), Search Team-6:30pm (#31)

Wednesday, June 3 – Hour of Power Prayer Meeting-3:30pm (PR)

Thursday, June 4 – Men's Bible Study-9:30am (NS)

Saturday, June 6 – Miller-12pm (FH, K)