



| Last Week's Totals | |
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| Total Missions Faith Promise Monthly Commitment: | \$3,095.00 |
| Missions Faith Promise Received in November | \$2,003.00 |
| General Fund Offering Received 12/01/19 | \$2627.00 |
| Parking Lot Fund | \$955.00 |
| Missionary Christmas | \$1605.00 |

This Week

- Sunday**
- Choir Practice 4:00 PM
 - WOL Meeting 5:00 - 5:50 PM
 - Children's Christmas Program 6:00 PM
- Wednesday**
- Prayer Meeting 6:30 PM
 - AWANA — Awana Store 6:30 – 8:00 PM
- Thursday**
- Grief Share 6:30 – 8:30 PM
- Saturday**
- Ladies Tea 10 AM


| | Sunday School | AM Service | PM Service |
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|  | 12/08 Jody Moore Sara Martin | Rebekah Householder Denise Forell Kaycee Schrader | Tiffany Blakely |
| Schedule | 12/15 Jody Moore Sara Martin | Bobbi Bivens Kristen Finsaas Alison McGlocklin | Sharon Harris |

 **Toddlers Church-ages 2-5 (must not have started kindergarten)**

Children will be in Christman Hall throughout the entire 11 am worship service. Parents please pick up your children immediately following the service.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- December 14-** Ladies Christmas Tea 10 AM
- December 15-** WOL Caroling (see a WOL leader)
- December 18-** Deadline to donate non-perishables for Christmas baskets
- December 22-** Cantata during the 11AM Service
- December 31-** WOL & church ice skating event at the Summit



Church Cancellation Info

If we have to cancel services due to weather, we will post it on WOOD TV 8 in Grand Rapids, WCSG 91.3 FM. You may also call the church, as the answering machine will tell you if services are cancelled and we will post it on the webpage.

This Week's Verse Challenge- Verse # 15
John 11:25 ESV
 Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall live."

Sunday School - 9:45 AM

- Nursery**.....available for newborns up to 2yrs old
- Children's Opening** ages 2-Sixth Grade. They will be meeting in Christman Hall. Age Appropriate Classes following opening
- Jr. High Grades 7& 8**.....3rd room on the Left in the CAC
- High School Grades 9-12**.....Basement
- Adult Sunday School Class-**
 - * **21 things God Never Said**" in Auditorium
 - * **Family Life Today Parenting Series-** CAC

Morning Worship Service- 11 AM

Special Music: Katie Burd

Toddlers Church (ages 2-5)
 (must not have started kindergarten)
 In Christman Hall for entire worship service.

Junior Church- (for grades 5 yrs-4th grade)
 Children will be released right before the message

Children's Activity Bulletins are available on the back table

Message: Pastor Joe Benedict

Christmas is a time of Emphasis
 What should we capitalize on this Christmas?
 Giving, Family, Traditions, Rejoicing
 Christmas is a Time for Family.

Children's Christmas Program – 6 PM



Come join us for the Children's
 Christmas Program
 put on by the VBC kids.
TONIGHT at 6PM.
 There will be a cookie fellowship
 following the program.
 Please bring cookies to share!

We are looking to update our birthday and anniversary list! If you would like to be included, even if you've already given us the information, please email your family's birthdates and anniversaries to vermontvillebiblechurchoffice@gmail.com or give them to Meghan Otto by the end of the year.

Announcements



Ladies, you are invited to a Christmas Tea on Saturday, December 14 at 10am. Bring a brunch dish to pass and a teacup.

We will be having an ornament exchange. It can be new or old. Make sure to have it wrapped. Hope to see you there.

We always have a good time, If you have any questions, please contact Pam White 269.331.9183 or 517.852.9490

Grief Recovery Support Group


meets weekly on Thursday nights thru December 19 from 6:30-8:30 PM. Grief can be lonesome. Professional support on DVD's will be facilitated to provide comfort in a confidential setting. We are never prepared for loss and we are here to help our church family and community. Questions? Just come or call Ardy Robotham 517-852-4001.



Vermontville Christmas Baskets

Non- perishable food items are needed to fill the baskets for families in need in the Vermontville Area. Items may be left in the CAC church kitchen until Wednesday, December 18. Assembly of baskets will take place on Dec 19 & 20. Basket distribution & pick-up will be held on Dec 21.
 Thank You for your help!

***The youth group will also be wrapping gifts at the basket distribution. We have lots of paper. But If you have any Christmas ribbon or gift bags you don't need, we are collecting donations. Please see Sara Martin if you have anything you would like to donate or you can also leave it in the church office. Thank You.



We are raising money to fix the parking lot. You may give towards this by designating funds for the Parking Lot using an offering envelope and writing "Parking Lot" in the "Other" area listed at the bottom.