

May 2, 2021

We welcome you to



**Ferris Church
of Christ**
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Church Office Hours:

Tuesdays ~ Wednesdays ~ Thursdays 10 a.m.-3 p.m.



Praise and Worship

Communion Meditation by Mike Buck

Taking of the Lord's Supper

Christians are invited to participate.

Please partake of the bread and cup at this time. Prepackaged communion cups are available in the foyer area as you enter the Sanctuary.

Sermon by Mitch Robey from Ferris State University His House

Invitation

Closing Prayer

Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

Trays will not be passed to collect tithes and offerings at this time. Instead, we ask that you drop it in the box in the foyer before service begins.

We are so happy to gather together for worship! Services are now being live streamed on Facebook. We ask that you spread out and sit every other row and 6 ft. from members of other households, out of love and concern for one another. Please refrain from gathering in the foyer area. For those who wish to visit, please move to the fellowship hall or outside where social distancing can be maintained.

Sunday School is unavailable at this time but will resume May 16. Children's Church is available to K-5th graders on the 1st & 2nd Sunday. We apologize for any inconvenience and look forward to praising God together!

PRAYER NEEDS THIS WEEK

- ❖ Shirley Finch (Al Throop's sister)
- ❖ Bryan Jenison (Jennie Jenison's son)
- ❖ Carmen Jenison (Jennie Jenison's daughter)
- ❖ Barb Jones (Joey Anderson's mother)
- ❖ Rich & Jill Lehman Koutz
- ❖ Search of new minister for Ferris

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- ❖ Our nation, President and Government Leaders, Military personnel
- ❖ Our missionaries
- ❖ Danielle Anderson
- ❖ Jessica Anderson (Keyes)
- ❖ Brian Clark (Kathaleen Comer's son-in-law)
- ❖ Kathaleen Comer
- ❖ Chris Emery (Fred Kinsey's daughter)
- ❖ Betty Freed
- ❖ Baby Sohaila Gulick
- ❖ Linda Hunt
- ❖ Fred Kinsey
- ❖ Roy & Gloria Kinsey
- ❖ Al Leach (Chris & Lynda's son-in-law)
- ❖ Sindia Leonard (Ron Leonard's sister)
- ❖ Ruby Marchetti
- ❖ Peggy Mosley (Howard & Pat Cowan's daughter)
- ❖ Irene Neitzel
- ❖ Bob & Kathy O'Dell
- ❖ Tonya Sebold (friend of Lisa Nowakowski)
- ❖ Donna Schmidt
- ❖ Paul Scott
- ❖ Ralph & Sonja Sherman
- ❖ Al & Cheryl Throop
- ❖ Monica Throop

**If you have a prayer need that you would like added to the bulletin please contact the church office. Changes and prayer needs no longer needed on the prayer list are appreciated as well.*

Serving next Sunday, May 9, 2021

Communion Meditation: Tony Russell
Soundboard Operator: Aydin Cannady

Attendance & Contribution for April 25, 2021

Worship	61	Offering	\$2090
		Weekly Budget	\$2200

JOIN US FOR MOTHER'S DAY!

We invite you to join us for worship & special guest Steve Dobyns on Sunday, May 9 at 10:30 a.m. Bring your mothers along!

SUNDAY SCHOOL TO RESUME!

We are excited to announce that Sunday school classes for all ages will resume on Sunday, **May 16 at 9:30 a.m.** We look forward to the time together and digging into Scripture and hope that you and your family will join us!

**** Services are now being live streamed on Facebook. If you are unable to join us in person, we invite you to join us virtually! ****



MAY 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>Birthday and Anniversaries</i></p> <p>A – Anniversary B – Birthday</p> <p>If we have missed your special day please forgive us & let the church office know so that we can update our records.</p>						
<p>2</p> <p>9:30am Praise Team Warm-up 10:30am Worship 12-1pm Youth Group (K-12th)</p>	<p>3</p> <p>B – Marilyn Parker</p>	<p>4</p> <p>B – Cheryl Throop B – Jennie Jenison</p>	<p>5</p>	<p>6</p> <p>A – Tom & Branda Smolka</p>	<p>7</p>	<p>1</p>
<p>9</p> <p>9:30am Praise Team Warm-up 10:30am Worship 12-1pm Youth Group (K-12th)</p>	<p>10</p> <p>6:00pm Elders meeting 7:00pm Elders & Deacons meeting</p> <p>B – Bob O’Dell</p>	<p>11</p> <p>10am East Montcalm Baby Pantry</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>8</p>
<p>16</p> <p>9:30am Praise Team Warm-up 10:30am Worship 12-1pm Youth Group (K-12th)</p>	<p>17</p>	<p>18</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>15</p>
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ANNOUNCEMENTS / HAPPENINGS

Reminder: The elders of Ferris Church of Christ would like to remind you that we strongly encourage everyone to maintain a 6-foot distance from those not in your household. Please help us by spreading out and sitting every other pew. Let’s help keep each other safe during these unprecedented times!

Updated CMCMF Announcement: All remaining CMCMF meetings for Spring 2021 have been cancelled (this includes May 3 and June 7). Stay tuned for the upcoming 2021-2022 schedule that will begin in October.

RLCA Happenings:

- Family Camp Meeting is happening May 19-22! Check out the camp’s website at rlca.org for more info and to get registered.
- Summer Camp Registration is open. Get your campers registered at rlca.org soon! This year the camp is operating at a reduced capacity, therefore weeks will fill up fast.
- Pack the Pantry is happening now. Help the camp stock the pantry for this summer’s camps. There is a list located of non-perishable items needed on the glass table and a clear container for donation items in the church foyer.

Children’s Church Help Needed: Children’s Church is only available the 1st & 2nd Sunday of each month at this time. If you have an interest in helping to teach children, grades K-5th grade one Sunday a month during the sermon (about 20 minutes), please contact Tony Russell or the church office. Two teachers/helpers are needed each Sunday, and all youth helpers/teachers must pass a background check. We are desperate for teachers and helpers!

Ferris Postcards: Please take a look around. Are you missing a friend in the pews next to you? There are Ferris postcards available in the entryway to send to those that haven’t been able to make it to church lately or to friends and family.

Ferris Youth Group Updates:

- ~ The Ferris Youth Group meets each Sunday, directly after church for K-12th grade. Lunch is provided each week & youth group normally ends by 1pm.
- ~ The Ferris Youth is always looking for bottle and can donations! Please bring in your bottles and cans anytime to help out the youth group.
- ~ Snack items, drinks and lunch item donations are always welcome & appreciated to help feed the youth each Sunday!