

April/May 2026

April 26, 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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3 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worship	4 B-Cheryl Throop Jennie Jenison 6:15 Central MI Chr. Men's Fellowship, Barryton C of C	5	6 Youth Group 6:30 p.m.	7 9:30am Life Group Keith's office NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER	8	9
APRIL 12 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worship	13 6:15 Central MI Chr. Women's Fellowship, Farwell C of C	14 Baby Pantry Elders/Deacons meeting	15 B-Kevin Eldred Youth Group 6:30 p.m.	16 9:30am Life Group Keith's office	17 B- Chris Stratton	18
19 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worship B-Isabell Hall	20	21	22 Youth Group 6:30 p.m.	23 9:30am Life Group Keith's office B-Cody Hansen	24	25 B-Kathy Hull
26 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worship	27	28	29 Sr. Luncheon 12 p.m. Youth Group 6:30 p.m.	30	<i>Birthdays and Anniversaries</i> <div style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 5px; width: fit-content; margin: auto;"> A – Anniversary B – Birthday. Please inform the church office of any updates, additions or </div>	

We welcome you to



**Ferris Church
of Christ**
Go. Teach. Baptize.

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Amy Essex

Welcome to Ferris Church of Christ!

We are glad you are here today.

Children's Church is available for grades K-5 during the sermon. Nursery is available for ages 0-4.

If you are new to Ferris Church or to serve you through prayer or in other ways, please fill out a **Connection Card** located in the pews and place it in the offering box in the foyer area.

Praise and Worship

Communion Meditation: Jody Waldron

Communion Servers: Jeff Berens, Blake Russell, Brian Waldron, Ben Russell

Greeters: Ralph and Sonja Sherman

Soundboard: Luke Essex

Nursery: Roxanne Russell

Security: Al Throop

Taking of the Lord's Supper

Christians are invited to participate.

Please partake of the bread and cup at this time.

Sermon: Keith Mitchell

Lessons from the Life of Abraham
Genesis 14

Invitation

Closing Prayer

Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

Trays will not be passed to collect tithes and offerings. Please place your offering in the box located in the foyer before service begins.

Sunday morning service is live streamed on Facebook for anyone unable to attend in person.

Upcoming Events

- **April 29** Senior Luncheon
- **May 4** Central Michigan Christian Men's Fellowship, Barryton Church of Christ
- **May 7** National Day of Prayer
- **May 9** Work day at Rock Lake Camp
- **May 11** Central Michigan Christian Women's Fellowship, Coe Church of Christ
- **May 13** Ladies Lunch Bunch, 11:30 at Marlview
- **June 8-12** VBS, Vestaburg Church of Christ

In order to control who has access to the building, the access code has been changed. If you need the code, see Bev.

If you are security on security team or work with youth and children, you must have background check. Please see Bev.

PRAYER NEEDS

- ❖ Our nation, President, elected leaders, military personnel
- ❖ Our missionaries
- ❖ Rosemary Krafft
- ❖ Al and Cheryl Throop
- ❖ Verna Beth Hayward
- ❖ Talesa Wanless
- ❖ Jeff Berens
- ❖ Art Fenrich (Friend of Berens, cancer)
- ❖ Vernon Hull (Gerald's brother)
- ❖ Dick Eble (Perry Hilton's neighbor)

**Prayer needs may be added by leaving a message at the church office, or note a connection card given to Keith Mitchell or Bev Berens. Prayer requests will be updated monthly.*

Sunday School

Adult Overflow room

High School (9th – 12th) room 307

Middle School (6th – 8th) room 306

Upper Elementary (3rd - 5th) room 305

Early Elementary (PreK – 2nd) room 304

Mid-Week Studies

(See calendar on back for confirmed meeting dates)

Thursdays 9:30 at Keith's office

Fridays 10am: Ladies of Light @ Hull's Barn

Wednesdays 6:30 p.m. youth group at church

Sunday 6:30 Discipleship group at Wes's house

Serving next Sunday, May 3, 2026

Communion Meditation: Luke Essex

Communion Servers: Vic Welch, Troy Sackett, Tony Stubbins, Michael Russell

Greeters: Troy and Lisa Sackett

Soundboard Operator: Karen Waldron

Nursery: Connie Hetherington

Security: Denny Hansen

General Announcements

- **Rock Lake Camp** registration is open. See bulletin board in narthex for details!
- **April 29, Senior Luncheon;** Jake Kemp from Edward Jones will talk about retirement, investments, and income strategy. All are welcome to attend, but you must sign up for accurate luncheon head count, compliments of Ladies of Light.
- **Text-Em-All** If you are not on the text/call list and would like to be added, contact the church office or complete a connection card.
- **Directory updates, special dates:** if your special date is not on the calendar, it means your information is not in the master list. Please complete a connection card and give it to Keith or Bev with the information or updates to the directory.