

## Greater > A Better Choice: Part 3 Authenticity vs. Pretentiousness

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Pretentiousness repels; authenticity ATTRACTS.

Who am I? I'm a person ALREADY deeply pleasing to God.

Grace focuses me on CHRIST.

Christ melts my MASKS.

Living mask-less changes how I treat others and my SIN issues.

**Genesis 32:22-28:** That night Jacob got up and took his two wives, his two maidservants and his eleven sons and crossed the fork of the Jabbok. After he has sent them across the stream, he sent over all his possessions. So Jacob was left alone, and a man wrestled with him till daybreak. When the man saw that he could not overpower him, he touched the socket of Jacob's hip so that his hip was wrenched as he wrestled with the man. Then the man said, "Let me go, for it is daybreak." But Jacob replied, "I will not let you go unless you bless me." The man asked him, "What is your name?" "Jacob," he answered. Then the man said, "Your name will no longer be Jacob, but Israel, because you have struggled with God and with men and have overcome."

**Psalm 56:8:** You have taken note of my journey through life, caught each of my tears in Your bottle.

## MUSIC

Wednesday 6:30 pm

Opening Song "Soul on Fire"  
words on the screen

Communion

Closing Hymn "Bless the Lord (10,000 reasons)"  
words on the screen

Sunday 8:30 am

Hymn of the Day "Blest Are They"  
Blue Book #764 vs. 1, 2, 3

Communion

Closing Hymn "Halle, Halle, Hallelujah"  
Blue Book #612 (3x total)

Sunday 10 am

Opening Song "Soul on Fire"  
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Communion

Closing Hymn "Bless the Lord (10,000 reasons)"  
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For a layout of the service please refer to the laminated card that can be found in the church pews.

## PHASE

Now is the time to start thinking about Central's Youth Education Programs. A registration form for all of our groups (JAM, KOK, Transit, and InsideOUT) is available near the Welcome Central sign, online under the Families tab of our website, or under the Youth Go! tab of our app.



### Join Our Volunteer Team

Volunteers power Feed My People and hunger-relief efforts across west central Wisconsin. They help to make food available for residents who are struggling to meet their most basic of needs. Right now at the food bank we have a very large need for volunteer pickers and drivers to join our team. If you have any interest in either of these opportunities please contact Nick at [nick@fmpfoodbank.org](mailto:nick@fmpfoodbank.org) or 715-835-9415 ext. 101.

#### Picking Orders in our Warehouse

Volunteers assist our staff by going throughout the warehouse and helping to fill orders that our partner hunger-relief agencies have placed. Community members who donate their time to pick orders are able to lift at least 40 pounds.



#### Delivering Food to the Community

Volunteer drivers help to make sure our food gets where it needs to go. We rely on volunteer drivers to drive over half of our miles at FMP. Community members that help to deliver orders need to have a valid driver's license and feel comfortable driving a box truck.

**Together we are making a difference for  
local families.**

WEDNESDAY, August 23

9:15 am Deborah's Circle  
5:30 pm KOK SGL Meeting  
6:30 pm Wellspring Worship  
7:30 pm Transit SGL Meeting

THURSDAY, August 24

6:30 pm Mission Possible

FRIDAY, August 25

OFFICE CLOSED

SATURDAY, August 26

SUNDAY, August 27

8:30 am Worship (Organ & Piano Led)  
9:30 am KOK SGL Meeting  
10:00 am Worship (Band Led)

MONDAY, August 28

9:00 am Titus Women  
6:30 pm Boy Scouts

TUESDAY, August 29

1:00 pm Staff Meeting  
7:00 pm NA Group

WEDNESDAY, August 30

6:30 pm Wellspring Worship

THURSDAY, August 31

6:30 pm Mission Possible

FRIDAY, September 1

OFFICE CLOSED

SATURDAY, September 2

8:00 am Men on a Mission @ Chippewa  
Family Restaurant  
9:00 am CVA Business Meeting

SUNDAY, September 3

8:30 am Worship (Organ & Piano Led)  
10:00 am Worship (Band Led)

**CLOVERTON**  
BLOOM TOUR



**\*THE HEYDE CENTER\***  
3 SOUTH HIGH STREET CHIPPEWA FALLS, WI

**MONDAY, SEPT 18**

**7PM**     \$10 GENERAL ADMISSION  
   \$15 RESERVED SEATING

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CONCERT DOORS AT 6:30     OR CALL 715-720-4961

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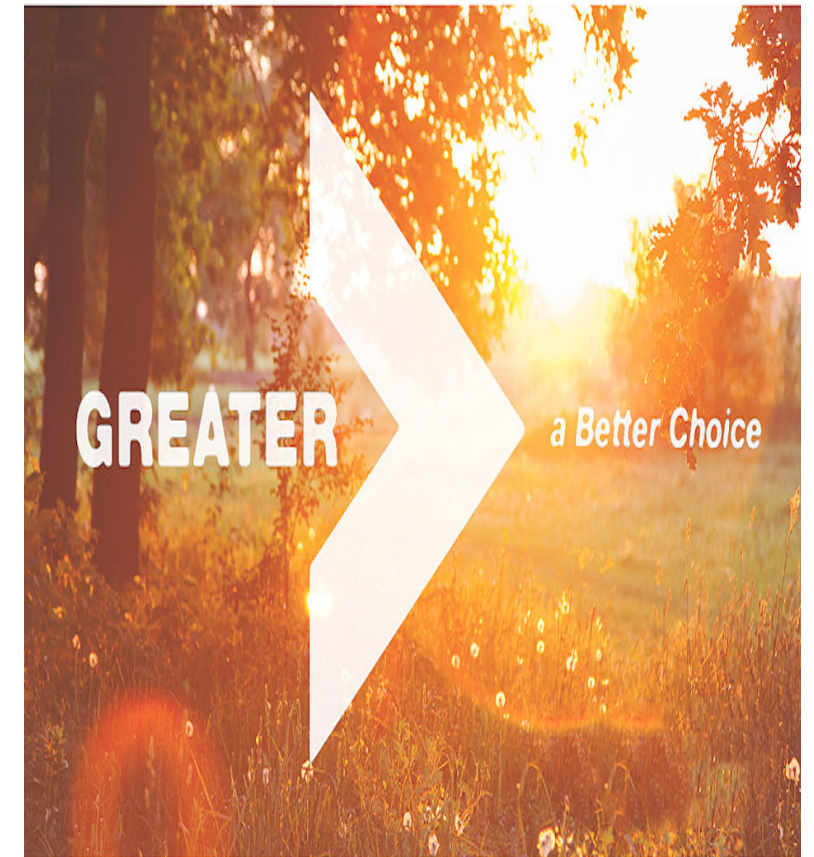
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*Wednesday, August 23, 2017*

*Sunday, August 27, 2017*

*Worship Service*



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