

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

SUNDAY AUGUST 27

8:15AM	DW	Worship Service
9:15AM	DW	Adult Bible Study - Meeting room
9:30AM	SJ	Worship Service
10:00AM	DW	Worship Service & Livestream
10:00AM	DW	Happy Camper Summer Series Last day today.
10:00AM	DW	Nursery

MONDAY AUGUST 28

6:30PM	DW	Finance Meeting
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TUESDAY AUGUST 29

10AM-2PM	DW	Food Pantry
5:30-7:00PM	DW	Food Pantry
6:30PM	DW	Fleece & Thank You Blankets - Meeting Room

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 30

10:00AM	DW	Senior Bible Study - Meeting room - door 4
7:00PM	DW	Worship Team Practice

THURSDAY AUGUST 31

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 1 - Building Closed

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 2 - Building Closed

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 3

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9:15AM	DW	Adult Bible Study - Meeting room
9:30AM	SJ	Worship Service
10:00AM	DW	Worship Service & Livestream
10:00AM	DW	NO Happy Camper - Kid's & Youth fall programs begin next Sunday, September 10!
10:00AM	DW	Nursery

Key: DW—DeWitt; SJ—St. Johns; ON—Online; All—All Campuses

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Office Hours:

Mon-Thurs: 8:30am-4:30pm

Sunday Services:

Summer Worship Times:

8:15 & 10:00am

Online: 10:00am (FB & YouTube)

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St. Johns, MI 48879

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Tue & Wed: 1:00pm-4:00pm

Sunday Service:

9:30am

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MESSAGE HEARING GOD'S VOICE IN THE MIDST OF BURNOUT August 27, 2023

1 Kings 19:1-18

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Welcome to Worship!

We are so glad you have joined us today. This morning, we conclude our message series called 'Elijah—Man of Faith' by looking at a time in his life when Elijah was completely worn out. Can you relate? Our Scripture outlines God's Prescription when we get to those times in our life when we are exhausted and need God's refreshment and direction.

CHECK IN

You are important to us. Guests and members, let us know you are here or leave a prayer request by filling out the connection card in the pew and dropping it in one of the boxes in the back of the worship center. You may also check in online through our app or by scanning this QR code or by visiting:

[myredeemer.church/
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Announcements



Join us for
**Kick-off Sunday
September 10th!**

We will resume our
regular fall worship
schedule of services
at 8:15, 9:30, and
11:00am.

Following the services, plan to stay for a few minutes and enjoy some Biggby coffee and refreshments with friends on the lawn. Our Kids Programs (*Preschool - grade 5*) will be starting up at the 9:30 and 11:00 services; the Youth Programs (*Grades 6-8 & 9-12*) will start up at 9:30 only for now. There will be special treats for Kids and Youth as well. Invite a friend or family member to join you for this special Sunday. You don't want to miss it!

MOPS & MOMSnext BEGINNING SOON



All expectant moms and those with children ages birth-18yrs— will this be the year you SAY YES to the important things? Yes, to parenting on purpose. Yes, to significant challenges and out-of-your-comfort-zone opportunities. Yes, to your marriage and relationships. Invitations to connect

with others? Yes, please! Join the group starting September 21. They meet the 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 6:30-8:30pm. Check out their [FACEBOOK PAGE](#): DeWitt MOPS & MOMSnext or email [BREE](#) for more information.

PRIME TIME PRESCHOOL OPENINGS

Prime Time Preschool has a few openings in their MWF morning or afternoon programs, children need to be 4 by December 1. There is also an opening in the T-Th afternoon class. For this class a child needs to be 3 by September 1. Please call Lynda Schoonover at 517-281-8858 if you are interested or have questions. Please share this information with others who might be interested.



FAMILY MINISTRIES • 9:30 & 11:00AM BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 10

NOTE: Today is the last day for our summer series Happy Campers for preschool-5th grade students. We are glad the kids could camp out this summer and learn more about God and His love for us.

There will be no Kids Ministry Program next week on Labor Day weekend.

Join us on Sunday, September 10, for our Fall Kick-off Sunday!

OUTREACH MINISTRIES

FLEECE & THANK YOU BLANKETS

Sign-up and join us at the DeWitt campus this coming Tuesday, August 29, as we assemble Fleece Blankets for kids in the hospital. The sign-up can be found on our [WEBSITE](#) or on the mobile app under SIGN-UPS.

OUTREACH PROJECTS NIGHT!

We will be doing several different Outreach Projects at the DeWitt Campus on Thursday, September 14 at 6:30pm. All ages are welcome as we assemble Midwest Mission Kits, Make Fleece and Thank You Blankets, assemble laundry pod kits and more. Mark your calendar and be sure to JOIN Us !!! The sign-up can be found on our [WEBSITE](#) or on the mobile app under SIGN-UPS.

UPCOMING OUTREACH EVENTS

We have several #BeTheChurch volunteer opportunities for either daytime or evening and for a variety of ages. The sign-up can be found on our [WEBSITE](#) or on the mobile app under SIGN-UPS.

Coming Up

- Aug 29 – Making Fleece and Thank You Blankets (VOLUNTEERS NEEDED)
- Sept 7 – Assembling Homeless bags
- Sept 7 – Delivering the Ronald McDonald House dinner
- Sept 10 – Distributing items to those in the need at the Lansing Park
- Sept 11 – St Vincent DePaul clothes sorting
- Sept 11 – Delivering water to local police and fire departments
- Sept 14 – #BTC event – assembling kits
- Sept 17 – Advent House lunches being packed by Small Group
- Sept 19 – Plarn Making at DeWitt Campus
- Sept 21 – 7:30am Food Pantry food delivery at the DeWitt Campus
- Sept 27 – Greater Lansing Food Bank food sorting

*More opportunities will be added in September;
check the sign-up for times and future events!*





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Big Idea: GOD'S PRESCRIPTION WHEN YOU ARE WORN OUT

GETTING STARTED

Describe one of the loneliest moments of your life. How did you make it through that time?

REFLECTION/DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. What did Elijah pray when he had fled to a lonely place (v.3-5)? Do you think Elijah was justified in being discouraged by his circumstances?
2. What strikes you as unusual about God's question to Elijah in the cave?
3. Elijah wore himself out, shut people out, focused on the negative and forgot the faithfulness of God. Of these four, which one is the most common challenge in your life?
4. The most spiritual thing we can do is rest. While that sounds so easy, why is it so hard for most of us to rest? What are some things you can do to have more rest in your life?
5. God spoke to Elijah with a gentle whisper. Describe a time when God spoke to you with a gentle whisper. What did He say to you?
6. God encouraged Elijah to eat and rest, to believe truth instead of lies, to listen to His voice, and to get back to doing what prophets do. At this season in your life, which of these areas resonate with you most? Why?
7. What are the prayer requests on your mind and heart today?

PRAYER: Lord God, thank you that you are always with us, even in our loneliest moments. When we get worn out, you never do. May we find our hope, strength, and direction in you. May we listen for Your truth and rest in Your presence. In the name of Christ, Amen

GOING DEEPER: Read I Kings 19 and 2 Kings 2:11-12. Pray and ask God what He is wanting you to do in this season of your life. Ask if He wants you to continue what you are doing or see if he has something new in store for you.

FOCUS SCRIPTURES:

August 27, 2023

"Elijah was afraid and fled for his life. He went to Beersheba, a town in Judah, and he left his servant there. Then he went on alone into the wilderness, traveling all day. He sat down under a solitary broom tree and prayed that he might die. 'I have had enough, Lord,' he said... But as he was sleeping, an angel touched him and told him, 'Get up and eat!' He looked around and there beside his head was some bread baked on hot stones and a jar of water! So he ate and drank and lay down again... 'The Lord said to him, 'What are you doing here Elijah?'"

I Kings 19: 3-4,6,9

MY NOTES: