

HAPPENING THIS WEEK

SUNDAY • JANUARY 21

8:15am	DW	Worship Service
9:15am	DW	Adult Bible Study - Meeting Room
9:30am	ALL	Worship Service & Livestream
9:30am	DW	Nursery / Kids Ministry / Youth Ministry
11:00am	DW	Worship Service
11:00am	DW	Nursery / Kids Ministry
11:00am	DW	Seeker's Bible Study - Meeting Room

MONDAY • JANUARY 22

10:00am	DW	MomCo Playdate - Gym - door 4*
7:00pm	DW	Leadership Meeting - Kids Wing - door 3*

TUESDAY • JANUARY 23

10am-2pm	DW	Food Pantry
5:30-7:00pm	DW	Food Pantry
6:00-7:30pm	DW	Middle School Youth Group - end door

WEDNESDAY • JANUARY 24

10:00am	DW	Senior Bible Study - Meeting Room - door 4*
6:30pm	DW	#BTC Evening Event - Gym - door 3*
7:00pm	DW	Worship Team Practice

THURSDAY • JANUARY 25

6:30pm	DW	Mission Trip Mtg. - Multipurpose rm - door 3*
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FRIDAY • JANUARY 26 - Office Closed

6:00-7:30pm	DW	Snow Muck Fun - Kids Wing - door 3*
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SATURDAY • JANUARY 27 - Building Closed

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*Door numbers refer to the large white numbers on the building's exterior, above each outside door.

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DeWitt (Main Office)

13980 Schavey Rd
DeWitt, MI 48820

517-669-3430

Office Hours:

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

Sunday Services:

8:15, 9:30, & 11:00am
Online: 9:30am (FB & YouTube)

St. Johns

200 E State St.
St. Johns, MI 48879

989-224-6859

Office Hours:

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

Sunday Service:

9:30am

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New Year

Bible Challenge

2024



HOW TO STUDY
THE BIBLE

MESSAGE: FINDING REFRESHMENT IN THE BIBLE

Jan. 21, 2024

Text: Proverbs 4:1-7, 23

Pew Bible page: 527

CHECK IN

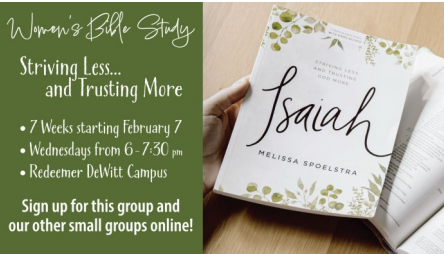
You are important to us. Guests and members, let us know you are here or leave a prayer request by filling out the connection card in the pew and dropping it in one of the boxes in the back of the worship center. You may also check in online through our app or by scanning this QR code or by visiting: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



WELCOME TO REDEEMER CHURCH

check in! ➡

Whether you're at one of our campuses, online, new, or here all the time, be sure to sign-in on a pew card or on the Redeemer app! You can also share prayer request, ask questions, and more.



WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY OF ISAIAH

- Title of the Study: "Striving Less...and Trusting More"
- Date: Wednesday evenings for 7 weeks starting on 2/7/24
- Location: Redeemer DeWitt Campus
- Time: 6:00-7:30pm
- Led by: Beth Huntley and Sue Ruegsegger
- Sign up [HERE](#)



SNOW MUCH FUN - DEWITT CAMPUS

- **THIS** Friday, January 26 | 6-7:30pm
- Children (preschool - grade 5) & families
- Family-fun night with indoor activities, craft stations, and snow themed treats
- Bring your friends for this winter blast!
- Parent/adult must stay with child(ren)
- Volunteers & bakers register [HERE](#)

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO CHOSE A BIBLE PLAN FOR 2024

It's a brand-new year, and with it brings a refreshed and deep desire to live into the best version of ourselves. Many have new year's resolutions, goals, or habits we hope to achieve. As followers of Jesus, reading the Bible might be at the top of that list. Reading the Bible is one thing, but understanding it is another. When you can do both, it is truly life-changing. God speaks through His Word, so let's take on the 'Bible Challenge 2024' together.

See our resources on our [WEBSITE](#)

MISSION TRIP PARENT MEETING THIS WEEK

- Student/Parent welcome
- Thursday, January 25 | 6:30pm
- Kids Ministry Wing - door #3
- Trip Dates: June 15-21, 2024

CONFIRMATION CLASS

8th - 12th
Grade Students

Classes: **Feb. 11 - Mar. 10**
10:45 am - 12:00 pm

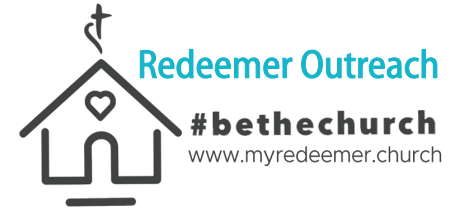
Confirmation **March 17**
Sunday: **11 am** service

CONFIRMATION CLASS REGISTER

- For: Students 8th-12th grades
- Learn more about the Christian faith and membership at Redeemer Church
- Five Sundays, February 11—March 10
- Confirmation Sunday: March 17 during the 11:00 service
- Register [HERE](#) by February 5
- Questions? Contact [BEV OLSEN](#)

PIZZA WITH THE PASTOR

- For those newer to the church
- Sunday, Feb. 11 - 12:15-1:30pm
- No cost to attend
- Registration required: register [HERE](#)



#BETHECHURCH EVENT

All ages are invited to join us at 6:30pm this Wed, January 24 at the DeWitt Campus as we work on a variety of #BeTheChurch projects!

- Assembling coin towel bags
- Filling food bags for the homeless street team
- Tying Fleece & Thank You Blankets
- And more!
- No need to sign up for this event.

GREATER LANSING FOOD BANK

We are looking for volunteers to join us at 9am in Bath at the Greater Lansing Food Bank on February 1, February 22, and March 15. We will be sorting donations and assembling Weekend Survival Kits. Signup [ONLINE](#) to join us for any of the dates that work into your schedule.



Designed for individuals to provide help and encouragement after the death of a spouse, child, family member, or friend.

- Held at Northpointe Church-DeWitt
- 11 week video course | 6:30-8:30pm
- Begins Tuesday, February 6
- \$20 Fee for the workbook
- Signup: [HERE](#)



- July 14-20
- Duncan Lake Middle School (9758 Kraft Ave., Caledonia, MI 49316)
- \$400 (\$100 deposit due at registration)
- For students entering 7th grade (fall of 2024) through 2024 Grads
- Register [ONLINE](#)



**New Year
Bible Challenge 2024**

MESSAGE: FINDING REFRESHMENT IN THE BIBLE JAN. 21, 2024
Text: Proverbs 4:1-7, 23 Pew Bible page: 527

The graphic features a laptop, a Bible, and a book titled 'HOW TO STUDY THE BIBLE' on a desk. The background is a soft-focus image of a desk with a laptop, a Bible, and a book titled 'HOW TO STUDY THE BIBLE'.

BIG IDEA: GOD'S WORD IS THE SOURCE OF WISDOM FOR LIFE

GETTING STARTED

Describe a favorite coach or mentor for you growing up. What impact did this person have on your life?

REFLECTION/DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. What role did Biblical wisdom play in Solomon's early life? (v.4-7)
2. How can God's Word keep you prepared and help you to make wise decisions?
3. What Biblical character has been a "divine mentor" for you lately? How have you learned from his/her example?
4. Share time when you made a wise or unwise choice. What did you learn or gain from it?
5. "Guard your heart above all else, for it determines the course of your life"(v.23). Where have you seen evidence of this truth in your life?
6. How is reading Scripture impacting your life currently? If someone asked you why it is important in your life, how would you answer?
7. What are the prayer requests on your mind and heart today?

PRAYER: Lord Jesus, thank you for Your Word that continually guides us and teaches us. May we be faithful to listen to your voice and apply it to our lives. We are so grateful for Scripture that grounds us and keeps us on a solid path. We ask for your wisdom to grow in us each day. In the name of Christ, we pray, Amen.

GOING DEEPER: Read Proverbs 4:1-27. In this proverb, are there more "Do's or "Don'ts"? Why might that be? How does Solomon describe the value of wisdom? Is the way to wisdom well-traveled, or less traveled? In what area of your life do you need the counsel of vs.25-27? What other verses stand out to you here? How can they apply to your life?

"My father taught me, 'Take my words to heart. Follow my commands, and you will live. Get wisdom; develop good judgment. Don't forget my words or turn away from them. Don't turn your back on wisdom, for she will protect you. Love her, and she will guard you. Getting wisdom is the wisest thing you can do! And whatever else you do, develop good judgment... Guard your heart above all else, for it determines the course of your life."

Proverbs 4:4-7,23 (NLT)

MY NOTES: