

June 10, 2017 – 10:00a.

The minor prophet **Joel** guides our worship this morning.

Joel ministered in Judah, 835-796 BC.

Joel's recorded prophecies were short, but direct. He described God's coming judgment as an "invasion of locusts." He is best known for predicting the "pouring out" of the Holy Spirit which would occur hundreds of years later at Pentecost, as described in Acts 2.

GATHERING and PRAISE

Prelude - Please quiet your hearts and allow the music to prepare you for worship.

* *Mutual Greeting*

* *Call to Worship - Joel 2:1*

* **"Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"**

Holy, holy, holy! Lord God Almighty!

Early in the morning our song shall rise to thee;

holy, holy, holy! merciful and mighty,

God in three persons, blessed Trinity!

Holy, holy, holy! All the saints adore thee,
casting down their golden crowns around the glassy sea;
cherubim and seraphim falling down before thee,
who wert and art and evermore shalt be.

Holy, holy, holy! Though the darkness hide thee,
though the eye made blind by sin thy glory may not see,
only thou art holy; there is none beside thee,
perfect in power, in love, and purity.

CONFESSION and RENEWAL

* *Call to Confession - Joel 2:12-13*

* *Prayer of Confession*

* **"Song of the Prophets"** - See pg.6 - vs. 1,7,18

"There's No God as Great" x2

There's no god as great as you, O Lord,

O Lord, my God.

There's no god as great as you, O Lord,

O Lord, my God.

There's no god who works the mighty wonders,
all the wonders that you do.

There's no god who works the mighty wonders,
all the wonders that you do.

Not by our weapons, nor by our power,

but by your Spirit we are led.

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The Holy Spirit will move the church,

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for by your Spirit we are led.

Ministry of Music - Rachel Ridder

THANKFULNESS*Congregational Prayer**Morning Offering to benefit **General Fund & Helping Hands*****“Creator Spirit, by Whose Aid”**

Creator Spirit, by whose aid
 the world’s foundations first were laid,
 come, visit every pious mind;
 come, pour thy joys on humankind;
 from sin and sorrow set us free
 and make thy temples worthy thee.

O source of uncreated light,
 the Father’s promised Paraclete,
 thrice holy fount, thrice holy fire,
 our hearts with heavenly love inspire;
 come, and thy sacred unction bring
 to sanctify us while we sing.

Plenteous of grace, descend from high,
 rich in thy sevenfold energy;
 make us eternal truths receive
 and practice all that we believe;
 give us thyself that we may see
 the Father and the Son by thee.

*Ministry of Music - **Rachel Ridder***GOD’S WORD** Scripture: **1 Peter 1:18-21***

¹⁸ For you know that it was not with perishable things such as silver or gold that you were redeemed from the empty way of life handed down to you from your ancestors, ¹⁹ but with the precious blood of Christ, a lamb without blemish or defect. ²⁰ He was chosen before the creation of the world, but was revealed in these last times for your sake. ²¹ Through him you believe in God, who raised him from the dead and glorified him, and so your faith and hope are in God.

*Message: **A Redemption Primer***RESPONSE TO GODS WORD*Prayer of Application*

* *Song of Response***"There is Power in the Blood"**

Would you be free from your burden of sin?
 There's power in the blood, power in the blood;
 Would you o'er evil a victory win?
 There's wonderful power in the blood.

Refrain: There is power, power, wonderworking power
 In the blood of the Lamb.

There is power, power, wonderworking power
 In the precious blood of the Lamb.

Would you be free from your passion and pride?
 There's power in the blood, power in the blood;
 Come for a cleansing to Calvary's tide.
 There's wonderful power in the blood. **Refrain**

Would you be whiter, much whiter than snow?
 There's power in the blood, power in the blood;
 Sin stains are lost in its life giving flow.
 There's wonderful power in the blood. **Refrain**

Would you do service for Jesus, your King?
 There's power in the blood, power in the blood;
 Would you live daily His praises to sing?
 There's wonderful power in the blood. **Refrain**

SENDING* *Blessing** *Doxology***"Spirit of the Living God"**

Spirit of the living God,
 fall afresh on me;
 Spirit of the living God,
 fall afresh on me.
 Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.
 Spirit of the living God,
 fall afresh on me.

Spirit of the living God,
 move among us all;
 make us one in heart and mind,
 make us one in love;
 humble, caring, selfless, sharing.
 Spirit of the living God,
 fill our lives with love.

Postlude

* If you are able, please stand

Guest Information

Welcome! You're among friends at Pine Grove Community Church. Wherever you've come from, and wherever you are, you are welcome to Pine Grove!

Please stay for a cup of coffee or lemonade following worship.

Guests are requested to fill out the gold welcome paper found in your bulletin. Welcome bags and an information packet are available at the Welcome Tent. If you are a regular attendee of Pine Grove we would like to provide you with a mailbox. Please submit your request to the church office.

God bless you and your family.

A T-Coil in your hearing aid enables you to use the hearing loop in the tent. A headset is also available at the sound table to help with hearing the service.

Restrooms are located inside the main entrance of the Family Life Center

SEVERE WEATHER POLICY – In the event of a tornado watch or warning or a severe thunderstorm warning for Newaygo or Montcalm County, no service will be held. In the event of a severe thunderstorm watch, the service will be held, and weather conditions will be closely monitored.

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Parents

- **Nursery is available** in the basement during the service for infants to age two.
- **All children age 3-3rd grade** are invited to join Pine Groovy Kid's which takes place during the church service. Please honor the age limit. **Parents: please sign-in your children outside the church basement prior to the service, and pick them up at the same location after the service. All children must be picked up by an adult.** Parents, please be patient as we safely dismiss your children.
- **If your children** wish to remain with us for worship, relax! God put the wiggle in children; don't feel you have to suppress it. They are welcome here.
- **If you need to leave** the service with your child, feel free to do so, but please come back. Jesus said: "Let the children come to me."
- **Worship note sheets** are available to help you child engage with the service or just to draw and doodle on.

For Your Information

Offering Totals for June 3: Pine Grove Ministries, \$5,441.25; Debt Retirement, \$500.00; Benevolence, \$80.00; Summer Worship, \$1,460.00; Tent Repair/Replacement, \$50.00; Sports Camp, \$650.00; Ministry Shares, \$100.00. If you would like to participate in electronic giving, please contact Mary Bailey at ronaldlbailey@msn.com. Thank you for your generosity.

Next Sunday's Offerings will benefit: General Fund & Debt Retirement

Attendance for June 3: 266

Prayer Time

"We can accomplish far more by our prayers than by our work. Prayer can do anything God can do! When we pray, God works!"; from Love To Pray by Al Vander Griend. Come experience the power we have in prayer and the hope we share in prayer time in the Prayer Room in the Family Life Center every Sunday morning at 9:00. (Summer worshippers are invited also.) Come when you can, and leave when you need to. If you have a prayer request, please call Cheryl Hubers, 231-937-4895, or Joyce Pierce, 231-652-2643. Everyone is welcome!

Our General Fund continues to have a temporary deficit due to annual bills that came earlier in the year than normal. The deficit has decreased in past weeks, however, please continue to be diligent in your giving and pray for your church as we work to share Christ's love with our community and grow lives in Christ.

Council will continue to monitor the situation and will keep you updated.

Year to date as of 5/31/18 - revised

Actual Collections	\$103,305.68
Actual Expenses	(120,123.37)
Actual difference	(16,817.69)

Balance of debt at 5/31/18 is \$119,224.00 (not part of the General Fund)

Upcoming Events

Debt Retirement Fund, June 17
 Radiate Youth Conference, June 23
 FOCUS Game Night, June 24
 Council Meeting, June 26
 Senior Lunch June 27

Serving This Week: June 10

Ministry of the Word: Ben Ridder

Scripture: 1 Peter 1:18-21

Worship Leader: Herm & Esther Scholtens
 & Jan Plakmeyer

Nursery: Sue Maioho, Dan Wolters,
 & EmmaLei Drent

Pine Groovy Kids:

Sensory: Julie Hackbardt & Naomi Scripps

3-4 years: Deb Dalton & Angelina Drent

K-1 grade: Kristy Wolters & Hannah Scripps

2nd-3rd grade: Jeremy Scripps & Courtney Homan

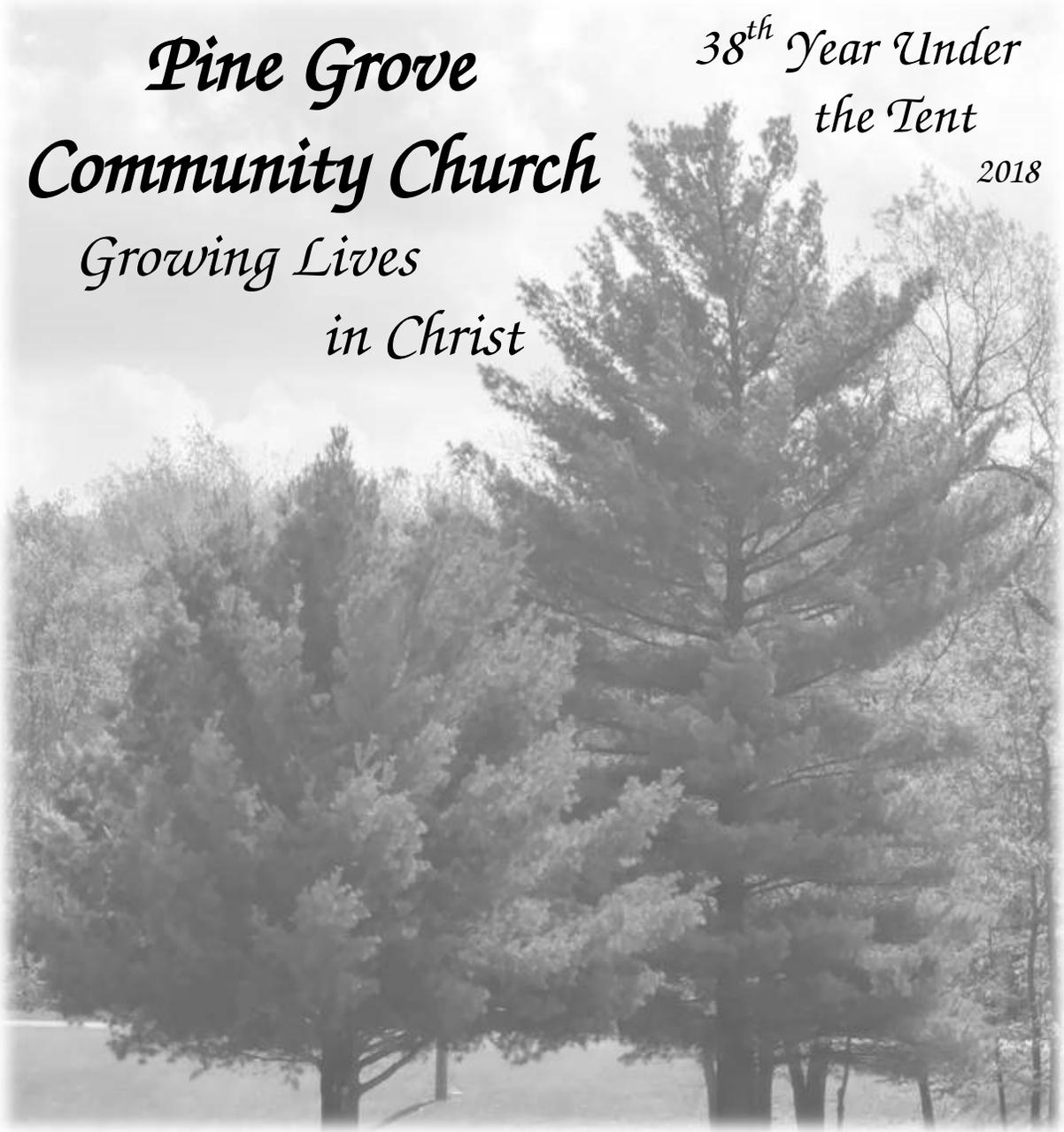
Coffee Servers: Rich & Jan Stevens

Susan Cone & Beth Syperda

*Pine Grove
Community Church
Growing Lives
in Christ*

*38th Year Under
the Tent*

2018



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SUMMER WORSHIP SERVICES

10:00a. - May 27 – September 3, 2018

2018 SUMMER SCHEDULE OF PASTORS, MUSICIANS & OFFERINGS

Children's Worship Service is provided each Sunday Morning for ages 2-3rd Grade
Nursery also provided in church basement

May 27

Rev. Dan Wolters (Pine Grove)
Music: Tina Droski
Offering: General Fund

June 3

Rev. Chris Pleters (Former GVSU Pastor)
Music: Heather Cregg
Offering: Summer Worship

June 10

Rev. Ben Ridder (Harvest Community)
Music: Rachel Ridder
Offering: General Fund / Helping Hands

June 17

Rev. Dan Wolters (Pine Grove)
Music: Brad & Cyndi Butler
Offering: General Fund / Debt Retirement

June 24

Rev. Steve VanderMolen (Retired, Western Seminary)
Music: Susie Antkoviak
Offering: Summer Worship

July 1

Rev. Don Van Slyke (Baldwin St. CRC)
Music: Greater Joy
Offering: General Fund / Tent Repair & Replacement Fund

July 8

Rev. Gerald Zandstra (Wayland CRC)
Music: Melody Kraut
Offering: General Fund

July 15

Rev. Scott Greenway (Caledonia CRC)
Music: Tammy Kling
Offering: General Fund / Debt Retirement

July 22

Rev. Jul Medenblik (Calvin Seminary)
Music: Guy White / Rich Wilson
Offering: General Fund / Love INC

July 29

Rev. Dan Wolters (Pine Grove)
Music: John Shear
Offering: General Fund

August 5 – Mission Sunday

Rev. Dave Brower (Grant CRC)
Music: Mikayla Berghorst
Offering: General Fund / Cary, Mississippi

August 12

Rev. Wayne DeVrou (Grace Bible Fellowship, WI)
Music: Pine Grove Quartet
Offering: General Fund / Tent Repair & Replacement Fund

August 19

Rev. Dan Wolters (Pine Grove)
Music: Pine Grove Choir
Offering: General Fund / Debt Retirement

August 26

Rev. Jeff Welma (Calvin Seminary)
Music: Connie Meekhof
Offering: General Fund

September 2

Rev. Steve Etzinga (Pathway CRC)
Music: Pathway Church Praise Band
Offering: General Fund

Church Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:30a. – 2:30p.

* The Church office will be closed from 9-10a. Mondays for staff meeting. *

Pastor Dan's Office Hours: Tues., Wed., and Fri. 8:30a. - Noon

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Pastor Jeremy Scripps: 231-301-2823 -or- jscripps83@gmail.com