

June 17, 2017 – 10:00a.

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

Amos ministered in Israel, 792-740 BC.

Amos was a simple shepherd called to deliver a message no one wanted to hear: God's people had grown complacent, spiritually lazy and hypocritical. Injustice, in the form of slavery, greed and mistreatment of the poor, was commonplace.

GATHERING and PRAISE

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

* *Mutual Greeting*

* *Call to Worship - Amos 5:4*

* **“Sing to the King”**

Sing to the King who is coming to reign.
Glory to Jesus, the Lamb that was slain.
Life and salvation his empire shall bring,
and joy to the nations when Jesus is King.

Refrain: Come, let us sing a song
a song declaring that we belong to Jesus;
he is all we need. Lift up a heart of praise.
Sing now with voices raised to Jesus; sing to the King.

For his returning we watch and we pray;
we will be ready the dawn of that day.
We'll join in singing with all the redeemed,
'cause Satan is vanquished and Jesus is King. **Refrain**

CONFESSION and RENEWAL

* *Call to Confession - Amos 5:21-24*

* *Words of Assurance - Amos 9:11-12*

* **“Song of the Prophets”** - See pg.6 - vs. 1,8,18

“God Himself Is with Us”

God himself is with us; let us now adore him,
and with awe appear before him.
God is in his temple; all within keep silence,
prostrate lie with deepest reverence.
Him alone do we own as our God and Savior;
praise his name forever.

God himself is with us; hear the harps resounding!
See the crowds the throne surrounding!
“Holy, holy, holy,” hear the hymn ascending,
angels, saints, their voices blending!
Bow your ear to us here; hear, O Christ, the praises
that your church now raises.

Fount of every blessing, purify my spirit,
trusting only in your merit.
Like the holy angels who behold your glory,
may I ceaselessly adore you,
and in all, great and small, seek to do most nearly
what you love so dearly.

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THANKFULNESS*Congregational Prayer**Morning Offering to benefit General Fund & Debt Retirement Fund***“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”**

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation!
 O my soul, praise him, for he is your health and salvation!
 Come, all who hear; brothers and sisters, draw near,
 join me in glad adoration!

Praise to the Lord, who o'er all things is wondrously reigning,
 sheltering you under his wings, oh, so gently sustaining.
 Have you not seen all that is needful has been
 sent by his gracious ordaining?

Praise to the Lord, who will prosper your work and defend you;
 surely his goodness and mercy shall daily attend you.
 Ponder anew what the Almighty can do
 as with his love he befriends you.

Praise to the Lord! Oh, let all that is in me adore him!
 All that has life and breath, come now with praises before him!
 Let the amen sound from his people again.
 Gladly forever adore him!

*Ministry of Music - Brad & Cyndi Butler*GOD'S WORD

* *Scripture:* **Amos 2:6-8; 4:4-5; 5:21-23; 6:4-6; 9:11; 14-15** - See Insert
Message: **God Hates Our Worship?**

RESPONSE TO GODS WORD*Prayer of Application*

* Song of Response

“I Know Not Why God's Wondrous Grace”

I know not why God's wondrous grace
 to me he has made known,
 nor why, unworthy, Christ in love
 redeemed me for his own.

Refrain: But “I know whom I have believed,
 and am persuaded that he is able
 to keep that which I've committed
 unto him against that day.”

I know not how this saving faith
 to me he did impart,
 nor how believing in his Word
 wrought peace within my heart. **Refrain**

I know not how the Spirit moves,
 convincing us of sin,
 revealing Jesus through the Word,
 creating faith in him. **Refrain**

SENDING

* *Blessing*

* *Doxology*

“We Receive Your Blessing”

We receive your blessing; we receive your grace,
as we walk in the light shining from your face.
May the peace that you give change the way that we live.
We receive your blessing as we leave this place.
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
Praise him, all creatures here below.
Praise him above, you heavenly hosts.
Praise Father, Son, and praise the Holy Ghost.
We receive your blessing as we leave this place.

Postlude

* If you are able, please stand

Upcoming Events

FOCUS Game Night, June 24
Council Meeting, June 26
Senior Lunch, June 27
Men's Bible Study, June 30
Student Ministries to SERVE, July 1-6
Food Truck, July 7
Outreach Team Meeting, July 7
Book Club, July 13

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 10: Pine Grove Ministries, \$6,077.15; Debt Retirement, \$385.00; Benevolence, \$5.00; Pine Groovy Kids, \$40.00; Student Ministries, \$694.00; Helping Hands, \$625.00. 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: Summer Worship

Attendance for June 10: 276

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)

Serving This Week: June 17

Ministry of the Word: Dan Wolters

Scripture: Amos 2:6-8; 4:4-5; 5:21-23; 6:4-6; 9:11, 14-15

Worship Leader: Kelly Guiles, Pastor Jeremy, & Katie Carr

Nursery: Rachel Denney, Arlene Nesselroad,
& Evelin Drent

Pine Groovy Kids:

Sensory: Mary Wallinga & Jordyn Gerwig

3-4 years: Jen Vanderploeg & Camden Craft

K-1 grade: Melissa Craft

2nd-3rd grade: Linda Bonnier & Lily Craft

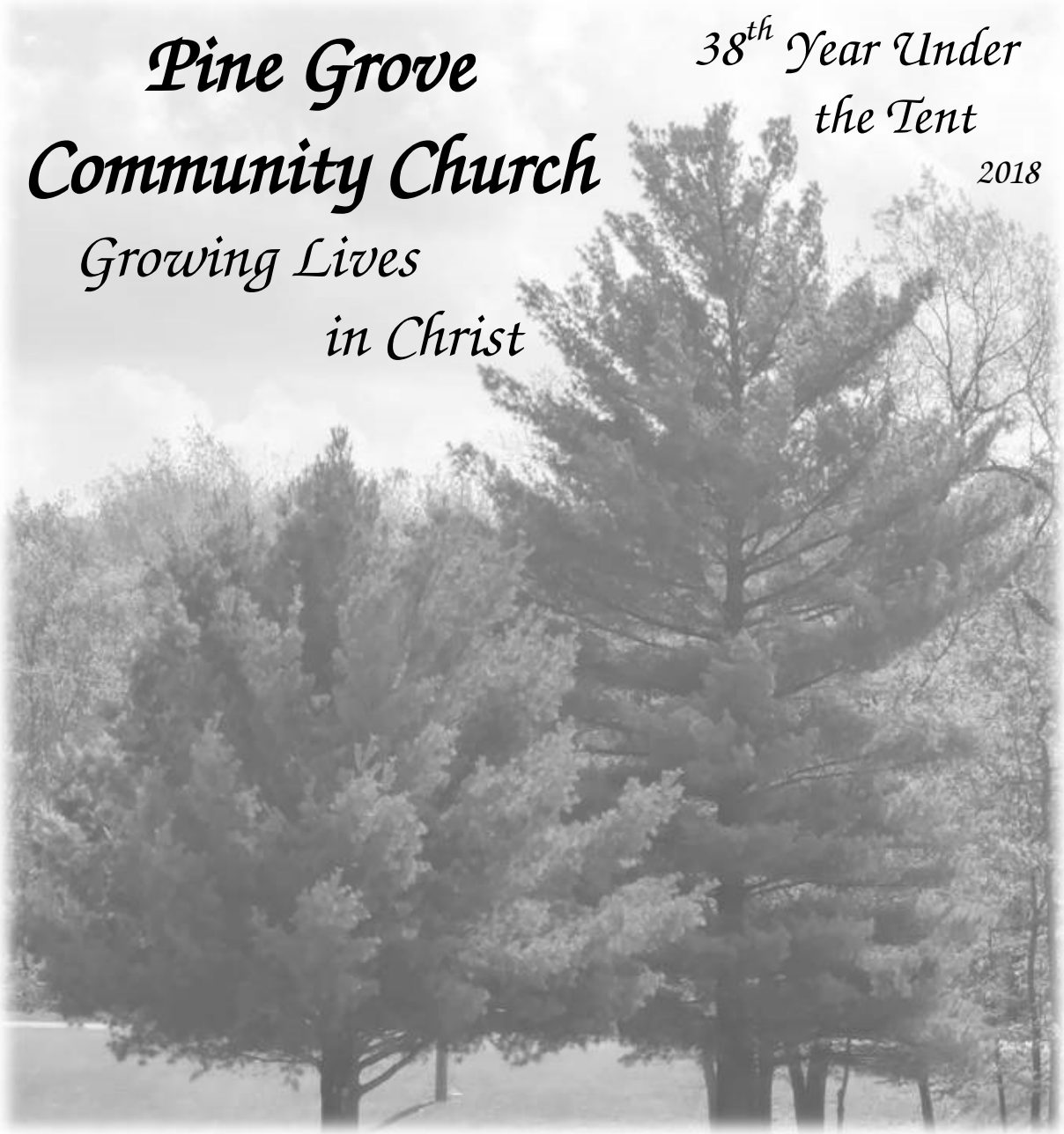
Coffee Servers: Bob & Dori Winkel

Paul & Martha Church

*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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