

New This Week - October 1

CHURCH FAMILY

Last Sunday I shared my thanks as I ended my musical journey. The cake reception afterwards was overwhelming. The hugs, love, thanks, flowers, cards, and gift card are something I will never forget. No words can express my true appreciation for it all. Thanks be to God! Most Sincerely, Vicki Postma

STUDENT MINISTRIES

Student Ministries - Our schedule for 2017/2018 is ready!! As well as other notices for parents. Please see Pastor Jeremy in the FLC after today's service. Don't Forget!!! There have been some changes made!

ATTENTION! Pastor Jeremy wants your schedules! If you are in any sport (school related or not) or play an instrument in band, get Jeremy your schedule so he can check it out.

MINISTRY INFORMATION

Will you help us feed em'? We have been blessed by Pine Grove's help providing lunches for Student Ministries. Would you consider helping again this year? A sign-up sheet is on Pastor Jeremy's office door. Questions? Contact Pastor Jeremy at 616-422-4371 or jscripps83@gmail.com. Thank you for your support. **Please Note:** Beginning October 8, meetings will begin at 5:30p.

Ladies Luncheon & Shopping Adventure: A personal invitation to all Wid-ow's & Single gals for a get-acquainted luncheon & shopping time in beautiful Newaygo. We will meet Thursday at the River Stop Cafe at 11:30a. with shopping to follow. If you need transportation, pickup can be arranged from church parking lot. Any questions, call Ruth Decker at 231-652-7058. Please join me for good food and great fellowship.

HOMEMADE APPLE PIE TIME!! Be sure to get your apple pie orders in. Pies will be made on October 6th. Sign-up sheet is at the Welcome Center.

Please Note: ALL pies should be picked up by 2:00p. as there is limited freezer space. Please contact Donna Elenbaas with any questions at: 616-433-6645.

Next Sunday, David's House will be celebrating their 30th Anniversary with an Open House from 2-4p. All are welcome! For more information on David's House, please visit davidshouseministries.org.

SMALL GROUPS: Are you thinking of starting a small group or joining one? Sign-up and/or get questions answered by Judy Vandeguchte or Jeanne Storms after the service. There are small groups looking for new members.

October 31 marks the 500th anniversary of the Protestant Reformation. Each Sunday in October, we will explore the central truths of the Reformation and how they are foundational to our lives today. The Protestant Reformation created a radical upheaval in the Church as God's people rediscovered God's Word, the early Church and how to be reconciled with God.

To become more familiar with the history and beliefs of the Reformation, we have DVD copies of "Luther", a full length Hollywood feature film portraying the life of Martin Luther and also DVD copies of "Calvinist", a new film exploring Reformed teaching in a relevant and engaging way. We urge small groups, families and individuals to consider watching one or both films during October. May God use them to stretch and lead us to more deeply love Him with all our heart, soul, mind and strength. Email Pastor Dan to reserve your copy at pastordanno@gmail.com

INVITATION TO THE LORD'S SUPPER

"Do this in remembrance of me," says Jesus as he invites us to his holy supper today. It is not only a privilege, but also a personal responsibility, to respond to this gracious invitation. The apostle Paul alerts all of us to this responsibility in I Corinthians 11:27, "Therefore, whoever eats the bread or drinks the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of sinning against the body and blood of the Lord."

In the light of this scripture teaching, we invite you, member and guest alike, to join in the communion celebration on the basis of the following personal affirmations:

- I am genuinely sorry for my sins;
- I renew my confession of Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord who forgives all my sins through faith in his sacrifice on the cross;
- I declare a sincere desire to pattern my life after the model of Christ; I testify that I have made a public profession of my personal commitment to Jesus Christ within a Christian church.

We are thankful for the privilege of joining together at the Lord's Table as the Holy Spirit directs our celebration. To God be praise and glory.

Serving Next Week: October 8

Ministry of the Word: Dan Wolters

Sermon Series: Five Solas of the Reformation

Worship Leader: Bob Winkel

Nursery: Ellen Rottschafer, Amy Platt,
& Evelin Drent

Pine Groovy Kids: Michelle Nagel, Courtney Homan,
& Christopher Wolters

Coffee Servers: Rich & Jan Stevens

Church Calendar: October 1-8

Today: Prayer Meeting, 9:00a.

Worship Service, 10:00a.

Student Ministries, 11:45a.

Tuesday: MOMS Group, 9:30a.

Financial Peace University, 7:00p.

Wednesday: Women's Bible Study, 10:00a.

GEMS/Cadets, 6:30p.

Choir/Worship Practice, 6:30p.

Friday: Pie Pick- Up, by 2:00p.

GEMS Overnighter, 6:00p.

Saturday: Food Truck, 10:00a.

Sunday: Prayer Meeting, 9:00a.

Worship Service, 10:00a.

Cornerstone, 5:30p.