



First Baptist Church

Pentwater, Michigan

August 23, 2026



If you are visiting with us we are glad you're here! Please fill out a **Welcome Card** (found in the chair pocket) and place it in an offering box. Offering boxes are located in the lobby. Thank you!!



Today we get to hear from **Greg Kelley, Director of Unknown Nations**, our Summer Project ministry partner. Unknown Nations exists to take the gospel to some of the world's most unreached people through local partnerships, humanitarian aid, and innovative tools like audio Bibles and solar-powered technology. We're excited to hear how God is using this ministry to bring the hope of Jesus to the ends of the earth.



The communion elements are available as you enter the Sanctuary. Please hold them and we will partake together later in the service. (Gluten free is also available)

** A separate benevolent offering will be received today. **

Coffee hosts this week: Quintus and Donna Renshaw

Coffee hosts next week: Mark and Connie Peterson

Greeters this week: Fred and Donna DeGraaf

Bill and Ellen Gigowski

Greeters next week: Tony and Lynda Fortich

Phyllis Joiner



Nursery this week 9:00:

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Nursery next week 10:30:

Hosts for August are filled!

If interested in Sept, sign up with
Carla Wilson @ 231-425-6659



Sue Slachter, Carol Juhl

Pat Scheneman, Kerry Huizinga, Jada

Wendy Schlukbir, Morgan Beenen

Bev Fessler, Lynda Fortich, Peyton

HAPPENING THIS WEEK:

- Mon/Thursday: Ladies Exercise, 9:30
- Tues: Bible Study Fellowship Book Distribution: 9 — noon
- Wed: Food Pantry: 9 — 10:30am
- Thur: Men's golf: Golden @ 5:30
- Thur: Praise Team Practice: 6:30pm

Songs Used this week

That's Why We Praise Him

(CCLI # 2668576)

Sing to the King

(CCLI # 4010902)

Only a Holy God

(CCLI # 7073332)

In Christ Alone

(CCLI # 3350395)

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross

(CCLI # 27893)

Ready, Set, GROW

YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRY KICK-OFF

TODAY
@ 4pm!

5712 W Long Bridge Rd,
Pentwater, MI 49449

Join us as we kick off an exciting new year of Youth & Family Ministry at FBC Pentwater!

Whether you're already a part of our church family, you're looking for a church home or simply want to learn more about what we offer, this is the perfect opportunity to come and see what we're all about.

Come learn about this year's curriculum, see our calendar of events and discover what your children can look forward to this coming year.

Our children's and youth ministries are available for children of all ages - from nursery through high school.

DINNER & WATER ACTIVITIES WILL BE PROVIDED.

PARENTAL SUPERVISION IS REQUIRED FOR ALL CHILDREN.

Pastor Matt will be out of the office August 24—September 3rd. If a need arises you may contact any of the Elders.

Prayer Volunteers Needed

Would you be willing to pray with someone after the Sunday service? We are looking for volunteers who can be available after the service to pray with those who may need encouragement, have a prayer concern, or simply have questions they would like to talk through. If interested, please contact Fred DeGraaf at 616-560-8276.



Summer Project 2026 - Treasure Players - Unknown Nations

Unknown Nations prioritizes nations in the 10/40 window that are referred to as unreached people groups. Audio Bibles (solar powered Treasure Players) are sent into these countries to reach them in their own language.

Project Goal: \$30,000

Received to date: \$12,179.04

This project runs through September 6th!



The **First Baptist Church family directory** is available online and through an App on your mobile devices. It's a great way to put names and faces together, find addresses and also to remember birthdays and anniversaries.

If you are not currently in the FBC directory but would like to be, it's as easy as filling out a short form—available on the side table in the foyer. See or contact Kim Lamb in the church office if you have questions.