

Welcome to Worship - First Baptist Church

Pentwater, Michigan ~ September 25, 2022



Today's service will focus on the sacrifice of Christ on the cross for our sins. We will observe Communion together as part of our worship service.

- Pick up a pre-filled communion cup prior to the service, located at each entry door to the Sanctuary.

Sacrificially Living... In today's message, Pastor Mark will focus our attention to Romans 12:1-2. It is in this passage that Paul writes that, as believers, we are to present ourselves as living sacrifices!

Are there areas in your life God could be asking you to sacrifice?

- **In your relationship with Christ.**
What might he be asking you to give up in order to have deeper intimacy with him?
- **In your marriage and family.**
What selfish tendencies do you need to give up in order to have a stronger, more fulfilling marriage and family life?
- **With your job.**
Are you doing the bare minimum and then complaining that your job is unfulfilling? Try giving your best effort to your job.

Is there something **BIG** that you *know* God has called you to do? Maybe you've known about it for a while, but it feels like too much of a sacrifice.

Let the Lord Himself speak to you through His Word.



***Benevolent Fund**—There are two offering boxes side-by-side in the foyer. Today, one is designated specifically for Benevolent Fund giving. This fund is used to offer love gifts to others who come upon extra financial burdens. The other box is designated for your regular tithes and giving. Thank you for your faithful giving to the Lord and His work at FBC.

Kid's Connection for Children

Age 5 - Grade 2

Children will be dismissed before the message.

HAPPENING THIS WEEK:

- **Monday/Thursday:** Exercise class for ladies, 9:00—10:00am
- **Tuesday:** Women's Bible Study Fellowship class, 9:30am
- **Wednesday:**
 - Food Pantry open, 9:00am
 - Kid's Adventure Club, 2:50-4:00pm, Pentwater School
- **Friday:** Lunch at Lillie's for High School students, 11:15AM



You are invited after the service to enjoy **COFFEE** and **FELLOWSHIP**

Thank you to our hosts today!
Dean & Maureen Gustafson



Sunday School classes meet Sunday's at 9:30 am

- ▶ **Adults** meet in the Fellowship Hall. The study in this class is **Max Lucado's 3:16—The Numbers of Hope**

Sometimes life appears to fall to pieces and can seem irreparable. We've all had our fair share of disappointments, loss, or hardships.

But for every challenge there is a breathtaking promise: *It's going to be okay.*

How can we know? *Because God so loved the world.*

He loves. He gave. We believe. We live.

Our class time will include a video series with Max Lucado

- ▶ **Children's Sunday School** will meet in The Gathering at 9:30am



Kid's Adventure Club begins this Wednesday, September 28!

KAC is an after-school Bible club for students in grades K—5 at Pentwater School, led by Melanie Lillie and others from FBC.

This is a wonderful opportunity to share the Gospel with these children through Bible lessons, memory verses and songs.

Pray for the students attending and those leading the club—that the message would be made clear and hearts open to receiving Truth.

*KAC meets on Wednesday's from 2:50—4:00 PM at Pentwater School



Sunday, October 9th at 6:00pm—An Evening in Malawi.

A presentation from Design Outreach—makers of the Life Pump. Watch for details to come.



The **First Baptist Church directory** is available online and through an App on your mobile devices; a printed copy can also be made for you if needed. 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 Melanie Lillie if you have questions.**

INFORMATION:

- ▶ **Greeters Today:** Phil & Roxann Frame
- ▶ **Greeters Next Sunday:** Dean & Maureen Gustafson

- ▶ **Nursery care is available for children through age 4.**



The nursery is located at the end of the main hallway

- **Serving Today:** Connie Petersen, Sue Slachter
- **Serving Next Sunday:** Pat Scheneman, Roxann Tabor

- ▶ **Kid's Connection Today:** Lynda Fortich **Next Sunday:** Wendy Schlukebir