

# WELCOME TO WORSHIP

**First Baptist Church**

Pentwater, Michigan

September 29, 2024

*Christ Jesus...became to us wisdom from God, righteousness and sanctification and redemption. 1 Corinthians 1:30*



## Ruth...Faithfulness in Uncertain Times

As we have studied the book of Ruth, we have seen God's hand at work behind the scenes.

Our Sovereign Lord has orchestrated every detail.

Today Pastor Mark will return to chapter 2, verse 20 and reexamine the implications of the words-

**"The man is a close relative of ours, one of our redeemers."**

~ Today, as part of our worship, we will celebrate the Lord's Table ~



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 available at the center entrance)



**A Benevolent Fund offering will also be received today.**

This fund is used by the Elder Team to help those who experience extra or unexpected financial needs. One of the collection boxes in the foyer is designated specifically for "Benevolent Fund" giving.

➔ **Kid's Connection** for children  
Ages 5—10 years will be dismissed before the message.



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

**Thank you to today's Hosts:  
Steve & Jane McGinley**

### HAPPENING THIS WEEK:

- **Monday/Thursday: Ladies exercise class, 9:30-10:30am**
- **Tuesday: BSF class, 9:30am**
- **Wednesday:**
  - **Kid's Adventure Club**, Grades K-5, 2:50pm, Pentwater School
  - **Let's Paint** class, 6pm
- **Friday: Lunch at Lillie's** for High School students, 11:15am



## Important Meeting after Church TODAY:

After a short coffee break in the foyer, you are invited to return to the Sanctuary as we discuss the Associate Pastor candidate - Peter Cooper.

➔ **Church members will be voting on whether to extend a call to the Cooper family to join the FBC Pastoral Team.**

## Sunday School classes begin next Sunday, October 6, 9:30 AM



▶ **Adults** meet in the Fellowship Hall and will learn from a study entitled: "**Rooted in Worship**" - Worship is so much more than singing - worship is a lifestyle. This 4-week video series includes powerful testimonies and Bible teaching from Kirk Cousins, Don Cousins, Ben Markham and John Parrott and others.

▶ **Student classes and nursery care also provided.**

**\* You are encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity for Christian Education for the entire family.**

**NOTICE** the new outdoor sign in front of the church which was installed this week on the East side of the parking lot!

There is still work on the base yet to be done, but it's great to have the sign in place; it is also backlit at night.

**Many thanks** to the design team (Jared Griffis, Pam Griffis, Toni Glover, Wendy Schlukebir, Melanie Lillie) for their time in getting the sign designed and ordered. Also thanks to Bruce Koorndyk who worked with the village in getting necessary permits to comply with ordinances and to Charlie Huizinga for his extra work in preparing the grounds for the sign placement.

### INFORMATION:

- ▶ **Greeters Today:** Lew & Jan Bancroft
- ▶ **Greeters Next Sunday:** Fred & Donna DeGraaf
- ▶ **Nursery care is available for children through age 4.** The nursery is located at the north end of the main hallway



➔ **Serving Today:** Sandy Strong, Lynda Fortich

➔ **Serving Next Sunday:** Ginny Bacon, Mya Jones

▶ **Kid's Connection: Today:** Wendy Schlukebir **Next Sunday:** Carol Juhl



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As a church family, we extend our sympathies to Don & Cora Lee Bateson and family on the passing of their daughter, Brenda Blamer, age 63. A service took place on Friday to celebrate Brenda's life.



**The Sanctuary is equipped with a Loop Hearing system.**  
Switch your hearing aid to "T". Audio devices are also available.