

Today is the second Sunday of Lent—a time for us to remember and be thankful for the power of the cross. We are glad that you are here to worship with us and hope that you will stay after worship for a time of fellowship as the family of God. If you have questions or suggestions, please share those with us!

Come, let us worship. . .

## Worship

### Gathering Song:

The Steadfast Love of the Lord

Gathering Time

Psalm of Praise

Song of Faith: Forever!

Lenten Liturgy

Lenten Prayer of Confession

Words of Assurance

Lenten Song of Hope:

The Power of the Cross

Sharing the Peace of Christ

### Today's Message:

Scripture: **John 3: 1-17**

Sermon: **Tests of Eternal Vision**

Sharing Joys & Concerns

Giving Our Tithes & Offerings

Song of Hope:

Be Thou My Vision

Blessing

Blessing Song:

Oh, How He Loves You and Me

## This week at FOGCC

### Today:

(11:25 – 12:00): C.A.R.E (Children & Adult Education) following worship! We have classes for all ages, giving us the chance to learn and grow together.

**12:00pm:** Leadership and CRT joint meeting.

### Monday:

**1:00pm:** Bible Release

**3:30pm:** Transitional Housing Ministry Team meeting

### Tuesday:

**4:00pm:** Education Team meeting

Includes: CIW, C.A.R.E., WWW, WOW and Nursery

### Wednesday:

**9:30am:** WOW meets at FOGCC. Join us for Bible Study and prayer.

**3:30pm:** Wonderful, Wacky Wednesday followed by Family Night

Dinner. Dinner is served from 5:15 – 6:15pm

### Friday

**6:00pm:** Bunko Night at FOGCC!

## Serving in the Family of God - today /next week:

Snacks/Juice Connie Johnson / *Bowens*

Nursery: / Lyn VandenBosch / *Peg Sherwood*

Media: Jim Maatman / *Lori Feravich*

Hosts: Del & Jean Hirdes / *Del & Jean Hirdes*

Children in Worship: Denise & Roesly Child  
/ *Denise & Roesly Child*

## Announcements

**Responsibility List!** There is a new Responsibility List for April-June on the back table. Can you help by signing up for any of the responsibilities? Let's all pitch in to help with the various tasks of the church!

**It's Here!** Friday, March 17 - Family Bunko Party! This crazy dice game is for all ages--no skill needed. Come at 6:00pm for pizza, Bunko, laughs and ice cream! Don't miss this evening of fun and fellowship!

**It is time to gather for LENTEN SOUPS ON!** Join us at noon on Wednesdays during Lent for a bowl or two of homemade soup, followed by a short Lenten devotion. This is open to everyone--feel free to bring your friends and neighbors. A freewill offering will be taken. Here is the schedule): March 15--Family of God Community church (FOGCC); March 22--New Community & St. Marks (at New Community church); March 29--Newaygo Congregational Church of Christ (NCUCC); April 5--Newaygo Methodist Church (NUMC). Hope to see you at Soups On!

**Help needed.** Are you interested in joining the Media Team to help with creating the Powerpoint slides for worship? If you are willing and able to contribute to worship in this way, please see Jim Maatman.

**CONCERT OF PRAYER!** Thursday, March 30<sup>th</sup> at the Neway Center (585 Fremont St., Newaygo). Please join us as the ministry of Love In the Name of Christ, our churches, and community members will unite in prayer to lift up our community, our families, our churches and our nation. If you are unable to attend, prayer requests can be emailed to [info@lovincnewaygo.com](mailto:info@lovincnewaygo.com). There are flyers available on the back table.

**Note:** the Mexico Reunion scheduled for this afternoon has been cancelled.

## Birthdays This Week

Monday – Sue McCreary, Mike Espinoza

**If you have a question, suggestion or concern, please share it with us.**

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