

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME | GREETING

Rev. Terry Allen

WORSHIP

*O Praise the Name
Come Thou Fount
Man of Sorrows*

OFFERING

Jesus We Love You

MESSAGE

Pastor Pat Visger



NURSERY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

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VISITING TODAY?

If today is your first time visiting Bethesda, we would love to meet you! Please stop by a Welcome Desk to receive a small gift.

- PRAYER REQUESTS -

Dolores Braxton is home after being treated for multiple blood clots.

Frank Fabian has an ongoing infection due to his compromised immune system.

Mark Hasse asks for prayer for **Zach**, who is paralyzed and has broken bones after a severe motorcycle accident.

Matthew Klug's mother **Madeline** had knee replacement surgery on 7/14.

Phil Oswald is in need of healing.

Gary Wagnier is expected to need extra recovery time due to a femur fracture following hip replacement surgery.

- CONDOLENCES -

Margaret Parker, Brenda Parker's mother, passed away on 7/5. Condolences: Brenda Parker 8200 Karam Blvd #3, Warren, MI 48093

Larry Anderson	Rev. Lyn Jolley
Tracie Cuppy	John Istvan
Tom Delano	Rosalie Lopiccio
Ruby French	Jerry & Cheryl Marino's son
Eileen Fox	David Richards' father
Sylvia Geerdink	Ursula Ridlon
Ellen Gingrich	John Simon
Isabelle Hunter	Joanne Swan
Sydney Jacobsen	Martha Thomas

STILL IN OUR PRAYERS

Find us online:

yourbcc.org

or watch services online:

watchbcc.com

07/18 TUESDAY	07/19 WEDNESDAY	07/20 THURSDAY	07/23 SUNDAY
10:30am Prayer Meeting 7:00pm Overcomers Outreach	7:00pm GriefShare Adult Catechism Church-Wide Tailgate Party (Setup at 5:30pm) *No Nurseries	*Building Closed No Services	9:00am Nurseries Excursion Hour TheWay Pre-Service Prayer Connection Classes 10:00am Worship Service



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- CONNECTION CLASSES -

Bethesda is a Bible-believing, Bible-teaching church. We strive to provide a wide range of relevant instruction through our Connection Classes:

July 9:00am Sunday Classes:

The Balanced Christian - Dining Room B
How To Study God's Word - Dining Room C
Pressing Toward the Mark - Room 104
American Sign Language - Room 105
The Caring Christian - Room 110
Study To Show Thyself Approved - Room 114
Friendship Bible Class - Library

- MINISTRIES -

Kids | Through the summer, kids who've completed Pre-K-5th grade meet for *Excursion Hour* on **Sunday mornings at 9:00-9:45am** (Check in outside of Room 201) and then attend main service with their parents. (Students who've completed 6th grade join *TheWay* on Sundays.)

Summer Blast is in session at **7:00pm on Wednesday nights!** (Check in outside of Room 213.) Kids who've completed Pre-K-6th grade start the night out with a Bible lesson then head outside or to the gym for some fun and games. (Students who've completed 6th grade have the opportunity to serve as team leaders.) *No Summer Blast this Wednesday.*

Nurseries are available each Sunday and Wednesday for kids birth-4 during classes/services. *No nurseries this Wednesday.*

Students | The goal of *TheWay* is to help students build an authentic relationship with Jesus Christ. On **Sunday mornings at 9:00-9:45am** this summer, students who've completed grades 6th-8th meet in Room 215, and students who've completed 9th-11th meet on the Mezzanine. On **Wednesdays at 7:00pm** this summer, students who've completed grades 7th - 11th start the night meeting in the gym lobby (replaced this week by the tailgate).

To help *TheWay* raise funds for camp, pick up a Shares of Hope envelope from the racks or Welcome Desks and turn in at the

Church Office or an offering plate. To give online, visit our Give page at yourbcc.org. Camp is **July 31-August 4!** Our theme is "Devoted," based on Acts 2:42. Register online: yourbcc.org/dvtd

Young Adults | Through the summer, *Route33* young adults ages 18-30ish will join the **7:00pm Wednesday** worship in the Family Center Auditorium then head to the Mezzanine for a message and discussion (replaced this week by the tailgate).

Route33 is looking forward to the A.W.E. (Adventure. Walk. Explore) canoe trip **August 11-13** in Cadillac, MI. Cost is \$100. Deposit of \$50 due by July 26. For more information and to sign up, contact Veronica Quire at 586-549-3112.

Singles | Singles ages 30 and up are joining the *How to Study God's Word Together* Connection Class for the summer.

Men & Women | Our men's and women's ministries are breaking for the summer months but will resume in the fall.

- CARE -

If you are facing the grief that follows the loss of a loved one, you do not have to face this season of your life alone. *GriefShare* is a 15-week class where you will find support and encouragement with others who understand your pain. A new session begins **Wednesday, August 2 at 7:00pm** in Room 106, and you are welcome to join at any time. *Pick up a Care brochure from the information racks to learn more about our Care ministries. Caring for the Caregiver and DivorceCare are currently taking a summer break.*

- PARKWAY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL -

It's time to enroll for the 2017-2018 school year! If you are considering a Christian education for your child, schedule a tour of our PreK-12th school by contacting Lori Coyer at the school office: 586-446-9900. Visit us online: parkwaychristian.org

- PRAYER MEETINGS -

Parents of Young Adults Prayer Sunday, July 16 at 6:30pm in the Welcome Center. *Use Chapel entrance.*

Tuesday Morning Prayer

Meets **Tuesdays at 10:30am** in the Chapel to pray for our congregation's needs and for our leaders.

Pre-Service Prayer

Meets **Sundays at 9:00am** in the Chapel to pray for all aspects of the Sunday morning service.

Church-Wide Prayer

Meets the last Saturday of each month in the Chapel: **July 29 at 9:00am**

- WEDNESDAYS & THURSDAYS -

Join us on **Wednesdays at 7:00pm** (in the Family Center Auditorium through the summer for Worship & the Word (replaced this week by the tailgate). Join us **Thursdays at 10:00am** in the Chapel for Worship & Communion. *No Thursday service on July 20.*

- DATE YOUR MATE -

An interactive and enriching new class for married couples starts **Sunday, September 17 at 8:45am**. This 12-week class will cover topics such as family backgrounds, personality traits, expectations, communication, and conflict resolution. You will also enjoy date nights with other couples. Class size is limited. Reserve your spot by contacting Pastor Julie Visger.

- MILITARY MINISTRY -

Our military ministry supports our service members through prayer and cards of encouragement. If you have an immediate family member in the military, add to our list at yourbcc.org/military, then contact loriej222@gmail.com to provide a picture and loan us display items.

- BOOK CLUB -

Book Club will meet in the Ministers' Lounge on **Sunday, August 13 at Noon** to discuss *The Ring of Endless Night* by Madeleine L'Engle.

- MEMBERSHIP OPPORTUNITY -

If you've completed Catechism and are interesting in becoming a member of Bethesda, you have an opportunity on **Sunday, August 20**. Request forms are available in the information racks and online. Please turn them in to the Welcome Desks or the Church Office by **Sunday, August 6**. You will be contacted regarding your next step.

- CHURCH-WIDE TAILGATE -

The tailgate party is this **Wednesday, July 19 at 7:00pm**. (Setup at 5:30.) Bring your own meal or cook here! We will provide snow cones from Kona Ice! See Rebecca Malkin in the lobby to register your car. (Cookie contest is full.) *Catechism and GriefShare will run as usual. No nurseries. If weather does not permit, there will be a service in the Auditorium at 7:00, and Kid's Summer Blast and nurseries will run. Cookie contest after service.*

Dedication of Children

If you would like to dedicate your child, we invite you to do so publicly with the support and prayers of the church. Please contact the Church Office for more information.

Baptism

If you have received Jesus Christ and have not been baptized, we encourage you to take this important next step. Please contact the Church Office for more information.

Contact Who To

July 2017

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