



Samson

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Upcoming Events!

Impact 231 is collecting pop cans! Donations can be dropped off at the church or picked up. Contact Holly to schedule pick ups.

Men's Study - All Men are invited to a 4-week study on "Play the Man" exploring how to be better disciples of Jesus and live out God's call on their life. Sunday nights at 8PM, January 9-30. Questions, contact aaron@connectionpointmi.com

TODAY - January 30: Next Steps Class - This is directly after church in classroom 101 off the gym.

Youth Group is having a Chili Cookoff on February 13th. Come on out and have chili for lunch!! This will be in the gym following the service. If you are interested in participating in the cookoff, please contact Pastor Holly.

COVID Testing - The NCRC will start offering free PCR COVID-19 testing on Wednesdays from 12-3pm! Please follow signs to house, not church building! Also, for faster testing, fill out the registration form ahead of time by following this link and bring your personal QR code with you on your phone: <https://beechtree.rymedi.com/...> Call 231-769-2323 with questions/issues!

Things You Should Know!

Connect Cards can be found in the seat-back pocket in front of you! Please fill it out, take it to the Welcome Center in the Foyer and grab a gift! We want guests to feel welcome and we hope to see you again!

Prayer Requests can be submitted via the website under the Ministries tab. These prayer requests go directly to Pastor Aaron and are confidential.

Text to Give is available. Please text GIVE to 231-386-0644 and then follow the instructions given! You can also give online by visiting connectionpointmi.com and click the DONATE tab for a secure transaction. Thanks for supporting our ministries here at Connection Point.

The Bridge the Gap Fund sign is across from the Café. If you are interested in giving above your tithes/offerings there is a giving kiosk at the FOR store. Please email the church office for more information.

New Church Directory App is available now! If you need help accessing it please contact the church office and we can work on getting you set up!

Further Reflection for 1/30

1. Read Judges 15:1-8
2. What are the things that jump out to you from this text?
3. When you think about putting yourself in Samson's shoes, what are things you have felt like you had a "right" to get even?
4. Read Judges 15:11-18
5. Notice that Samson gives no credit to God for his strength or really anything else. What are the areas of your life that you are likely to not give God any credit, but you probably should?
6. Read Judges 16:4-30
7. Samson keeps going back to Delilah when it is obvious, she does not care about him. Why are there behaviors/people/events/places that we keep going to that do not bring good things to our life?
8. In the end, Samson turns to God. What might happen if you turned to God fully now?
9. Pray this prayer: "Father, help me to fully trust my life to you. May I find my affirmation, hope, and life in being a follower of your son and knowing I am your child. In Jesus' name I pray, Amen."

Sermon Notes

Weekly Gatherings:

Sunday Service: 10:30am

Kids Service: Sundays during 10:30am Service

Youth Group: Sundays from 6-8pm