

## Upcoming Events!

**This Week Food Pantry Needs:** Our Food Pantry is in need of canned meat (tuna, chicken, beef) you can drop off your items Monday thru Thursday 9-3 or during any church service.

**Women's Ministry Prayer Bibles Aug. 21st:** will get together at 6:30pm to make prayer Bibles. Bring a Bible you're okay putting sticky notes and highlighting verses in. Refreshments will be provided. Contact Pastor Sarah with any questions.

**NYC Info Meeting August 17th** 11:45am-1pm! NYC is a conference in Summer of 2026 for incoming/current high schoolers in Salt Lake City. We'll talk about cost, details, and more on August 17th. Sign up in the Welcome Center.

**CP Kids and Safety Team Volunteer training Sept 7th** Immediately following the second service in the kids zone. Lunch will be provided

**Eating Around the World Sept. 8th: All ages** We will be eating at Curry Kitchen in Muskegon at 6pm. RSVP is mandatory. Space may be limited. Contact Pastor Sarah to sign up and with any questions.

**Prayer Week Aug 26th-29th:** We will meet in the sanctuary from 6:30-7:30

**Marriage Retreat Sept 12th-14th:** Join us for a refreshing weekend to reconnect and grow in your Marriage! Cost is \$450 per couple and includes lodging, meals, and all sessions. Sign up at the welcome center- Spaces are limited. \$100 Non-Refundable deposit due at sign up.



## Teach Us To Pray: Forgiveness

### Further Reflection on 8/17

1. When was the time it was hardest for you to ask someone for forgiveness? When was the most difficult time to forgive someone else?
2. Read Matthew 6:9-13 (14-15); Luke 11:2-4
3. What jumps out to you from the text?
4. When you think about God's forgiveness to you and your forgiveness to others, how do those two things mesh?
5. Read Matthew 18:21-35
6. What jumps out to you from the text?
7. Do you ever find yourself wanting to be forgiven, but not wanting to forgive others? How can you overcome that?
8. Pray the Lord's Prayer each morning this week as you begin each day. Then spend time thinking asking God to forgive any area of your life that needs forgiveness and asking him to reveal anyone you have not forgiven.

Further Reading: The Lord and His Prayer: NT Wright; The Lord's

## 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.

**The Bridge the Gap Fund** sign is across from the Café. If you are interested in giving above your tithes/offering, you may do so by putting donations in the box at the back of the sanctuary or by giving online. Please email the church office for more information.

**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!

### **Weekly Gatherings:**

**Sunday Service:** 9AM & 10:30AM  
**Kids Service:** Sundays Both AM Services  
**Youth Group:** Sundays from 6-7:30PM



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