# FOR GOD SO LOVES

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### **Upcoming Events!**

<u>April 16: MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)</u> - We will meet on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month from 9:30-11:00am at the church.

<u>April 16: ALPHA</u> is meeting on Tuesdays at 6:30PM. It is a conversation built around wrestling with the deep questions of life. Feel free to invite others to join us!

April 17: Craig's Cruisers - Connection Point Students are going to Craig's Cruiser's Grand Rapids location! We'll arrive at 5:30pm and stay until 8pm for their unlimited wristband Wednesday promotions, which includes unlimited outdoor activities, trampoline access, and buffet access for \$29. Make sure to sign up in the Welcome Center or by talking to Pastor Matt.

April 19: Kick-off for Cords of 3 Women's Discipleship will be at 6PM in the gym. Flyers and sign up sheet located at Welcome Center. Contact Pastor Sarah with questions!

<u>Week of June 17</u> - Kids Camp! Mark your calendars! Registration cards and Volunteer forms are in the Welcome Center! See Pastor Holly for more information. Scan the QR code to register.

<u>Food Pantry & Kids Clothing Donations</u> are being accepted on Sundays or during office hours.

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## **Things You Should Know!**

<u>Connect Cards</u> 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!

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

<u>The Bridge the Gap Fund</u> sign is across from the Café. If you are interested in giving above your tithes/offerings, 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.

<u>Church Directory App</u> 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 4/14**

- 1. What has been the moment when you felt the most loved? How did it make you feel?
- 2. Read John 3:16-21
- 3. What jumps out to you from the text?
- 4. When you think about God's love what comes to your mind?
- 5. When you read of eternal life, what comes to mind? How do you think about eternal life here and now?
- 6. John is very clear that Jesus didn't come to condemn the world, but to save the world. What does that then mean for our current world?
- 7. Who is condemned and why?
- 8. Has there been a moment when the light of Jesus so shined in your life that you saw an area of darkness that needed to change? How did you respond?
- 9. What are the implications of verse 21?
- 10. How might your life be a testimony to God's love? What is one thing that you can do to live in to the light and not darkness?

Further Reading: Love Does: Bob Goff; Sinners in the Hands of a Loving God: Brian Zahnd

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# **Weekly Gatherings:**

Sunday Service: 9AM & 10:30AM

Kids Service: Sundays during both Services

Youth Group: Sundays from 6-7:30PM