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Upcoming Events!

<u>July 17-August 16:</u> We are partnering with United Way for their *Back To School Drive*. We are collecting school supplies in the Foyer. See the box for specific items needed.

<u>August 2: Summer Co-Ed Life Group</u> has begun Wednesday's starting at 7pm. Contact Amy Kestner to sign-up or if you have questions. (616)329-5048

<u>Kids' Clothing Closet</u> - Open by Appointment ONLY at this time. We would love to take any and all donations of kids' clothing and shoes that are still in good condition. Socks & underwear are to be new, in package. Donations can be brought to the church on Sunday mornings and placed in the donation box in the Family Entrance lobby. Please contact Marla Punches at 231-286-8030 or Krista Panozzo at 231-903-7065 with any additional questions.

<u>August 4: Tribute to Elton John & Billy Joel Concert</u> at Coast Guard Festival. NCRC is looking for people to help setup and take down chairs in the grand stand area from 4-10:30pm. Volunteers will attend the event for free. Contact Sarah at nazer@gmail.com or 231-769-2323.

<u>August 17: NCRC Mini-Golf Scramble</u> at 6:30pm. All ages welcome! \$15/player includes a mallet, ball, & a goody bag! Teams of 3-6 players. Contact Sarah at nazcrc@gmail.com or 231-769-2323 to sign up!

<u>Sept. 9: Double Bubble Fun Run</u> 5k and 1/2 Mile Kids Race at Central Park in Spring Lake to benefit the NCRC! Details at https://runsignup.com/Race/MI/SpringLake/
DoubleBubbleFunRun or ask Sarah Klassen!

<u>Sept 23: Annual Richard "Dick" Fry Golf Memorial</u> at Chase Hammond Golf Course. \$60/person or \$240/team. Proceeds benefit the NCRC! Sign up via Aaron Gregory (after Sabbatical) or Sarah Klassen by Sept. 14th.

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>Text to Give</u> 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.

<u>The Bridge the Gap Fund</u> 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 7/30

- 1. Read James 2:14-26. What do you feel stands out or is highlighted to you?
- 2. If our lives and actions are the fruit of our faith, what fruit is your life producing?
- 3. Living out our faith is meant to look like radical love of both God and neighbor. What are the ways that you love? How can you love more like Christ this week?
- 4. For you, has faith been about beliefs or actions? How can you look to let your beliefs transform your actions moving forward?
- 5. What's a possible next step you could take to live out faith?

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Weekly Gatherings:

SHARK

BLOOD

JAWS

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