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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!

<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.

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.

Upcoming Events!

<u>Sunday School</u> meets in Classroom 101 off the gym & upstairs at 9:15am. Contact the office for more information if you are interested in attending.

<u>Outdoor Service</u> will be held at Pomona Park **NEXT WEEK**, June 13 @ 10:30am! Bring a chair! Enjoy a unique church experience! We want to see you there! If there is inclement weather, we will make an announcement by 9am with details for the relocation.

<u>Backpack Drive</u> - We are partnering with Kids Belong and collecting new backpacks for foster kids through June 30th.

<u>Community Garage Sale!</u> The NCRC is having a Garage Sale on June18th and is collecting those items that you are looking to get rid of! We want to sell them! We are looking for donations!

<u>UNITY Christian Music Festival</u> is back! We are doing prepurchased tickets through the church. This is the LAST day to order through the church! Money is due **TODAY!!**

<u>Ice Cream Social</u> is this Wednesday at The North Pole at 6:30!

<u>Outdoor Work Day</u> is June 12th starting at 8:30am! This includes yard clean-up, cement removal, landscaping, etc. Bring a hat, sunscreen and a smile! We'll supply donuts, coffee & cold water!

<u>Annual Richard "Dick" Fry Memorial Golf Outing</u> will be June 26th at Chase Hammond Golf Course. More info to follow!



Further Reflection for 6/6

- L. Read Genesis 1-3
- 2. From Genesis 1, what jumps out to you? Genesis 2? Genesis 3?
- 3. Genesis 1 is an orderly account that shows a theological framework for creation. Days 1-3 are God separating things, Days 4 -6 are days where God fills what he separates, Day 7 is a day of rest or blessing. How might that help us think about who God is and how he calls his people to live?
- What are the things that people are called to live out BEFORE sin enters the picture? (In other words, what activities are a part of God's intention that we might have previously thought of as punishments.)
- 5. When you think about Genesis 3 and Adam and Eve choosing to go away from God's love and into sin. What are the greatest temptations for you in that regard?
- 6. Taking all three chapters together, what are some things you believe you can learn about God's character?
- 7. Pray this week, "Father, help me to choose love over control. May I recognize the moments that my temptation is to not trust God enough and try and make my own way. May love be the overflow of my life. In Jesus' name I pray, Amen."

Sermon Notes

