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## Upcoming Events!

**Sunday Mornings - Conversation on Revelation** from 9:15-10:15am in the conference room by the church office. All who would like to join pastor to talk about the previous weeks' sermon text are invited to do so.

**September 25: Men's Group** is TONIGHT at 8pm in the classroom off the gym.

**Bible Study with Rich Mitchell** has begun! This class will meet on Thursday mornings from 10:30-11:30am. They are studying the book of Isaiah.

**September 28: Women's Group** will meet weekly on Wednesdays from 6:30-8pm in the classroom off the gym.

**October 5: Blood Drive** will be happening again 10/5 from 2-7pm. Please consider signing up! You get a \$15 e-gift card for your donation by adding ACORN to the notes by 9/27! Scan the QR code to schedule your appointment!



**October 9: Membership Class** - This class is designed to explore what our church holds to be true in terms of theology, doctrine and what it means to be a part of the Church of the Nazarene. Please sign up with Pastor Aaron (aaron@connectionpointmi.com) or in the Welcome Center. Childcare provided upon advanced request.

**October 15: Fall Festival, 5K & Cornhole Tournament** to benefit the NCRC from 9-1pm. Check out the NCRC Facebook page for more information on how to sign up! There are flyers in the Welcome Center you can pick up.

**October 26: Trunk Or Treat** is back!! 6-7pm! We need you, treats, & your trunk! We are accepting candy donations as well as parking spot reservations! Sign up! Wear a smile! Let's help rot kids teeth!

**MOPS (Mothers of Preschoolers)** has launched! We will meet on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday from 9:30-11:00am. To register go to [www.mops.org/join](http://www.mops.org/join) and enter the group code JMTB.

## Further Reflection for 9/25

1. Read Revelation 2:18-28
2. What jumps out to you from the text?
3. John writes in verse 19 how the people of the church in Thyatira are doing more than they did at first. Why might that still not be sufficient? (How might verses 24-25 help us think through this idea?)
4. Jezebel was the wife of King Ahab (1 Kings 16-22) she primarily brought in the worship of other gods as an addition to the God of Israel. What or who is the Jezebel attempting to lead you to corrupt worship?
5. We must learn to answer the question, "How does a Christian learn to live in the world, but not of it?" What are some of the answers you may have for that?
6. How do we make sure to not try and separate our lives into sacred and secular?
7. For this week, pray and embrace the words of the Lord's Prayer, "thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven."

## 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](http://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!

## **Weekly Gatherings:**

**Sunday Service:** 10:30am

**Kids Service:** Sundays during 10:30am Service

**Youth Group:** Sundays from 6-8pm