



Voices in my Head

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Upcoming Events!

June 2-3: NCRC Garage Sale - Volunteers needed for the garage sale! Help set up and price 9-2:30pm on Wed. May 31st or help with the sale Friday and Saturday 8:30-3pm! Contact Sarah at 231-769-2323 or nazcrc@gmail.com if you can help out!

June 6: West Michigan Whitecaps vs Wisconsin Timber Rattlers at 6:30PM. If you would like to meet us at the game, make sure to sign-up in the Welcome Center or talk to Pastor Matt. Tickets will be \$8.50 each.

June 7: Summer Co-Ed Life Group will begin Wednesday's starting at 7pm. Contact Amy Kestner to sign-up or if you have questions. (616)329-5048

June 19-23: Kids Summer Camp is back and we need YOU!!! If you are willing to volunteer at any point during that week, we can find a job for you! Volunteer sign-up is located in the Welcome Center. We are also accepting donations to put toward food and supplies. Please consider donating! See Pastor Holly with questions.

Attention ALL Graduates!! - Attention graduates! If you have graduated high school, college, grad school, trade school, or the school of hard knocks, let Pastor Matt know (via email) what school you graduated from, what your future plans are, and please include a picture and we will share the good news on June 11th during church! Let us know by June 4th.

Kids' Clothing Closet - 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 Panches at 231-286-8030 or Krista Panozzo at 231-903-7065 with any additional questions.

August 9-12: Unity Music Festival returns to Heritage Landing! If you are interested in purchasing tickets, you can order through the church office. **Payment Deadline is MAY 31!** 1-Day Pass: \$40; 3-Day Pass: \$75; Family Pass: \$325 Please contact the office if you are interested or have questions. Checks can be written to *Alive on the Lakeshore*.

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 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!

Further Reflection for 5/28

- Who's voice had the most influence on you as you were growing up? Who's voice has the most influence on you now?
- What are the things that you listen to most often? Do they influence you to be more or less like Jesus?
- Read John 10:1-30
- What jumps out to you from the text?
- How often has someone used a figure of speech and you did not understand it? Why did you not understand it? Why do you think the Pharisees struggled to understand?
- Jesus says his sheep know his voice. How do you come to know his voice more and more?
- Jesus said to the Pharisees "I did tell you, but you did not believe." What keeps us from believing that Jesus is who he says he is?
- You and I can rest in the fact that Jesus tells us that no one and no thing can snatch us from the hand of the Father who loves us. Why should that give you comfort?
- Spend time daily this week with Jesus. Begin each morning and allow for silence and solitude to guide your day. Begin with this simple prayer, "Jesus, help me to hear your voice." Spend 10-20 minutes in silence and every time your mind begins to wander, pray that prayer again.
- Further Reading: Celebration of Discipline: Richard Foster; Hearing God: Dallas Willard

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Weekly Gatherings:

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