# **Upcoming Events!**

<u>May 5: MomCo</u> (formerly known as MOPS) meets the 1st & 3rd Mondays of each month from 9:30-11AM in Classroom 101 off the gym. See Pastor Holly for more details.

<u>May 8-10: Regional Celebrate Life</u> for Connection Point Students will be at Olivet Nazarene University. See Pastor Matt for more details!

May 17 Young Adults Ministry (graduated through age 25) outing to Craig's Cruisers in Muskegon at 2pm. Bring \$30 and enjoy an afternoon of fun, games, and fellowship! Contact Pastor Sarah with questions.

<u>May 18: Lunch With Leaders</u> - If you are new to our church or have never attended this lunch, you are invited! Please RSVP through office@connectionpointmi.com, sign up in the Welcome Center, or see one of the church staff.

<u>May 18: Annual Church Election -</u> This is an important opportunity for our members to help choose the leadership that will guide us in the year ahead.

<u>Aug 6-9: Unity Christian Music Festival</u> Church ticket sales available through May 31st. Sign up sheet is available in the Welcome Center.



## **Further Reflection for 4/27**

- 1. What is the longest you have ever gone without food? Was it intentional or Unintentional?
- 2. What are the practices you embrace personally to replenish your "soul"?
  - 3. Read Matthew 6:16-18
  - 4. What jumps out to you from the text?
- 5. How do you think Jesus' words impact what fasting should look like?
- 6. Have you practiced fasting and if so, what did you do during the meal
  - 7. Read Romans 12:1-2
  - 8. What jumps out to you from the text?
  - 9. What are the things you do to "renew" your mind?
  - 10. What are the ways you work to do study for spiritual growth?

This week practice fasting from 1-3 meals and spend that time in study for spiritual growth.

Further Reading: Celebration of Discipline: Richard Foster; Sacred Rhythms: Ruth Haley Barton

## **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.

The Bridge the Gap Fund 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!



#### Weekly Gatherings:

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



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