

Response Card

Welcome

Welcome to Remembrance Church! Please visit our Guest Services desk to learn more about our ministries and pick up a gift bag.

Young Children

Nursery is provided for infants through children 36 months of age.

Children in Worship is for children ages 3 years through Kindergarten. Children are dismissed during the Offering and meet in the Children's Worship Centers (*Rooms 106 & 108*), on the Main Level.

The Family Room (in the Chapel) is an alternate worship location for families with babies and young children.

General Announcements: Communion

This morning we will celebrate Communion as a church family, remembering Jesus' amazing sacrifice.

The small cup in the center of the tray contains gluten-free bread.

Congregational Meeting

We give thanks to God for raising up leaders to serve His church and for all who participated in the nominations

process and Congregational Meeting held on Sunday, June 19. Per the results of the meeting, the following leaders will begin serving on the Consistory starting July 1: **Elder:** Steve Chanter, Scott Tarrh, & Jerry VanManen. **Deacon:** Greg Gaastra, Mike Stehouwer & Craig VanderHyde. **Management Board:** John Weller & Scott Breen. Also, approved (without amendments) at the meeting was the FY 2016-17 general budget, which will take effect July 1, 2016. Ordination and installation of Elders and Deacons will take place Sunday, July 17.

Staying Up to Date

The Remembrance staff desires to be good stewards of the gifts God provides us. With that in mind, we will be communicating more electronically to reduce the amount of paper we use. In addition to the Midweek News, the Pulse Newsletter was also sent electronically last week. A limited number of print copies are available at the Guest Services Desk. Please be sure the office has your current email address to ensure you stay up to date.

Office Closed Tomorrow

The church office will be closed tomorrow, July 4, in observance of Independence Day.

Adult Ministries

Ladies' Life Group

Meeting dates for the Thursday evening ladies' life group for this month are July 7, 14 and 28. For more information or questions, please call or email Karla at karla@bcimi.com or 616-915-6736.

Children's Ministry

New Worship Notes for Kids

We have a new resource for children in 1st grade and older! You'll find a yellow paper on the table at the back of the Worship Center called *Worship Notes for Kids*. This activity page is provided to help kids engage throughout worship. It also provides an opportunity for you to talk over questions and prayer requests they may have after the service.

Opportunities:

Haiti Mission Trip

The \$100 deposit to secure your place on the trip is due as soon as possible and should be given to Levi Yoder. Please contact Levi at 616-378-0322, if you have any questions. The dates of the trip are October 8 - 16.

Remembrance Food Pantry

The requested pantry donation item for the month of July is *deodorant*. Please place your donations in the shopping cart by the church mailboxes.

Prayer Guide:

Remembrance Ministries

- Todd Schmidt - Pastor of Community Life
- D.J. Olson - Office & Facilities Manager
- Dave Vander Woude - Director of Worship Arts
- Paul Verburg - Audio Visual Team Leader

Remembrance Supported Missionaries & Organizations

- Dave & Char Alexander - RCA missionaries in Taiwan
- Cran-Hill Ranch - Christian Camp in Rodney, MI

Other Items of Prayer

- Those struggling with addiction
- Vice President Joe Biden

Remembrance Care Ministry

Remembrance has a Pastor of the Day on call at all times. During regular office hours (8:30 am - 4:30pm, Monday - Thursday), call the church office to be connected to a pastor. After hours, call the 24-hour emergency phone number: 732-9945. An answering service will take your message and relay it to the appropriate on-call pastor.

Name(s) _____

Street _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone/cell His Hers

Email His Hers

I am a:

- First-Time Visitor Visitor
- Regular Attender Member

The best way to contact me is:

- Home Work Cell Email

Please add me to your mailing list

I would like to know more about:

- Becoming a follower of Jesus Christ
- Other (list below)

I sense that God is leading me to:

I have a prayer request:

Confidential Prayer

Pastor Todd Schmidt
July 3, 2016

July 3, 2016

Flannel Graph Stories: *Fiery Furnace*

July 3, 2016

“Flannel Graph
Series”

- The Setting:

- The Moment of Decision:

- The Outcome:

Pastor Todd
Schmidt

What difference does this make for me?

“Flannel Graph
Series”

Daniel 3:16 - 18
"Shadrach, Meshach and
Abednego replied to the
king, 'O
Nebuchadnezzar, we do
not need to defend
ourselves before you in
this matter. ¹⁷If we are
thrown into the blazing
furnace, the God we
serve is able to save us
from it, and he will
rescue us from your
hand O king....."