# WELCOME TO CEDAR CHURCH

We are glad you're here. As a church family, we're delighted you have joined us for worship today. Below you will find some information to help you during our Sunday Services. If you need any assistance, please ask one of our ushers for help.

#### **WORSHIP SERVICES**

Cedar Church strives to enjoy God through Spirit-empowered and Christ-centered worship. The Bible is sincerely loved, and we hope that you will find it opened up to you in a fresh and faithful manner each Sunday.

#### **NURSERY**

Childcare is available in the nursery, located west of the sanctuary, for children up to three years old. A Mother's Lounge, located directly across the hall, provides a quiet space for feeding, changing, and resting infants. A cry-room, equipped with a live stream, is available directly across from the nursery. Children are always welcome in the service.

#### **COFFEE BREAK**

After morning worship, please join us in the fellowship hall for coffee and refreshments.

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL

Following snack time with parents in the Fellowship Hall, children from ages 2 through 6th grade have a short time of singing in the basement before they meet for Sunday School. Sunday School classes are available for all ages after morning worship.

Guests are especially welcome!

(Please see locations of individual classes within.)

### **HOW TO REACH US**

FOR SPIRITUAL HELP ELDERS@CEDARCHURCH.ORG

FOR PHYSICAL ASSISTANCE
DEACONS@CEDARCHURCH.ORG

FOR THE CHURCH OFFICE 616-669-9951 OR OFFICE@CEDARCHURCH.ORG

FOR ASSORTED NEEDS (SCAN THE QR CODE HERE)





# CEDAR CHURCH

#### **MEETING AT**

2025 Baldwin Street Jenison, MI 49428 616-669-9151

www.cedarchurch.org

Pastor Steve Igo | steveigo@cedarchurch.org | 616-308-4799

# **Morning Worship Service**

9:30 AM

**Evening Worship Service** 

5:30 PM

**Prelude** 

Welcome & Announcements

The Living God Calls Us to Worship Psalm 149:1-2

We Enter Into God's Presence

In Song\* Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

In Prayer\* Prayer of Approach

God Speaks to Us

In Scripture Titus 3:1-7

We Respond in Humility

In Prayer to Confess Sin &

Assurance of Pardon Colossians 1:13-14

The Lord's Supper

In Song\* My God Is All I Need/My God Is So Big

God Feeds Us

In Scripture Psalm 130

In Sermon THE PILGRIM'S PENITENTIAL PSALM

Elisha Walker | Guest Preacher

We Respond in Commitment Prayer of Application

In Song\* The Risen Christ (vv. 1,2,3)

God's & Our Communion Meal

In Song\* The Risen Christ (v. 4)

In Giving General Fund Tithes & Offering

**God Blesses Us** 

Benediction Praise the Savior, Now and Ever Hymn 243 (v.4)

\* denotes standing

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

The Living God Summons Us Psalm 66:1-2

We Enter Into God's Presence

In Song\* God and King

In Prayer\* Prayer of Approach

**God Welcomes Us** 

In Scripture 1 Peter 4:12-14

We Respond in ConsecrationPrayer to Confess Sin &In PrayerAssurance of Pardon

Isaiah 53:4-6

In Song\* Jesus, Strong and Kind

God Feeds Us

In Scripture John 15:18-27

In Sermon PERSECUTION IN THE SUBURBS

Markus Jeromin | Guest Preacher

We Respond in Commitment Prayer of Application

In Song\* Jesus I My Cross Have Taken Hymn 535

In Giving General Fund Tithes & Offering

In Prayer Congregational Prayer

**God Blesses Us** 

Benediction O God, My Faithful God Hymn 602 (v. 2)

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# **Birthdays and Offering Metrics**

# Happy Birthday

### **NOVEMBER**

1 – Nathan Loerop

2 – Luke Mulder (17)

7 – Kelsey Hunter

9 - Elysia Ter Avest

11 – Jill Kuikstra

11 – Cheryl McKenzie

12 – Rebecca VanDyke

14 – Hailey Fullalove (8)

15 – Ethan Hunter

16 – Rebecca Lipsy (12)

17 - Micah Reitsma

18 - Vito Lomonaco

24 – Juanita Ruiz

27 – Tim Loerop (13)

27 – Cathy Ter Avest

### **ANNIVERSARIES**

13 – Silas & Kibsy Reitsma (4)

23 - Steve & Lynn DeBoef (34)

	Last Week	\$11,487 / \$8,681
General Fund	3 Week Average	\$7,447 / \$8,681
	YTD	\$325,192 / \$360,482
Deacons Fund	Current Balance	\$12,197 / \$15,000
Last Week's Special Fund	Cedar Chr. education fund	\$854
Tuition Assistance	Current Balance (Code: Tuition)	\$18,965 / \$22,000
	Last Week	\$427
Ascension General Fund	3 Week Average	\$528
	YTD	\$40,182.00

### **5 Ways to Give at Cedar Church**

- 1. Give by offering plate
- 2. Give in-person in the foyer offering box.
- Mail a check to: Cedar Church, 2025 Baldwin St., Jenison, MI 49428
- 4. Give online: www.cedarchurch.org/give
- 5. Give by text: Text 'amount code' to (616) 208-4889 (ex. text '50 general' to give \$50 to the General Fund

# **Cedar Announcements**

## **Today**

9:30AM In-Person & Online Worship Service

10:45AM Fellowship & Refreshments

11:15AM - All Ages Sunday School

12:15PM

5:30PM In-Person & Online Worship Service

6:45PM Youth Group

### **Upcoming Benevolent Offering**

Nov. 23 – OPC Thank Offering

For a complete calendar of events go to cedarchurch.org/calendar

OPC Thank Offering | Nov. 23 – It's time for Thank Offering 2025! This year's theme? Make Known His Deeds Among the People. The annual Thank Offering in an opportunity for people across the Orthodox Presbyterian Church to directly support the Worldwide Outreach of the OPC. This outreach includes the important work of Christian Education, Home Missions, and Foreign Missions. Keep an eye out for weekly feature videos on these committees and their work, as well as the Thank Offering bulletin inserts.

**Sunday Lord's Supper** – We will celebrate the Lord's Supper today during the morning service. All baptized, professing Christians

who are communicant members in good standing of a Bible-believing church are welcome to participate in the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Wine is placed in the center & middle of the tray and grape juice on the outside ring. All elements are gluten free. Safely-sealed communion kits are available for those who desire such a kit in the main foyer and can be picked up prior to the start of the service. Please direct any questions to <a href="eleders@cedarchurch.org">elders@cedarchurch.org</a>

**Fellowship Lunch | Today** – Please join us after Sunday School for a time of great food and even better fellowship! Please bring a main dish and either a side dish or dessert, along with your own beverages and table settings. Crockpots may be placed in the lower-level kitchen.

Veteran's Day | Nov. 11 – We honor and thank all veterans for their faithful service to our country.

**Women2Women** – Please join us on Thursday, Nov. 13 at 7PM @ Carla Baker's home, 2555 76<sup>th</sup> St. SW Byron Center. Topic: Holiday Hospitality - Loving on other during the holiday season.

**Youth Group Game Night** - Join us at church on Friday night, November 14, from 6:30-8:45 for games and snacks!

**Three Score and More (60+)** - Join us for our Thanksgiving dinner on Wednesday, November 19, at noon in the church fellowship room. Please sign up and let us know what dish you'll be bringing to share.

**Wednesday Ministries** – We will not meet on Wednesday, November 26, in honor of the Thanksgiving holiday. Enjoy this special time with family and friends!

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# **Announcements Cont'd**

Volunteer	TODAY	NEXT WEEK
Ministries	Nov. 9	Nov. 16
Hostess/Asst. Refreshments	Marla Broek & Rebecca Van Dyke Lois Berends/Marla Broek Joan Broene/Cassidy Hamran	Marla Broek & Rebecca Van Dyke Michele Corson/Jenny denHollander Patti Dornbos/Becky Fullalove
Nursery AM	Barb Smith/Lily Maxfield	Kelsey Hunter/Lena Mulder
SS	Rebecca VanDyke	Cathy Maxfield
PM	Kibsy Reitsma/Ruby Mulder	Daniela Rietsma/Barb Lomonaco

Youth Group	Youth Group Tonight – Nov. 9, 6:45PM (every second and fourth Sunday)
Scoop	Game Night: Join us at church on Friday night, November 14, from 6:30-8:45 for games and snacks!
	Leaders: Jenny den Hollander, Dan Lipsy, Chris Neumair, Pastor Jerry Neumair, & Stacy Nichols - Location: Youth Room (basement)

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