

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

ORTHODOX PRESBYTERIAN

MEETING AT

2025 Baldwin Street

Jenison, MI 49428

616-669-9151

www.cedarchurch.org

Morning Worship Service

9:30 AM

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

The Living God Calls Us to Worship

Psalm 47:5-7

We Enter Into God's Presence

In Song* *Only A Holy God*

In Prayer* Prayer of Approach

God Speaks to Us

In Scripture Colossians 3:1-8

We Respond in Humility

In Prayer Prayer to Confess Sin & Assurance of Pardon
John 3:16-17

In Song* *Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross* (vv.1,3,4)

God Feeds Us

In Scripture Psalm 17

In Sermon A HIDDEN LIFE

Eddie Mercado | Guest Preacher

We Respond in Commitment

In Song* *Before the Throne of God Above*
Prayer of Application

In Giving General Fund & Harmony Communities Tithes & Offering

In Prayer Congregational Prayer

God Blesses Us

Benediction Shout for the Blessed Jesus Reigns Hymn 369 (v.5)

* denotes standing

Evening Worship Service

5:30 PM

Prelude

Welcome & Announcements

The Living God Summons Us

II Peter 1:2

We Enter Into God's Presence

In Song* *Rejoice the Lord is King*

In Prayer* Prayer of Approach

God Welcomes Us

In Scripture Isaiah 33:14-24

We Respond in Consecration

In Prayer Prayer to Confess Sin & Assurance of Pardon
Isaiah 55:6

In Song* *Grace*

God Feeds Us

In Scripture II Peter 3:10-18

In Sermon THE DAY OF GOD

Andrew Johnson | Guest Preacher

We Respond in Commitment

In Song* *Christ the Sure and Steady Anchor*
Prayer of Application

In Giving General Fund & Harmony Communities Tithes & Offering

In Prayer Congregational Prayer

God Blesses Us

Benediction Fairest Lord Jesus (v. 4)

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Birthdays and Offering Metrics

Happy Birthday

MARCH BIRTHDAYS

- 1 – Quinten Smith (14)
- 2 – Maggie Knot (8)
- 5 – Terry Williams
- 15 – Beka Mulder
- 17 – Raelynn Nichols (10)
- 19 – Jeremy Fullalove
- 20 – Carla Baker
- 20 – Jennie Mulder
- 23 – Danny Gardner
- 24 – Payton Corson
- 25 – Alden Corson
- 25 – Bill Huizinga
- 25 – Henry Nichols (13)
- 26 – Curtis Dykstra
- 28 – Jeremy Schipper
- 30 – Bryon Davis

ANNIVERSARIES

- 4 – Iain & Barb Smith (20)
- 9 – Jerry & Lois Berends (2)
- 20 – Bryon & Dawn Davis (27)

General Fund	Last Week	\$5,866 / \$7,465
	3 Week Average	\$7,733 / \$7,465
	YTD	\$83,914 / \$82,117
Deacons Fund	Current Balance	\$14,463 / \$15,000
Last Week's Special Fund	Family Life Center	\$466
Ascension General Fund	Last Week	\$736
	3 Week Average	\$1,502
	YTD	\$21,454.00

5 Ways to Give at Cedar Church

1. Give by offering plate
2. Give in-person in the foyer offering box.
3. 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 Adult & Children's Sunday School
- 5:30PM In-Person & Online Worship Service
- 6:45PM Youth Group

Benevolent Offering Schedule

March 29 – Martha Maxfield Summer Internship

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

Benevolent Offering Today Harmony Communities – is an organization dedicated to providing quality Christian homes and services for adults with developmental and intellectual disabilities.

Sunday School & Wednesday Ministries Update – No Sunday School on Easter, **April 5** and no Wednesday Ministries **April 8**. The new Sunday School semester will begin **April 12 through June 28**. Please refer to the insert for all Sunday School and Wednesday classes.

Women's Bible Study – We will meet during Spring Break on Wednesday, April 8, followed by lunch. Please bring your own sandwich and a dish to share.

Abundance Table – During the month of March, we will feature gently used sweaters and sweatshirts. Feel free to bring items to share or take as many as you would like.

Ascension Church Neighborhood Invites – Please join us 10:30am, Saturday, March 28th to place "Sticky Note" invites in the Uptown area. Please sign up today. More details to come. Contact Pastor Jerry (616) 455-5672 with any questions.

New Members – The Cedar elders are pleased to announce that we will be receiving Andrew & Betsy Krikke and their sons Oliver and River will be joining Cedar Church Sunday morning March 29th. Soli Deo Gloria.



Meals for the Loerop Family – We are coordinating freezer meals for the Loerop family, who live in Lowell. Meals can be placed in the basement freezer at Cedar. Please sign up on the "Take Them A Meal" online meal calendar and follow posted instructions. Thank you so much!

Ministry of the Month for March | Outreach – Our Outreach Ministry seeks to connect our church with our community and share the love of Christ. This ministry organizes outreach events such as the Memorial Day Parade, Springfest, Summerfest, Hallowcuisine, GriefShare, and DivorceCare. It also equips and encourages members to share the good news of Jesus and provides invitations for neighbors and friends to learn about Christ and connect with Cedar. Above all, we pray for those who do not yet know the Lord, that they may be saved and added to the Cedar family.

Tuition Assistance – The application window for the Tuition Assistance fund is open and applications for the school year of 2026-2027 may be submitted through March 31st. Please turn in your physical application to any deacon or go to cedarchurch.org/tuition for an online application.

Announcements Cont'd

Let's all visit Ascension Church – Cedar Church would like to encourage every member to visit our mission work, Ascension Church, at least 2x during 2026! An in-person visit will help you see with your own eyes what the Lord is doing in Uptown Grand Rapids. It will also help you invite others to check out our new mission work as you can give a first-hand testimonial about what the Lord is doing there. Finally, it will encourage the planter and participants. A sign-up sheet can be found in the Cedar Church foyer. Ascension Church worships at 1110 Wealthy Street SE in Grand Rapids. You can learn more at www.ascensionchurchgr.org.

Disaster Relief Work – Thanks for the support for the upcoming trip to Carter County, TN. This team is planning to be traveling down on April 4 and returning April 11. We will be spending Easter in Tennessee. Please pray for the team, thank you!

Cedar Blood Drive – Monday, April 20 | 3:00–8:00 PM Sign-up sheets coming soon! Please plan to donate and help make this drive a success. One unit of blood can help three people. Thank you for considering this meaningful way to serve others!

Volunteers

Volunteer Ministries	TODAY March 22	NEXT WEEK March 29
Hostess/Asst. Refreshments	Rebecca & David VanDyke Lois Berends/Marla Broek Joan Broene/Jenny denHollander Patti Dornbos	Rebecca & David VanDyke Judy Duthler/Sue Folkerts Tracy Hansma/Linda Huizinga Kelsey Hunter
Nursery AM SS PM	Michele Corson/Raelynn Nichols Cathy Maxfield Becky Fullalove/Hailey Fullalove	Karen Williams/Catelin Davis Rebecca VanDyke Jennie Mulder/Hope Smith
Audio/Visual	Adam denHollander Craig Baker Jackson denHollander	Luke Mulder Miles Smith Joshua Lipsy

Youth Group Scoop	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Youth Group tonight, 6:45 - 8:30PM (every 2nd & 4th Sunday) <hr/> <p><i>Leaders: Jenny den Hollander, Dan Lipsy, Chris Neumair, Pastor Jerry Neumair, & Stacy Nichols - Location: Youth Room (basement)</i></p>
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Wednesday AM Bible Studies

Spring 2026 Midweek Bible Studies are held every Wednesday at 9:30 AM.

- **Women's Morning Bible Study:** Women's Bible Study – Our next study will focus on "Praise" from the book of Psalms. Please bring your favorite Bible translation. All ages are welcome; no nursery is available. (Fellowship Room)
- **Men's Morning Bible Study:** Wednesday morning Men's study: A study in Isaiah (Life Change Series) Leader, Mick Knierim. (Upstairs Conference Room)

Wednesday PM Learning Opportunities for All Ages!

The midweek meal will begin at 5:45 PM | PM Ministries | 6:30 PM

- **Midweek Meal** – Join us at 5:45 PM every Wednesday for a hot meal and time of fellowship in the fellowship hall.
- **Grief-Share Support Group** – Stuck in grief after the death of a loved one? Grief Share can help you mourn while finding comfort and renewed hope for the future. This support group features Christ-centered teaching along with DVD stories of real-life people who have found that the Lord is near the brokenhearted. Class begins at 6:30 PM after our church dinner. Please consider inviting a grieving friend and pray for God's peace for those who attend. Leader Jerry Neumair. (Upstairs Conference Room)
- **Faith On Trial – Psalm 73** by Martin Lloyd-Jones. Why do good people suffer unjustly – and yet others get away with it? The Psalmist, Asaph, dealt with this very problem in Psalm 73 – one that has often perplexed and discouraged God's people. Asaph reveals his own 'no-holds-barred' feelings and leads us step by step from near – despair to final assurance. For this reason, it has always appealed to preachers and counsellors. An excellent book for those struggling with, or wondering about, injustice in the world. Led by Ken Folkerts (Youth Room)
- **Catechism Club** – Children from age 3 to grade 2 - Using accounts from the Bible of God's work in the world to help the children understand God's character and abstract theological truths. There will be games, songs, Bible memory, catechism memory and Bible stories. (Led by Joanna Lipsy (Main room in basement.)
- **Girls' Club** – Girls' Club is a class for girls in grades 3-12 where we strive to love each other, learn about the love of God, and craft together. This year our older ladies (grades 6-12) will be learning a little about purity and how to study the Bible. Our younger ladies (grades 3-5) will be learning psalms and parables. We deepen our relationships with crafts, lessons, field trips, game nights, and tea parties. Led by Beka Mulder (Lower West Wing)
- **Boys' Cadets** – Cadets is a youth ministry for boys (grade 3 and up). Cadets help boys to grow more Christ-like in all areas of life. Cadets do this by Discovering God's Word through Bible lessons, learning new skills, and exploring the world around us. The Cadets accomplish this by earning merit badges, campouts, and hands on learning. At Cedar Church any boy who is entering the third grade is welcome to join and can continue in the Cadet program indefinitely if they choose. Led by Jon Mulder (Location: West Wing Upstairs)

Sunday Learning Opportunities for All Ages

Spring 2026 Sunday School | 11:15-12:15

CHILDRENS' SUNDAY SCHOOL

- **Pre K, K, 1st Grade:** *K: K: Jesus Is The Savior* (meeting in the room downstairs at base of west staircase)
- **2nd, 3rd & 4th Grade:** *Telling Others* (meeting in the 2nd room on the right at base of west staircase)
- **5th & 6th Grade:** *1 Samuel to Esther* (meeting upstairs in west extension, east room)
- **7th & 8th Grade:** *Judges to 1 Kings* (meeting upstairs in west extension, west room)
- **9th-12th Grade (High School)** *So What Series: Worshipping God* (Youth Room)

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

- **Prizing Public Worship** – Public worship has fallen on hard times. In our individualized age, there is little we value doing communally, especially when there is an alternative that can be tailor-fit for our personal wants and preferences. Thankfully, David Clarkson helps us understand the superior privilege of public worship and the responsibilities believers have as they engage in it. He compellingly argues that the glory of God demands the corporate worship of His people. Moreover, public worship is not simply something we should do; it is something we should love. Read this book and learn to prize the ordinary means of grace as God's precious gifts to His people. Led by Ken Folkerts (Sanctuary)
- **What Does It Mean To Profess My Faith?** A class for Cedar youth who would like to know more about taking Cedar's five membership vows. Those younger than middle school should have one parent attend. Led by Pastor Jerry Neumair (Upstairs Conference Room)
- **Various Subjects from the Westminster Confession** – The Westminster Catechisms (Shorter and Larger) comprehensively address various subjects within Christian theology, particularly from a Reformed perspective. Led by our Elders (West Wing)

SUNDAY EVENING

- Sunday Night Youth Group –6:45PM – 8:30PM (every second and fourth Sunday) right after evening worship. Youth Leaders: Jenny den Hollander, Dan Lipsy, Chris Neumair, Pastor
- Jerry Neumair, & Stacy Nichols /Location: Youth Room