

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

MAILING ADDRESS

Cedar OPC
408 Chicago Drive #228
Jenison, MI 49429

Morning Worship Service

9:30 AM

Prelude		
Welcome & Announcements		
The Living God Calls Us to Worship		Psalm 9:9-10
We Enter Into God's Presence		
In Song*	<i>Wholehearted Thanksgiving</i>	
In Prayer*	Prayer of Approach	
God Speaks to Us		
In Scripture	Genesis 22:1-14	
We Respond in Humility		Prayer to Confess Sin & Assurance of Pardon
In Prayer	John 1:29	
In Song*	<i>Master Speak! Thy Servant Heareth</i>	Hymn 169
God Feeds Us		
In Scripture	John 1:35-42	
In Sermon	SEEK CHRIST	Jonathan Loerop Guest Preacher
We Respond in Commitment		Prayer of Application
In Song*	<i>Only a Holy God</i>	
In Giving	General Fund & Jehovah Jireh	Tithes & Offering
In Prayer	Congregational Prayer	
God Blesses Us		
Benediction		
Parting Song	Doxology	Hymn 732

* denotes standing

Evening Worship Service

5:30 PM

Prelude		
Welcome & Announcements		
The Living God Summons Us		Psalm 150:1-2
We Enter Into God’s Presence		
In Song*	<i>Sing to the Lord, Sing His Praise</i>	Hymn 62 (vv. 1,2,4)
In Prayer*		Prayer of Approach
God Welcomes Us		
In Scripture		Luke 10:19-20
We Respond in Consecration		Prayer to Confess Sin & Assurance of Pardon Galatians 4:4-5
In Song*	<i>O For a Closer Walk with God</i>	Hymn 534 (vv.3, 4)
God Feeds Us		
In Scripture		Mark 10:35-45
In Sermon	NEEDINESS OR GREATNESS	Wesley Reynolds Guest Preacher
We Respond in Commitment		Prayer of Application
In Song*	<i>Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery</i>	
In Giving	General Fund & Jehovah Jireh	Tithes & Offering
In Prayer		Congregational Prayer
God Blesses Us		
Benediction		
Parting Song	Lead Me, Lord, Lead Me in Thy Righteousness	Hymn 727

*denotes standing

Birthdays and Offering Metrics

Happy Birthday

AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

- 2 – Daniel Reitsma (2)
- 2 – Duane Saxton
- 3 – David VanDyke
- 5– Eric Maxfield
- 6 – Micah Lipsy (5)
- 8 – Benjamin Bosman
- 8 – Hope Smith (15)
- 10 – Peg Smith
- 12 – Joshua Lipsy (14)
- 15 – Stefan Reitsma (4)
- 16 – Paul Johnson
- 24 – Andrew Loerop (17)
- 31 – Paul Vander Nat

ANNIVERSARIES

- 3 – Jon & Jenny den Hollander (19)
- 5 – Daniel & Juanita Ruiz (29)
- 7 – Bill & Linda Huizinga (56)
- 8 – Kurt & Tracy Hansma (51)
- 8 – Jerry & Barb Neumair (45)
- 12 – Mick & Ethel Knierim (9)
- 15 – Wayne & Marla Broek (63)
- 18 – Ken & Peg Smith (53)
- 22 – Ken & Sue Folkerts (45)
- 25 – Justin & Jordan Knot (14)
- 30 – Jonathan & Jessica Loerop (23)

General Fund	Last Week	\$7,237 / \$7,854
	3 Week Average	\$8,065 / \$7,854
	YTD	\$234,091 / \$243,241
Deacons Fund	Current Balance	\$13,934 / \$15,000
Last Week's Special Fund	none	\$0
Tuition Assistance	Current Balance (Code: Tuition)	\$10,843 / \$30,000
Ascension General Fund	Last Week	\$1,527
	3 Week Average	\$1,569
	YTD	\$47,863.10

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 OPC**
408 Chicago Drive #228
Jenison, MI 494294.
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
- 5:30PM In-Person & Online Worship Service

Benevolent Offering Schedule

- August 23 – Cedar Christian Education Fund
- August 30 – Deacons' Fund

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

Benevolent Offering Today Jehovah Jireh – Jehovah Jireh is a ministry in the SE Ottawa County area that is well known for its God honoring service to the community, operational excellence, and passionate supporters. Today, they serve over 225 families in the community by providing fresh produce, meat, and dairy through a weekly shopping experience.

Fall Ministry Kickoff – Join us as we begin a new season of learning, fellowship, and growing together in Christ! The Men's & Women's

Wednesday Morning Bible Study begins on Wednesday, September 9; Sunday School begins on Sunday, September 13; and Wednesday Evening Ministries begin on Wednesday, September 16. Whether you've been attending for years or are joining us for the first time, we invite you to come grow in God's Word and enjoy fellowship with our church family. More details to come!

Christian Education – We are urgently looking for a **1st/2nd Grade Teacher**, as well as **helpers for PreK through 5th Grade**. If you are willing to volunteer, please contact **Ken Folkerts** as soon as possible. Thank you for helping support our children and ministries!

August Abundance Table – We were blessed with about 100 new and gently used children's books last week, so have your kids take a look. We will be leaving the books out thru august 14 so we can offer them to the community at the **END OF SUMMER PARTY**. Beginning August 16 the tables will feature **"BACK TO SCHOOL ITEMS"**

Baby Shower for Debbie Dawe – Join us as we celebrate Debbie with a baby shower on Thursday, September 24, at 6:00 PM in the Cedar Church Fellowship Hall. Debbie is registered at Amazon and Target. Please RSVP to Barb Lomonaco at 616-885-4894. We hope you'll join us for this special time of celebration!

Volunteers

Volunteer Ministries	TODAY August 16	NEXT WEEK August 23
Hostess/Asst. Refreshments	Jill Kuikstra/Mike Kuikstra Lois Berends/Marla Broek Joan Broene/Michele Corson Jenny denHollander	Jill Kuikstra/Mike Kuikstra Patti Dornbos/Judy Duthler Sue Folkerts/Tracy Hansma Linda Huizinga
Nursery AM PM	Lydia DeBoef/Hailey Fullalove Jordan Knot/Abby Mulder	Joanna Lipy Catelin Jennie Mulder Eden Mulder
Audio/Visual	Adam denHollander Craig Baker Jackson denHollander	Luke Mulder Milles Smith Joshua Lipy