



**Welcome to 10:00am worship at Central Park Church.** Pastor Kevin continues our teaching in “The Letters of John” series with a message from 1 John 2:28-3:3 called “Children of God.” Central Park Kids (3 years – 5<sup>th</sup> grade) meets in the Central Park Kids Room during the second half of the worship service.



**Mission Offering this Sunday.** Don't forget to support our local, national, and international missions with your second Sunday of the month gift to the Mission Fund. All gifts in the offering baskets not designated for another church fund will go to the Mission Fund.

**We are bringing back Name Tag Sunday.** Be sure to put on a name tag as you come into worship, then take a moment to check out the names of others you might not remember.

**A nursery is available** on the lower level for children infant to 3 years old. Our helpers today are Kyrie Shepherd and Pat Veenman. The worship service is being streamed to the monitor in the Gathering Place for those who need to step out of the Sanctuary during worship.

**Coffee & Cookies** after worship. Stay for a bit following worship and enjoy the fellowship. Coffee is also available before and during the worship service. Please use one of the covered cups. Char Bouwens and Jeanne Westrate are our Hospitality leaders today. Vickie Overway & Judy Prince are our Greeters this morning before and after worship.

### **Worship Online**

To catch the livestream or watch the service later, click on the link on our website homepage and go to the Central Park Church YouTube Channel.

**Next Sunday** our winter teaching series on “The Letters of John” comes to a close with a message from Shawn Voss on 1 John 3:4-15 called “Continuing to Sin.” We will resume our dive into the Letters of John after Lent.

### **This Week at Central Park Church: Sunday February 12**

- No Students tonight

### **Monday February 13**

- Open Basketball – 7:00pm

### **Tuesday February 14**

- Cardio Café – 9:00am

### **Wednesday February 15**

- Community Night Dinner – 5:30pm
- Community Night Classes & Activities – 6:15pm

### **Thursday February 16**

- Cardio Café – 9:00am
- Prayer Time – 9:30am
- Women's Bible Study – 10:30am
- Open Volleyball – 7:00pm

### **Saturday February 18**

- Women's Bible Study – 10:30am-12:00pm

The Holiday Shoppe Team's **Pig in the Blanket Pick Up** is moving up to the Gathering Place. Pigs are also available to purchase for \$14 for a dozen.

**Central Park Students** will be doing a fundraiser for their upcoming mission trip to Nashville. They will be making pig in the blanket, fruit pies, and cinnamon rolls. See the board in the gathering place to place an order. Items will be on sale through the 26<sup>th</sup> with orders going home on March 12.

### **Community Night Meals, Classes, and**

**Activities** on Wednesday evenings at 5:30pm. On the menu this week is breakfast – French toast, sausage, hashbrowns, and fruit. After the meal there is a class for kids age 3-5<sup>th</sup> grade, a study group for men meets in the Overlook Room, and basketball is played in the ARC. Or you may connect over a card or board game in the Student Center with Vickie Overway taking the lead.

Updated **2023 Directories** are available on the tables with the bulletins outside the sanctuary.

The deadline for the March edition of the “**Central Park Pathway**” is Friday, February 17. If you have anything that you would like to have published in this issue, please email David Beattie at [dcb@bcomm3.com](mailto:dcb@bcomm3.com) or contact him at 616-836-4933.

**The Season of Lent** begins soon. This year we will journey through Lent with people of two churches from our community, Embody Christ Fellowship and Rose Park Reformed Church. Our teaching series will focus on the words of Jesus from the cross and feature two Sundays of pulpit exchanging by the pastors. Each week we will email and print some devotional resources that will guide us on our journey. On Wednesday evening, February 22, Embody Christ Fellowship will host an **Ash Wednesday Service at 7:00pm** (2014 South Shore Drive). Dinner and other activities will carry on as usual here at Central Park, but those who are interested are invited to begin the season of Lent at Embody.

**CROP Walk supporters**, Spartan Stores is officially ending the direct your dollars program on March 1. They are giving a final donation of \$1,000 to the first 50 organizations to turn in \$150,000. If you have any receipts bring them in this Sunday or during office hours on Monday & Tuesday.

**Keeping our Micro Pantry well stocked**

Here’s what we need this week-

- Oatmeal
- Granola Bars
- Fruit Snacks

Keeping our Micro Pantry stocked this week is Pam Piers.

**The library is discarding some children's books** and you are welcome to take what you would like for your own family. They will be on one of the tables in the Gathering Place near the library. Enjoy!

**Pastor Kevin** will be attending a leadership conference in Dallas Texas this week and following it with a week of vacation. He will be back in the office on February 27. All pastoral needs should be directed to the Shepherding Elders. If you have any administrative questions contact Jessica in the church office and they will get passed along to the person needed.

**Thank you** for all the prayers and cards for my mother’s passing. Manny & Carlene Ramirez

**Tracy Brown’s new address:** 1333 Augusta Court East, Holland, MI 49423

<b>Offering:</b>	<b>2/5/23</b>	
	Needed/week	Actual given
General Fund	\$5,445	\$9,697.25
Mission Fund	\$662	\$771.25
Holiday Shoppe		\$452.00
<b>TOTAL</b>		\$10,920.50

<b>January 2023 Summary box</b>		
	<b>General Fund</b>	<b>Mission Fund</b>
<b>Budget</b>	\$23,596	\$2,867
<b>Giving</b>	\$14,997	\$1,490
<b>Transferred \$</b>	\$1,446	
<b>Expenses</b>	\$23,306	\$1,263

**Two ways to give** from your smart phone.

- Text the keyword GiveCPC to 616-201-3550
- Scan our Giving QR Code

Contributions can also be made online through the church website, by mail, dropped off during office hours or placed in the baskets at the sanctuary entrances.



**Thank you for your continued financial support of the ministry of Central Park Church.**



**PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES** – To post on the Prayer

Email contact Phil Garvelink: at 616-283-6275

[phyllisgarvelink@gmail.com](mailto:phyllisgarvelink@gmail.com) or [prayerchain@centralparkchurch.org](mailto:prayerchain@centralparkchurch.org)

**Items for Prayer:**

- **Pray for our group of Middle Schoolers** - Acacia Wright, Ariel Moore, Ava Piers, Charlee Gustafson, Emma Cramer, Kay Stam, Kenzie Nevenzel, Brian Becker, Miles Ellis, Michael Vosburg, Xander Taets **and leaders** - Max Blumer, Sam Pastoor, Liz Visscher, Tiffany Streur - **going on the CranHill retreat this weekend, February 10-12.**
- **Roger Hossink** underwent a successful outpatient procedure this past Thursday to improve circulation in his legs and is recovering at home.
- **Ralph Holmes** is confined at home with Covid-19.