WELCOME TO THE CHURCH OF THE STRAITS

Pastor David Wallis

February 12, 2023

10:30 a.m.

Welcome and Announcements

Green Prayer Cards may be filled out with your joys/prayers/concerns. Ushers will collect them during prayer time.

*Call to Worship

on Screen

#623

"As the Deer"

*Prayer of Confession

Your voice, O God, we long to hear! The Psalmist says your voice is strong, but we don't listen. Help us be still and know that you are God and that you do speak through your Word, sometimes through others and sometimes without words, in Jesus' name, Amen!

*Gloria Patri

*Hymn #213

"Because He Lives"

Children's Time

Sharing our Joys and Concerns Silent Prayer and Pastoral Prayer The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

*Affirmation of Faith in Song on Screen

"How Great is Our God"

Giving our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

Doxology #625

*Prayer of Dedication

Scripture Reading pg. 1062

John 10: 27

Liturgist—Sharolyn Metternich

Message Jim Benson

"Voices"

*Hymn #505

"Love Lifted Me"

*Benediction

*Postlude on Screen

"He Is Able"

Please join us for refreshments after the service in Fellowship Hall. Everyone is welcome



How to become a Christian

1. Admit to God that you have done things that oppose His desires for you.

"For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God."

Romans 3:23

2. Acknowledge Jesus Christ as God's only solution to your condition.

"Jesus answered, "I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me."

John 14:6

3. Ask God to forgive your sins and invite Jesus into your life.

"Yet to all who received him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God."

John 1:12

What to Pray

"Lord Jesus, I need you. Thank you for coming to earth, living an unblemished life, and dying on the cross for my sins. I open the door of my life and receive you as Savior and Lord of everything I do. Make me the kind of person you want me to be."

What to Do

Go to God in prayer daily.

Read God's word daily.

Open your life to other Christian friends.

Worship God weekly at church.

If God is speaking to you this morning and you desire to receive Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord, or desire prayer for a particular matter, we invite you to the front of the sanctuary at the close of the service where Pastor Dave and/or others will be glad to pray and talk with you.

THE CHURCH OF THE STRAITS STAFF

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Nursery is open for 1st grade and younger.

Joshua Kuehn

Liturgists in Coming Weeks:

Administrative Asst.

Feb 19 10:30 am Elizabeth Zabik Feb 26 10:30 am Deb Moore Mar 5 10:30 am Sharolyn Metternich Mar 12 10:30 am Bill Marvin

Sunday Worship Attendance

2/5/23	10:30 am	100
2/6/22	10:30 am	67

Flowers: If you wish to have flowers on the Altar for any occasion, please contact the church office at 436-8682.

Hearing Devices are available from the sound booth. Please turn the device off and return it to the sound booth after the service.

The Mission of The Church of the Straits

To worship God faithfully

To grow together spiritually

To serve Jesus Christ and

our neighbor joyfully

... in the power of God's Spirit.

^{*}Stand if able: Bold = congregational response

CHURCH CALENDAR February 12, 2023 – February 19, 2023

SUN 2-12	1:00 pm 3:00 pm	SARM Bowling AA
MON 2-13	2:00 pm	Women's Bible Study
WED 2-15	12:30 am	Bell Chior
THUR 2-16	8:00 am 10:00 am	Men's Breakfast Willing Workers
SAT 2-18	9:00 am	Men's Group
SUN 2-19	9:30 am 10:30 am 10:30 am 3:00 pm	Adult Sunday School Traditional Worship Youth Sunday School AA

ANNOUCEMENTS

Video Bible Series Continues Feb 26th.

S.A.R.M. Bowling and Pizza Lunch Today from 1pm-3pm. Spare Time Lanes in Cheboygan, MI All Youth free of charge. Bring a friend and have some fun!



S.A.R.M Change to make a Change

January through March SRAM is collecting winter hats and gloves for Mackinaw city schools Elementary students. There's is a donation box located outside of the SARM room all donations are very much appreciate.

Willing Workers Collecting Grocery Receipts

Please save your receipts from Family Fare grocery stores. Includes St Ignace, Cheboygan, Gaylord, and D&W Market in Petosky. Look for a box in the fellowship hall.



Next Food Pantry Feb 22nd

We will be providing assistance to those in need. Helping hands are always appreciated. 10-11am every other Wednesday.



No Bible Journaling Wed Feb 15th or 22nd



Seeking Sunday School Teacher for Feb 26

Looking for someone to fill in for one day. See Shannon Cooley if you would be interested. Thanks!

Ash Wednesday Service Feb 22nd at 7pm Come celebrate with us.

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We will be having a Joint service at St Anthonys.

Ash Wednesday

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please pray for the following persons from our prayer cards: Chris Nye, Alanna Sangster, Cindy Bell, Corey Robertson, Daniel, Carol Harper, Lee Hall, Ed Palenkas, Vera Wright, Mark Tamlyn, Keith Harrison Family, Tanya Hartman, Dale Trumen, Margaret Inglis, Becki & Al, Patrick, Dahlon, Dave Dodison, Michelle Trumen, Sally Case, Don Hawver, Mike Cool, Jim Churchill, Gussie Williams, Mike Churchill, Evelyn Canales, Alvina Williams, our Military and All First Responders.

Updates or additions? Contact the Church Office.



The Church of the Straits

Covenant Order of Evangelical Presbyterians (ECO) and
United Methodist Federated

The sheep follow him because they know his voice.





Welcome to Our Service