**WELCOME TO**

**THE CHURCH OF THE STRAITS**

Pastor David Wallis

June 2, 2019 10:30 a.m.

*Welcome and Announcements*

* *Please sign our attendance pads; pass it down the pew, take time to note with whom you are sitting, so that you can greet them later.*
* *Green Prayer Cards may be filled out with your joys/prayer concerns. Ushers will collect them during prayer time.*

Call to Worship Psalm 77:13-14 pg. 578

Liturgist – Ken Bender

\*Prayer of Confession

**Dear Heavenly Father, we complain and whine because life and circumstances don’t always go the way we would like. But we fail to recognize you have never left us nor forsaken us. Forgive us for our selfishness and free us to praise your name. Amen!**

\*Gloria Patri #623

\*Hymn “Trust and Obey” #349

First Scripture Reading pg. 718

 Isaiah 43:1-4

Children’s Time

\*Affirmation of Faith through Song screen

“God Will Make a Way”

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.**

Giving our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

Doxology #625

\*Prayer of Dedication

Second Scripture Reading pg. 1187

Hebrews 6:19

Message “In the Eye of the Storm”

\*Hymn #97

 “All Hail the Power of Jesus Name”

\*Benediction

\*Postlude in unison

*God be with you till we meet again;
By His counsels guide, up-hold you,
With His sheep securely fold you;
God be with you till we meet again.*

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 *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

1. **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

1. **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**

**G**o to God in prayer daily.

 **R**ead God’s word daily.

 **O**pen your life to other Christian friends.

 **W**orship 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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**In the Nursery – for 1st grade and younger**

June 2 – *need someone*

 June 9 -

 June 16 -

**Liturgists in Coming Weeks:**

 June 9 – Elizabeth Zabik

 June 16 – Bill Marvin

 June 23 – Julie Burnett – 9:00 am
 June 23 – Teri Bach – 11:00 am

**Sunday Worship Attendance**

 5/26/19 10:30 am 146

 5/27/18 10:30 am 135

**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.

 **CHURCH CALENDAR**

**June 2 - 9, 2019**

**SUN 6-2** 3:00 pmAA

 6:00 pm Prayer Group

**MON 6-3**  3:00 pm Women’s Bible Study

**TUE 6-4**  6:30 pm PPRC Meeting

**THR 6-6** 8:00 am Men’s Breakfast

**SAT 6-8** 9:00 am Men’s Accountability

**SUN 6-9** 9:30 am Adult Sunday School

10:30 am Traditional Worship

3:00 pm AA

 6:00 pm Prayer Group

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes –**

***June is*** *toys – dolls, jump ropes, slinkys, small balls,*

 *matchbox cars, yo-yos, etc.*

**Ladies *and* Men ☺** of the church, The Willing Workers are putting together a Church of the Straits Cookbook. Please submit your favorite recipes to Rose LaPointe by June 16th, thanks!

**Katie Darrow would appreciate** help with rides to Petoskey 3 times a week for dialysis. Sign up in Fellowship Hall, thank you!

**Communion** will be served next week, June 9th

**Fred Thompson’s Memorial** is Wednesday, June 12, at 11:00 am. Desserts and Salads would be appreciated for the luncheon following.

**Mary Margaret Cosens Memorial** is Friday, June 14 at 11:00 am. Desserts and Salads would be appreciated for the luncheon following.

**Thank you to Deb Moore** for the Message this morning. Pastor Dave is away at UMC Annual Conference.

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**PRAYER REQUESTS**

Please pray for the following persons from our prayer cards: the family of David Miller, Fred Provost, Ronnie Cooper, Suzanne Darrow, Tim Zabik, Mary Terrian, Connie Ware’s mom, Sean Salas, John Kurtz, DanTassier, Pastor Dave, Ken McGuire, Mark Speckerman, TJ Preston, Kathy Neill, Jennifer Davis, Sylvia, Lauren, Mary Beth, Benny, Ricki Caswell, Dick Campbell, Duane Birk, Nan Keck, Pastor Jerry Tallman, Katie Leach, Carol Fischer, Irene Rasmussen, Lorahdelle Darrow, Jim Rose, Ann Pfleegor, Jeanine Clemens, Don Bedell, Katie Darrow, Casey Holsinger, Joel Thies, Jack Keck, Jodi Prieur, Meredith Cole, Naomi Gomez, Diane Stevens, Taylor Fritz, Katie Roberts, Al Artz, Leslie Sherman, John Delis, youth at Tip of the Mitt, Rick Pauley, Mary Marquis, Theresa Gonzales, Staci Belanger, Chuck Adkins, Bill Nowaske, Sharon Bonter, Jennifer Cole, Adam Greenly, Herb Plaunt, Florence Tracy, Hailey Williams, Alvina Williams, Laurel Birk, Adam Cripps, JoAnn Wallin, Tillie Frazier, Denice Hansen, Jolene Rogala, Nathan Raboin, Dave Bryers, Jimmy Wilkins, Marilyn Cole, Julie Burnett, Julie Mallory, Janet Schaefer, Doris Rottschalk, Janice Wallis, Arvella Tenbrink, Marty Mol, Mason Brey, Kate Walugembe, and our Military.

Nikki Haneczek

Welcome to Our Service

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