

WELCOME TO
CHURCH OF THE STRAITS

Pastor David Wallis

November 17, 2024 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
“I Could Sing of Your Love Forever”

*Prayer of Confession
O God, we want to know You more. We want to live in harmony with Your will. Help us to not only read Your Word, but live it. Help us to commune with You, not just acknowledge Your existence, in Jesus’ name, Amen!

*Gloria Patri #623
*Hymn #267
“Come, Thou Almighty King”

First Scripture Reading pg. 1099
Acts 19: 1-10
Liturgist—Deb Moore

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
“I Can Only Imagine”

Giving our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory
*Doxology #625
*Prayer of Dedication

Second Scripture Reading pg. 1099
Acts 19: 11-20

Sermon
“It’s Not About Who You Know Of, But Who Your Know!”

*Hymn #66
“To God Be the Glory”

*Benediction
*Postlude on screen
“He Is Able”

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Please join us for refreshments after the service in the 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.

CHURCH OF THE STRAITS STAFF

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Financial Secretary	Laura Jackson
Administrative Asst.	Joshua Kuehn

Nursery is open for 1st grade and younger.

Liturgists in Coming Weeks:

Nov 24 10:30 am Elizabeth Zabik
Dec 1 10:30 am Sue O’Dwyer
Dec 8 10:30 am Sharolyn Metternich
Dec 15 10:30 am

Sunday Worship Attendance

11/10/24	10:30 am	112
11/12/23	10:30 am	86

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 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
Nov 17, 2024 – Nov 24, 2024

SUN 11-17	3:00 pm	AA
	3:30 pm	Cantata Practice
	5:00 pm	Prayer Group
MON 11-18	2:00 pm	Women's Bible Study
TUES 11-19	5:30 pm	SARM Cheer 4 the HT
WED 11-20	10:00 am	Food Pantry
	12:30 pm	Bell Choir
	2:00 pm	Bible Journaling
	6:30 pm	18:20 Meetup Class
THUR 11-21	8:00 am	Men's Breakfast
	10:00 am	Helping Hands
SAT 11-23	9:00 am	Men's Group
SUN 11-24	9:30 am	Sunday School
	10:30 am	Traditional Service
	3:00 pm	AA
	3:30 pm	Cantata Practice
	5:00 pm	Prayer Group

Upcoming Events:

Nov 19: SARM Cheer for the Home Team
Nov 26: Community Thanksgiving Service @ COS
Nov 28: Community Thanksgiving Dinner
Dec 8: Christmas Cantata



Christmas Cantata Practice
Sundays 3:30pm to 5pm
Christmas Cantata will be on Sunday Dec 8th.
At 2pm

Matthew 18:20 Meetup Class

Meeting on Wednesdays at 6:30pm to fellowship, it's all about Jesus! Please plan to attend.

Community Thanksgiving Dinner

We will be hosting a dinner on Thanksgiving Day (Nov 28th) at Noon. Please bring a dish to pass. Turkey, Mashed Potatoes, Gravy, Stuffing, Rolls, and Beverages will be provided. Please sign up.



Community Thanksgiving Service

COS together with St. Anthony's Catholic Church will hold the Annual Community Thanksgiving Worship Service on Tuesday, November 26th at 7 pm. The service will be held at COS. Please join us for this special holiday



ANNOUNCEMENTS



Shoeboxes are being collected.

They need to be returned to the church before November 19th. Help us support Operation Christmas Child.

Coats for Kids

We are collecting coats and donations for kids in our area. Please make checks out to SARM.



Bible Journaling will be making Chrismons

On Nov 20th at 2pm the group will be making Chrismons to help decorate the Church. Everyone is welcome to join.

Christmas Poinsettias

Orders Due by Dec 8th

We will be decorating our Altar again this Christmas. Six inch potted plants will be available to order for \$15.75 Please see Deb Downing if you have any questions.



SARM Cheer for the Home Team

Tuesday Nov 19th at 5:30 pm. Help us support the Mackinaw City Girls Basketball Team.



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GIVING THANKS
always
FOR ALL THINGS
UNTO GOD
AND THE FATHER
IN THE NAME
OF OUR LORD
JESUS CHRIST.

EPHESIANS 5:20, KJV

Welcome to Our Service