

LETTER FROM THE PASTOR

Seeing Clearly

Acts 9:18 Says “There fell from Saul’s eyes something like scales, and he received his sight at once, and he arose and was baptized.”

Think of people in Jesus Day being nearsighted and/or far sighted and nothing they could do about it. Out of focus. The earliest attempts at eyeglasses didn’t occur until the 1200’s.

Going through life without worship is like living with blurred vision. Our wisdom is indistinct, and our perspective is fuzzy.

When we acknowledge God for who He is, find Him through Jesus Christ as our Savior and begin to worship Him, it’s like scales falling off our eyes.

Worshipping God each day means focusing on Him, letting Him give us wisdom, vision, and the understanding we need. Turn your mind and eyes on Jesus and learn to think on His word as you go to sleep, wake up and spend your day and you will be able to see clearly. *Pastor Larry*



UPCOMING EVENTS

- **June 3**, Saturday, Christian Harbor Youth Camp Clean-up.
- **June 3rd and 4th**. Wisconsin free fishing weekend. Dick Zirbel on Hilbert Lake will be hosting. Address: W 16169 County Hwy. H, 920-841-1974
- **June 10th and 11th**. Michigan free fishing weekend. Keith and Eunice on Lake Antoine will be hosting. Address: W8115 S. Lake Antoine Rd
- **June 18th** Church Family Birthday, Anniversary Potluck Fish Dinner, Father’s Day and Meeting.

BIRTHDAYS

Savahnna Smith 6/15
Mike Breitenfeldt 6/25
Shyla M 6/29
Joaquin Peterson 6/30

ANNIVERSARIES

John & Hope Zirbel 6/13
Dan & Flora Dennis 6/24

MEET AND GREET

Carlene Kavelaris, (Marcus Oxford’s sister) has a baptism anniversary of Good Friday 2002, at Balsam Street Christian Church. She is an Activity Director at Evergreen Meadows in Norway Michigan. She has worked there 5 or 6 years. Carlene lives in Norway. One of her favorite songs is "Hold on to me", by Lauren Daigle! She has one son, Jason. One of her favorite verses is Romans 8:28 “²⁸ And we know that ^{la}God ^{lb}causes all things to work together for good to those who love God, to those who are called according to *His* purpose.” Some of her interests are politics. She is a Precinct delegate and belongs to the Dickinson County Republican Committee and am on the executive committee. She also belongs to the U. P. Patriots. Carlene is actively involved in Voter integrity, and Boots on the Ground! She says “I am doing everything in my power to clean the voter rolls in Norway Michigan! I work the polls at election time! YES!! The election was stolen! And we can see the consequences of that daily!” Carlene also enjoys gardening, kayaking, fishing, the outdoors and walking near the woods. Taking slow drives and looking for wild varmints.



SERVICE SCHEDULE AND COMMUNION SET-UP

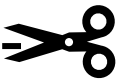
Contact Jim at 906-282-5119 if you would like to be added to the schedule or need to change dates for the Service Schedule and contact John Deldin at 906-396-5522 if you need to change dates for the Communion Set-up schedule.

JUNE

	<u>Reader</u>	<u>Communion</u>	<u>Offering</u>	<u>Communion Set-Up</u>
6/4	Jimmy	John	Dean	Bruce
6/11	Tim	Dave	Keith	Pat M.
6/18	Dean	Tim	John	John D.
6/25	Jim E	Keith	Jim S.	Randy P

JULY

	<u>Reader</u>	<u>Communion</u>	<u>Offering</u>	<u>Communion Set-Up</u>
7/2	Randy	John	Tim	Bruce
7/9	Dean	Jim S	Keith	Randy
7/16	Tim	Keith	Dean	Pat M
7/23	Jim E	Dean	Dave	John D
7/30	Randy	Dave	John D	Bruce



MESSAGES FROM ELDERS

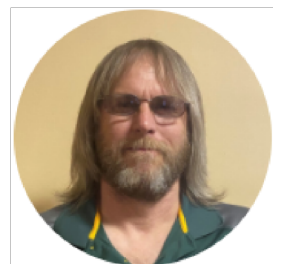
Psalms 42:1,2 " ¹As the deer pants for the water brooks, So my soul pants for You, O God. ² My soul thirsts for God, for the living God; When shall I come and appear before God?" This verse reminds me of an illustration of baptism. As the new convert was underwater the baptizer started to preach, eventually there was some thrashing in the water, finally was brought up for air, a confused look on the new convert, he was asked what did you desire most? He said air of course, the preacher responded, that you should desire to know God more than the breath of air. Summer is finally here and the busier we all get, more activities, don't neglect that gentle voice that pants for the Lord, and has the desire to see the Lord. Dave



When Christ came, He brought three gifts with Him: His first gift is found in John 17:1-4. " ¹ Jesus spoke these things; and lifting up His eyes to heaven, He said, "Father, the hour has come; glorify Your Son, that the Son may glorify You,²even as You gave Him authority over all flesh, that to all whom You have given Him, He may give eternal life. ³"This is eternal life, that they may know You, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom You have sent. ⁴"I glorified You on the earth, having accomplished the work which You have given Me to do. Jesus came with authority to give eternal life to all. The Father has given Him that authority. This means all people, but first we must know God and His son Jesus Christ, who was sent by the Father. What do we have to do to attain eternal life? Yours in Christ. Jim

Pressing toward the Goal

Philippians 3:20-21 " ²⁰But we are citizens of heaven, where the Lord Jesus Christ lives. And we are eagerly waiting for him to return as our Savior. ²¹He will take our weak mortal bodies and change them into glorious bodies like his own, using the same power with which he will bring everything under his control." Observe the power by which this change will be wrought. May we be always prepared for the coming of our Judge; looking to have our vile bodies changed by his Almighty power and applying to him daily to new-create our souls unto holiness; to deliver us from our enemies, and to employ our bodies and souls as instruments of righteousness in his service. The life of a Christian is in heaven. Tim



***“Whosoever keepeth his mouth and his tongue,
keepeth his soul from trouble.” Proverbs 21:23***

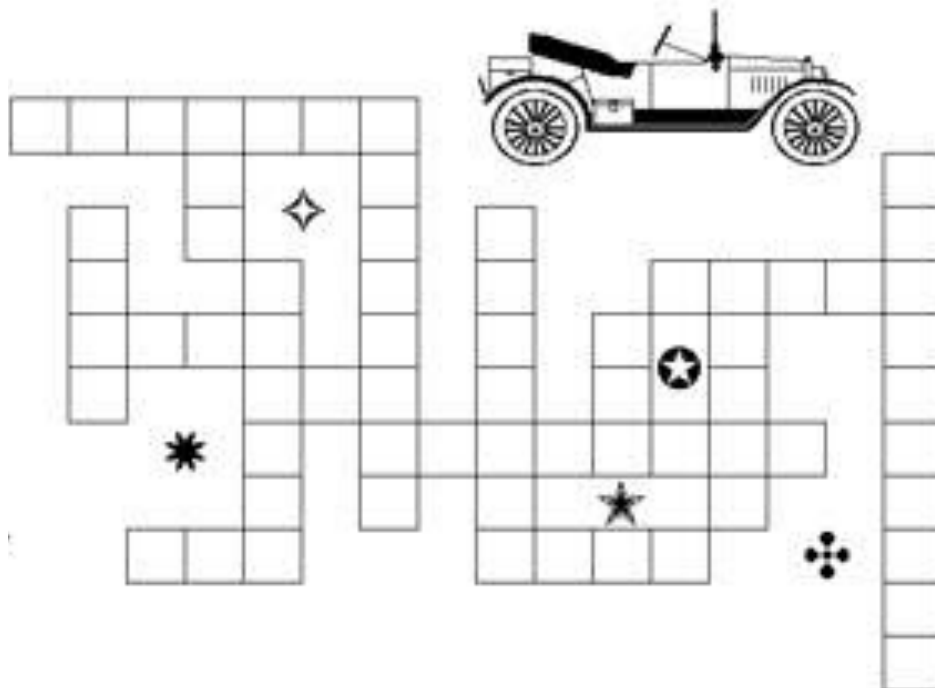
20 Reasons When to Keep Your Mouth Shut – Don't Open Your Mouth!

1. In the heat of anger. [Proverbs 14:17](#)
2. When you don't have all the facts [Proverbs 18:13](#)
3. When you haven't verified the story. [Deuteronomy 17:6](#)
4. If your words will offend a weaker brother. [1 Corinthians 8:11](#)
5. If your words will be a proof reflection of the Lord or your friends and family. [1 Peter 2:21-23](#)
6. When you are tempted to joke about sin. [Proverbs 14:9](#)
7. When you would be ashamed of your words later. [Proverbs 8:8](#)
8. When you're tempted to make light of holy things. [Ecclesiastes 5:2](#)
9. If your words would convey a wrong impression. [Proverbs 17:27](#)
10. If the issue is none of your business. [Proverbs 14:10](#)
11. When you are tempted to tell an outright lie. [Proverbs 4:24](#)
12. If your words will damage someone's reputation. [Proverbs 16:27](#)
13. If your words will destroy a friendship. [Proverbs 25:28](#)
14. When you are feeling critical. [James 3:9](#)
15. If you can't speak without yelling. [Proverbs 25:28](#)
16. When it is time to listen. [Proverbs 13:1](#)
17. If you may have to eat your words later. [Proverbs 18:21](#)
18. If you have already said it more than one time (then it becomes nagging) [Proverbs 19:13](#)
19. When you are tempted to flatter a wicked person. [Proverbs 24:24](#)
20. When you are supposed to be working instead. [Proverbs 14:23](#)

Father's Day Crossword

Find the way to make all the words fit

- TIE
- CAR
- HAT
- POP
- PAPA
- LOVE
- PIPE
- HEART
- SHIRT
- FATHER
- FISHING
- SPECIAL
- GREATEST
- SLIPPERS
- FATHERS DAY



KODAK MOMENTS

Highway Clean-up Day was a success!

Thanks to all the volunteers it only took an hour of our time to pick up 36 bags on the two-mile stretch of highway. A special thanks to the early pickers which saved us some time!



See picture of the Adopt-A-Highway Certificate for 2022. Notice it is for our "Youth Group" so we need to acknowledge our youngest youth is a 47 year old!! Stay tuned for our next clean-up day!

Christian Harbor Construction Days



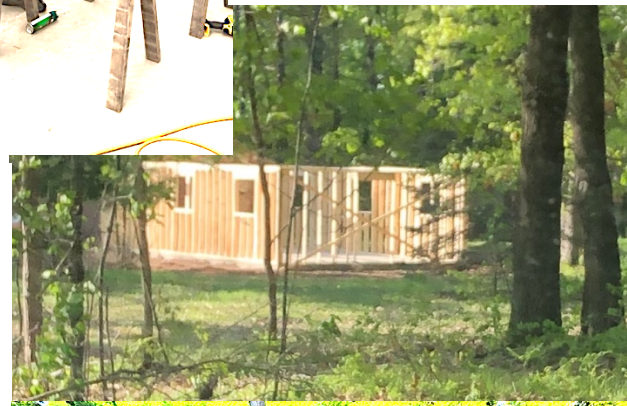
Four volunteers from Balsam Street Christian Church raised the first addition to the girl's cabin within two days with the help of local volunteers.



Electric and insulation, soffits and roof sheathing was installed prior to our departure. We met a lot of great volunteers from many different churches. Will be working with them again soon.



The boy's cabin had three walls raised in a day's worth of work.



May 26 and 27 work continued with the boy's cabin. A new roof went up over the whole cabin, siding, insulation and electric.

