

Matthew 13:44-46

What are you willing to give up for the Kingdom of God?

1. Sometimes we focus too much on what we _____.
2. We have a tendency to focus on what _____.
3. Today I want to encourage you to _____ what _____.
4. What part of _____ and _____, are you _____ to give up?

CHURCH CLOSED AUGUST 15 -20 - For parking lot renovations. If you have an Emergency during this time please call Pastor on his cell at 269-362-1074.

A SPECIAL THANK YOU - To all who assisted Marcia Kuder with the move to her new home.

AWANA MEETING TODAY - Immediately following the morning service, for all those interested in volunteering to help with our Awana program this year.

BRONSON COMMONS QUARTERLY CHAPEL SERVICES (MATTMAN) - Sunday August 14 - Volunteers: Cindy Raycraft, Marcia Kuder, Dave & Pat Chrest, Pete Pollard, Karen & Steve Sickles. Please confirm with the office if you will be taking part in next weeks Chapel Services.

IT'S BACK PACK TIME AGAIN - We are again collecting backpacks and school supplies for the school year. Supply lists are located at the welcome center. If your kids are in need of a back pack and supplies for school this year be sure to sign up in the Welcome Center. Backpacks will be handed out on August 28 after the morning service.

ASIAN THEME CHURCH POTLUCK NEXT SUNDAY - August 14 following morning service. *Good Food Good Fellowship*. The Church will provide meal and drink. Please bring a dish to pass in the spirit of this theme.

UPCOMING YOUTH GROUP ACTIVITIES

Youth Group - Sunday 5pm-7pm

Annual Bike/Camping Trip - Rescheduled for September - Date to be announced.

MICHIGAN'S ADVENTURE TRIP - On Wednesday August 24 leaving church at 9am, arriving to the park at 11am, leaving the park at 7pm. We will be stopping at Pizza Hut in Muskegon for supper on the way back (bring \$5. for pizza). Open to all of our church family. Contact Autumn Lewis at 269-506-0126 or you can message me on facebook. More information available in the Welcome Center.

ATTENTION TEENS SIDELINE ADULTS - Hard as it is to believe, school year 2016-2017 will soon be here. If you have a teen in the Sideline Program, please do one last gift, note or card in the next 3-4 weeks and reveal your identity to your teen. Thank you for blessing our youth! They have enjoyed it. The next Sideline program will kick off in September.

INTRAMURAL SOFTBALL GAME - Last Game Monday August 8 6:30pm

MENS SOFTBALL CONGRATULATIONS - 1st Place 2016 Division Champs !

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED - August 26 from 5-9pm & August 27 from 8am-5pm to help rebuild the lower back church walls. Sign up sheet in the Welcome Center.

ATTENTION LADIES - Looking to see who would be interested in a ladies weekend away to scrapbook or even craft. If this sounds fun and something you would like to do please see Brandi Roberts. Once I have an idea of who is interested I will start planning out the details.

CHURCH CAMPING TRIP NEXT FRIDAY - SUNDAY - Make reservations on line at: www.midnreservations.com choose Fort Cluster for August 12-14. Site recommendations still open with our group are 1, 2, 63 and 68. Please reserve if you are interested in attending! We will have the field behind us for group games. Each family is responsible for the cost of and making their reservation.

ALLEN FAMILY SEPTEMBER 11 - Worsipping with us at 11am and will be joining us in concert to celebrate their 20th year at 6pm! Mark your calendars. You will not want to miss this family fun filled concert. Hand out invitations and postcards in the Welcome Center.

SMALL GROUPS "HOST" & "LEADER" SIGN UP - If you are interested in hosting or leading a small group please sign up in the Welcome Center by August 21. This series runs from September 18 - October 23.

REVELATION SERIES - Is now available on CD, please see Bo Roberts in the sound room.

WORLD MISSION - Coin boxes available in the Welcome Center.

FOOD PANTRY - Help others in need of food. See Krista Asher or Lynn Anderson.

ADULT SINGLES (18+) - Lunch First Sunday of every month following Morning Worship Service. Meet Pete Pollard in the Welcome Center.

MENS PRAYER BREAKFAST - Tuesday 8:30am at LaRues.

VISIT www.12thstreetbaptist.net for sermons, bulletin, events and other updated information. For Members only you can view new member pictures and prayer requests, as well as our Member Directory, deacon assignments and pictures.

LIBRARY - Now available Christian movies for all ages on DVD. You may borrow for one week must be 18 years of age to check movies out. A list of titles are available in the Welcome Center. Lynn will be available to sign movies out between Sunday School and Church on Sunday or on Wednesday nights. Members take advantage of great movies choices for Family time together.