

September 2024

September 8, 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Nomination Sunday Carry in Luncheon A-Al and Cheryl Throop	2	3	4 Youth Group 6:30-8 p.m.	5 9:30am LifeGroup Keith's office A-Luke and Amy Essex	6	7
8 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Diggles Family Concert 6 p.m. B-Rosalee Hull	9	10 10:00am East Montcalm Baby Pantry 6:00pm Elders meeting 7:00pm Elders & Deacons meeting	11 B-Kathy O'Dell Youth Group 6:30-8 p.m	12 9:30am LifeGroup Keith's office B-Atlas Cerventes	13 B-Ashley Davis Life Group at the Mitchell home	14 RLCA Scholarship fundraiser at camp 10 a.m. – 2 p.m
15 Back to Church Sunday 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worship	16	17	18 Youth Group 6:30-8 p.m	19 9:30am LifeGroup Keith's office	20 10 a.m. LOL Hull's Cabin	21
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29 9:30am Sunday School 10:30am Worship B-Kelsey Mitchell	30			<i>Birthdays and Anniversaries</i> A – Anniversary B – Birthday We apologize if we have missed your special day. Please inform the church office of any updates or omissions.		

We welcome you to



Ferris Church of Christ

Go. Teach. Baptize.

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Welcome to Ferris Church of Christ!

We are glad you are here today.

Children’s Church is available to K-5th graders and Nursery is available for ages 0-4, each Sunday during the sermon.

In order to know you better, pray for you and/or serve you in any way, please fill out a **Connection Card** located in the pews and place it in the offering box in the foyer area.

Praise and Worship

Communion Meditation: Cody Hansen

Communion Servers: Ben Russel, Vic Welch, Jeff Berens, Troy Sackett

Taking of the Lord’s Supper

Christians are invited to participate. Please partake of the bread and cup at this time.

Sermon: Keith Mitchell
Ecclesiastes 1
“What Am I Chasing After?”

Invitation

Closing Prayer

Receiving of Tithes and Offerings
Trays will not be passed to collect tithes and offerings. Please place your offering in the box located in the foyer before service begins.

Sunday morning service is live streamed on Facebook. If you are unable to join us in person, we invite you to join us virtually

Upcoming events

- **September 8** Diggles Family Concert 6 p.m., all are welcome.
- **September 11** Womens fellowship luncheon at Marview, 11:30 a.m.
- **September 14** RLCA Scholarship craft and bake sale at RLCA, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
- **September 15** Back to Church Sunday
- **September 20** LOL resumes at 10 a.m., Hull’s Barn
- **September 22** guest speaker Mike Grant at 6 p.m. Details to follow.
- **October 7** Men’s fellowship kick-off at Rock Lake Camp with a family night.
- **October 12** Great Lakes Christian College 75th anniversary celebration (see bulletin board for details.)
- **October 20** Ferris Church of Christ annual meeting and carry in dinner

Notes:

PRAYER NEEDS

- ❖ Our nation, President, elected leaders, military personnel
- ❖ Our missionaries
- ❖ Derek Harris
- ❖ Fred Kinsey
- ❖ Rosemary Krafft
- ❖ Annie (Stratton) Leach
- ❖ Al & Cheryl Throop
- ❖ Lynette Sova
- ❖ Denny Nuens
- ❖ Chris Emery
- ❖ Linda Ingram and Ty
- ❖ Trisha Lynn
- ❖ Arnie and Donna Smidt
- ❖ Brad Wanless
- ❖ Lorin Cook

**Prayer needs may be added by leaving a message at the church office or a note on a connection card. Changes and updates are appreciated.*

General Announcements

- **Elections and annual meeting timeline:**
- Sept. 1 nomination forms available after church. Contact church office or administrator if you need it mailed to you.
- Sept. 15 nomination forms due to one of the elders. You must be 18 years or older and a member of Ferris Church of Christ to nominate or vote for elected officers.
- Sept. 29 all year-end reports due to church office for inclusion in annual report. Digital format preferred, paper format is acceptable.
- Oct. 20 annual meeting, election and carry in dinner
- Bring a friend or neighbor on Sept 15 as we emphasize Back to Church Sunday.
- **Communion meditation and serves** schedule through the end of 2024 is available in the holders above the welcome table and posted on bulletin board.
- **Men’s Fellowship** schedule and details available soon

Serving next Sunday, Sept. 15 , 2024

Communion Meditation: Gerald Hull
Communion Servers: Chris Stratton, Logan Sackett, Blake Russell, Blake Essex
Greeters: Vic and Lu Anne Welch
Nursery: Lu Anne Welch
Soundboard Operator: Brian Waldron

Sunday School Classes (9:30 a.m.)

Adult Overflow room
High School (9th – 12th) room 307
Middle School (6th – 8th) room 306
Upper Elementary (3rd - 5th) room 305
Early Elementary (PreK – 2nd) room 304

Mid-Week Studies

(See calendar on back for confirmed meeting dates)

Thursdays @ 9:30 at Keith’s office
Thursdays @ 6:30 Life Group @ RLCA (*Resumes in the fall*)
Fridays @ 10am: Ladies of Light @ Hull’s cabin resumes Sept. 20 continuing the study begun last spring
Every other Friday @ 7pm: Life Group @ the Mitchell’s