

## *Our Story . . .*

*Our journey as a church began in 1902 when a couple began seeking God for a church after moving to Flint. In 1904 the hall was rented in downtown Flint and the Flint Relief Mission was begun. From 1905-1913 the mission grew and continued to minister from the corner of 2nd and Saginaw Streets.*

*With the growth of Flint so came the growth of the church. In 1913 a new church was built at 730 E. Hamilton Ave. And as many continued to come to Flint to find work in the shops, many joined the church.*

*In 1956 under God's leading, a new church was built on the corner of DuPont and Gracelawn Ave. It was soon to become the "lighthouse" on the corner.*

*In 1973, once again under the leadership of the Holy Spirit, a new church was built at our current location 1327 N. Elms Rd, and Faith Missionary Church continued to see God bless and grow the kingdom.*

*Our journey began in 1904 as the Flint Relief Mission and continues today as Faith Missionary Church. Our hope and prayer is as you have worshipped with us today that you may desire to join us on the journey of helping others find Jesus.*

## *Prayer Concerns*

**Joe Schuster**, pray for him as he will be having surgery on May 14th.

**Walt McLavy**, pray for him as he will be having surgery for skin cancer on May 13th.

**Jeni Edwards**, daughter of Tom & Jan Wright, pray for her as she will be having surgery for breast cancer on May 14th.

**Janie Dyer**, pray for her as she continues to have heart and breathing issues and will have an ablation in the near future.

**Anita Harless**, friend of Kris Taubitz, pray for her as she begins chemo treatment for breast cancer.

**Gideon McKnight**, continue to pray for strength as he recovers from a recent heart attack.

**Ronnie**, nephew of Jeff & Laura Burt, pray for him as he recovers from heart surgery.

**Marilyn Lerche**, pray for her as she has shingles.

**Kathy White**, sister of Dana Welninski's co-worker, pray for her as she recovers from surgery for stage 3 brain cancer and will be undergoing treatment.

**Kathy Kastle**, mother of Kris Taubitz, pray for her as she recovers from surgery for breast cancer and will be undergoing treatment.

**Courtney Martin**, pray for full recovery and healing from back surgery.

**Ron**, brother of Tracy Cory, pray for him as he broke his back.

**Darwin Schuster**, pray for him as he goes for blood transfusions.

**Sandy Yurk**, continue to pray for her recovery.

**Dale Jackson**, pray for him as he heals from back surgery and praise his cancer is in a temporary remission.

**Steve Hittle**, pray as him as he recovers from a recent hospital stay and awaits a liver transplant.

**Pray for those serving in the Military:** Keith Nikiel Anderson, Ben Strickler, Sam Smarszcz, Daniel Wright, Jonathan Dake

**Pray for those with physical concerns:** Diana Harris, Martha Hillman, Rose Cory, Don Myers, Marvin Prime, Arlene Cory, Bob Hazzard, Mary Holicki, Lydia LaClair, Cheryl Cortese, Wally Branson, Elmer & Onalee Herriman, Glenda Watts, Emma Hobson, Janet Potes, and Shirley Graves

# Welcome

*Who We  
Are . . .*

*Followers  
of Jesus  
who*

*Multiply  
disciples  
while*

*Caring for  
others*



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# Thank You for Worshipping with Us

Order of Service

May 12, 2019

Opening ..... “Almighty”

Prayer

Announcements

Congregational Greeting

Pastor’s Pals

*Children up through 5th grade are invited to go to Kid’s Worship.*

Offertory

Praise & Worship ..... “Forever”

“Better Is One Day”

“Be Still and Know”

Time of Prayer

Sermon Message..... Pastor Brent Kriesch

**STORY OF ESTHER**  
**“Made for this Moment”**  
**Esther**

Closing..... “You Are Good”

Benediction

# Sermon Notes

**STORY OF ESTHER**  
**“Made for this Moment”**  
**Esther**

**Big Idea! The Real Hero of YOUR Story**

**1. 5 Big \_\_\_\_\_**

- \_\_\_\_\_ (Esther 1:1-2)
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_ (Esther 3:1-2)
- \_\_\_\_\_ (Esther 2:5-7)
- \_\_\_\_\_

*It doesn’t matter how corrupt the powers that govern this world can become, God is always sovereign.*

**2. The \_\_\_\_\_**

- \_\_\_\_\_ saves the \_\_\_\_\_ (Esther 2:21-23)
- \_\_\_\_\_ plan.
- \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ plan. (Esther 4:13-17)

*God always has kingdom insiders, and you are one of them. He wants to use you to dispel darkness and throw light on your world.*

- \_\_\_\_\_ evil plot. (Esther 5:10-14)
- A Sleepless \_\_\_\_\_. (Esther 6:1-10)

*God will work in mysterious, sometimes silent and spiritual ways to bring about his purposes.*

- \_\_\_\_\_ plot fails. (Esther 7:1-10)

**God is the real Hero of your story, whether you believe it or not. He’s been working in your life the whole time!**