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## EVENTS THIS WEEK

April 14th - April 21st

<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>April 14</b>
9:00 AM	Prayer
9:30 AM	Sunday School
10:30 AM	Worship
11:00 AM	Kid's Worship
5:30 PM	Thrive Youth
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>April 15</b>
6:00 PM	Deacon Meeting
7:00 PM	Board Meeting
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>April 17</b>
10:30 AM	Young at Heart
6:30 PM	Family Connect
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>April 21</b>
9:00 AM	Prayer
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10:30 AM	Worship
11:00 AM	Kid's Worship
5:30 PM	Thrive Youth

## April Craft Night

Join us for an evening of fun fellowship and creativity

Invite A friend!

**Family connect**

Connections with Christ for Busy Families

Sloppy Joe Dinner  
Please bring a salad or dessert to share

**April 17  
6:30 PM**

## KIDS Worship

Available during the worship service for children 2.5 years-5th grade. Children are dismissed during the service and can be picked up in Room #3 immediately following the service.

Wednesday at 10:30 AM

Join us for an investigation into the lives of 12 Biblical Characters over the next few weeks.

## Young at Heart Bible Study

**FORGED MEN OF FAITH**  
IRON SHARPENS IRON  
Proverbs 27:17

Theme:  
**A MAN AND HIS FATHERHOOD**  
A PLACE TO SHARE & ENCOURAGE

**Breakfast with a Purpose**  
**Saturday**  
**April 20 @ 8 am**

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

04/14 Gideon McKnight  
04/21 Gayle Yunge

## THRIVE FMC

**SUNDAYS @ 5:30 PM**

Youth Ministry Dessert & Silent Auction

**Silent Auction**  
Donations of non-food items are appreciated, too (Please Bring in after 4/21)

**Sunday April 28**  
Grilled Dinner:  
• Hamburgers  
• Koegel's  
• Salad

Come have fun bidding on your favorite desserts to fill your freezer and support our youth program.

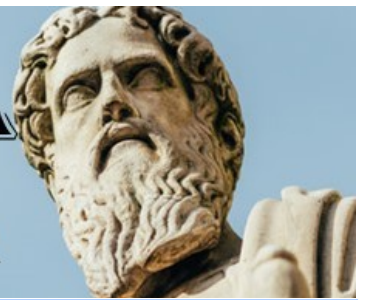
Proceeds go to fund our Youth/Family Ministry program.

- ◆ Sign up for April Forged Breakfast.
  - ◆ Sign up for April Family Connect.
  - ◆ Sign up to bring a Dessert to the Auction
- Sign up & Mark your calendar for Spring Cleanup

**EXCITING OPPORTUNITIES AHEAD!**

# PRAYING WITH PAUL

## CULTIVATING A LIFE OF PRAYER



**Church Cleanup Days**  
**May 11 & 18, 8am – Noon**

**Many Hands Make Light Work!**  
**Please plan which day you can come help**

FLUSHING CHRISTIAN OUTREACH CENTER

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

to Stock Shelves or Sort Clothing  
 (a few hours once a month or once a week)



Food Pantry



Clothes Closet



Resources

FLUSHING CHRISTIAN OUTREACH CENTER

**Electronic Sign Fundraiser**

Goal: \$15,000

New Food Distribution Center Sign will allow better communication with community & clients

(See the FCOC Facebook for more details)

Mark giving envelope: FCOC-Sign

A Private Donor is matching \$1 for each \$2

**Christian Concert Message Board**

Checkout the **Area Christian Concerts**

across from the church office for upcoming

**Christian Concerts**

Contact for more info  
 Janet Bartholomew

**Financial Report March**

Giving	\$19,442.89
Expenses	\$18,268.58
Difference	\$1,174.31
<b>Year-To-Date</b>	
Giving	\$51,220.79
Expenses	\$44,520.30
Difference	\$6,700.49

During the month of APRIL we are collecting:



KID FRIENDLY CEREAL



APPLES/ORANGES

Thank you for your support!

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# MISSIONS

**Pray for the Missions We Support as a Church**

- Boshaw, Jessica..... Serving in Spain
- Compton, Elmo & Kathryn ..... Serving in Mexico
- Hubley, Pete & Ursula..... Serving in Serbia
- Makombe, Theo & Briana ..... Serving in Rwanda
- McIntosh, Josh & Kari..... Serving in South Africa
- Medina, Carlos & Ruth.....Leader World Partner-Latino
- Sanford, Ray & Tammy ..... Serving in West Africa
- Spelman, Brian & Cindy... Serving in Southeast Asia
- Flushing Christian Outreach.....Flushing, MI
- Carriage Town Ministries ..... Flint, MI
- Pregnancy Resource Center ..... Flint, MI
- Samaritan's Purse .....Boone, NC

Pioneer Bible Translators

## The Sanfords

*Transformed Lives Through God's Word in Every Language*

Every person, Every language



Ray, their son, David & Tammy

**Prayer Request**

- Safety for staff & home
- Country to become more stable – unrest!
- Fuel/Water shortage, Explosion destroyed 80% of the country's fuel
- Trip logistics to Africa (& Mission trip volunteers)
- West Africa Pioneer Leadership decisions

Visit here to give: <https://pioneerbible.org/RayAndTammySanford>