

*Not Only
for Me*



**Welcome to
Pioneer
Memorial
Church**

December 28, 2019

SABBATH SCHOOL

10:30 AM

OPENING HYMN

Gregory Offenback

WELCOME & PRAYER

Sinegugu Katenga

SPECIAL FEATURE

"Pursuing His Joy"

OFFERTORY

SCRIPTURE

Nehemiah 8:10

BIBLE STUDY

Leaders in Israel

THEME SONG

BENEDICTION



NEW YEAR READING PLAN

Our New Year theme at Pioneer begins with a congregation-wide 13-week journey through the short classic Steps to Christ—and you're invited to join us. Soon the e-book and an attractive check-off reading calendar will be emailed to you. Beginning January 1 read a chapter a week to experience a DIY way to deepen your walk with Christ in 2020. The book reoriented my (Dwight K. Nelson) life spiritually as a 22-year-old student here on campus. You'll be just as blessed. If you did not receive this email download your copy at www.pmchurch.org/2020reading.

PIONEER PULPIT

1 • 04

Dwight K. Nelson

"In the Year of Our Lord 2020: Seeking 20/20 Vision"

SUNSET

5:21

SUNSET NEXT FRIDAY

5:27

NEXT WEEK'S OFFERING

Pioneer Operating Budget



WORSHIP

11:45 AM

THE CALL

THE MEDITATION

The Old Year Has Passed Away
Johann Sebastian Bach

THE INTROIT

O God, Our Help in Ages Past
William Croft

THE CALL

Hebrews 7:23-25 NIV
Bryan von Dorpowski

Now there have been many of those priests, since death prevented them from continuing in office;

but because Jesus lives forever, he has a permanent priesthood.

Therefore he is able to save completely those who come to God through him, because he always lives to intercede for them.

THE DOXOLOGY

Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow • 2

THE INVOCATION

John Glass

THE CELEBRATION

IN PRAISING

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross • 154

IN PRAYING

Bryan von Dorpowski

PIONEER LIFE

Noelle Katherine Graves presented by Byron and Jennifer Graves with José Bourget

IN GIVING

Michigan Advance Partners
Bryan von Dorpowski
What Wondrous Love Is This?
Traditional Melody

IN PROCLAIMING

"Not Just for Me"
John Glass

THE CLEANSING

When he had finished washing their feet, he put on his clothes and returned to his place. "Do you understand what I have done for you?" he asked them. "You call me 'Teacher' and 'Lord,' and rightly so, or that is what I am. Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet. I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you. Very truly I tell you, no servant is greater than his master, nor is a messenger greater than the one who sent him. Now that you know these things, you will be blessed if you do them." –John 13:12-17 NIV

THE COMMUNION

IN READING

Peggy Whidden

"For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures, and that he appeared to Cephas, and then to the Twelve." –1 Corinthians 15:3-5

IN PRAYING

Woody Whidden

IN PARTAKING

Were You There • st. 1-2 of 158
Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross • st. 1, 3-4 of 312

THE COMMITMENT

IN SINGING

Sent Forth by God's Blessing • 407

IN BLESSING

IN GIVING

PMC Assistance Fund

IN LEAVING

O Lamb of God, Unspotted
Johann Sebastian Bach

Organist: Kenneth Logan

PIONEER FAMILY

Pioneer Vespers

TODAY • 5:00 PM

PIONEER YOUTH CHAPEL

Join us for vespers this evening! We will focus on New Year's Resolutions.

Thank You!

Pioneer Annual Christmas Breakfast was well attended. There was lots of food and smiles. It was a perfect day to catch up, to welcome new church members, and a great opportunity to appreciate people who have helped through the year. It was a special time to maintain the bonds that hold us together as a church family. We are grateful to be able to celebrate Christmas in this special way. Thank you all for coming and especially to all the volunteers who helped set up, serve and clean up.

10 Days of Prayer

JANUARY 1–10 • 7:00 PM

4731 GREENFIELD DRIVE

BERRIEN SPRINGS, MI

Start the New Year right! For their 30th consecutive year join John and Beverly Youngberg in their home. The incredible topic will be: "Enoch—How Can You & I Walk With God, and Please God" (Heb. 11:5)? Join us for fellowship, prayer, and take-home quotes you will treasure.

Financial Gifts for 2019

Today is the last Sabbath to return your tithe and offerings for 2019. The church office will be receiving donations up to 5:00 PM on December 30. Remember that your donation needs to be postmarked no later than December 31 to be included in your 2019 tax-deductible receipt. You can also make your contribution online by going to www.pmchurch.org, click GIVING, and choose "Give Online" until 11:59 PM, December 31, 2019.

ABC Christian Book Store Sales

Call or come into the ABC Christian Book Store and get 20% off 2020 Devotionals until Jan. 31st.

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Friday Volunteers Needed

JANUARY–MARCH

If you could be available for approximately one hour around noon, possibly a bit longer, to place insert(s) into the bulletins, please call Claudia at 269.471.3134 for additional information.

We Mourn

Today we grieve with John and Marilyn Beall in the loss of their son Peter, who passed away on December 11, 2019. The service for Pete was on Friday, December 20.

With sadness, we announce Agnes Mngo a Pioneer member who passed away on December 15, 2019. She was 46. She leaves behind her loving husband Zachary and family. The service for Agnes was on December 23.

With grief, we announce the death of Bonnie Pollitt, who passed on December 17, 2019. Her service will take place at 3:00 PM on January 5, 2020, in the Castelbuono Youth Chapel.

We also mourn with the family of Joyce Juriansz, who passed away on December 15, 2019, in Toronto, Ontario. She was 95. Averil Kurtz and Arlene Bailey are her daughters, and Camille Clayton and Karl Bailey are among her 5 surviving grandchildren. A memorial service will be held on January 25 in Hamilton, Ontario.

PMC Holiday Hours

The PMC office will be closed on Tuesday-Wednesday December 31-January 1 for the holidays. We resume normal operating hours on January 2, 2020! Our regular office hours are 9:00 AM-12:00 PM and 1:00-5:00 PM (we are closed Friday afternoons). We wish you a safe and blessed holiday season!

For a complete list of announcements visit pmchurch.org/announcements

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