

# Welcome! August 26, 2023



## CALL TO WORSHIP

Pastor: Today we come to do something very important.

Congregation: What is so important that we come together in this place of worship?

Pastor: Telling the stories of Jesus is the reason that we have gathered.

Congregation: May the stories of Jesus come to life not only in our worship, but also in our lives together.

# SABBATH SCHOOL

**SONG SERVICE** Vladimir Slavujevic

SCRIPTURE & PRAYER Sally DiCicco

SPECIAL FEATURE "Ever Ready" Merarie Doyle

LESSON STUDY "Living Wisely"

SUNSET TODAY 8:29

SUNSET NEXT FRIDAY 8:17

#### OFFERING

**08 • 26** Michigan Advance Partners

**09 • 02** Pioneer Operating Budget



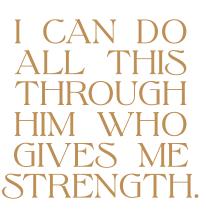




Adventurer Sign Up Pathfinder Sign Up

#### PIONEER PULPIT

09 • 02 Shane Anderson "Together, In Spirit And In Truth" 09 • 09 Shane Anderson "How To Know God's Will, Part 1"



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Melcome Back!

New and returning students, please join us for food, and fellowship. The picnic will be held immediately following the second service today.

# WORSHIP

#### 9:00 AM

#### **OPENING MUSIC**

"Praise to the Lord" • Martin Shaw

#### WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP

Prescott Khair, Associate Pastor

#### "HYMNS OF JOY AND FAITH": A HYMN CYCLE

"To God Be the Glory" • 341, st. 1, 3 "Praise Him! Praise Him!" • 249, st. 1-2 "This Is My Father's World" • 92, st. 3 "Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart!" • 27, st. 1, 4-5

#### CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus" • 290, chorus only Prescott Khair, Associate Pastor

#### BAPTISM

Dorcas Constance Kilembe, Deborah Judith Kilembe, & Tuntufye Joy Kilembe with Alfred Kilembe

**OFFERTORY** "Rejoice, All You Christians" • Ernst Pepping

#### **CHILDREN'S STORY & PRAYER**

J-Fiah Reeves, CFE Student Chaplain

#### SCRIPTURE READING

Philippians 4:10-13, NIV Paul Jr. Cho, AU Freshman Student

#### WORSHIP IN MUSIC

"O Love of God, How Strong and True!" Kenneth Logan

#### MESSAGE

"Home Sweet Home" Shane Anderson, Lead Pastor

#### HYMN OF COMMITMENT

"Anywhere With Jesus" • 508

**BENEDICTION** Shane Anderson, Lead Pastor

#### **CLOSING MUSIC**

"I Believe in One God" • Wolfgang Mozart

#### Organ: Kenneth Logan, Minister of Music

Worship in Music: Charles Reid, tenor

Hymn Leaders: Charles Reid, tenor; Max Keller, trumpet; Kenneth Logan, organ

### 11:45 AM

#### **OPENING MUSIC**

"Praise to the Lord" • Martin Shaw

#### WELCOME & CALL TO WORSHIP

Prescott Khair, Associate Pastor

#### PRAISE

"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" "Holy Spirit Rain Down"

#### CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER

Dr. Steve Yeagley, Associate VP AU Office of Culture and Inclusion

#### **BABY DEDICATION**

Luka Gabriel Henri-Saturne, presented by Sebastian and Aileen Henri-Saturne with Ben Martin

#### WORSHIP IN MUSIC

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#### PRAISE

"Revelations 19:1" "Days of Elijah"

#### SCRIPTURE READING

Philippians 4:10-13, NIV

#### PRAISE

"He Hideth My Soul"

#### MESSAGE

"Home Sweet Home" Shane Anderson, Lead Pastor

#### SONG OF COMMITMENT

"Anywhere With Jesus" • 508

BLESSING Shane Anderson, Lead Pastor

#### **CLOSING MUSIC**

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Praise Team: Guimel Gonzalez, Ashley Yabut, Elsie Mokaya, Alyson Arroyo, Brianna Arroyo, Caleb Braswell, vocals; Philip Wekesa, piano; Narda Miel Herimalala, keyboard; Filipe Correa, Acoustic Guitar; Frank Robinson, Bass; Alex Aguilera, Cajon; Mailyn Iribar, Violin

# PIONEER FAMILY

#### Welcome Back Picnic TODAY • FOLLOWING SECOND SERVICE

It's that time of year for Pioneer to welcome new and returning students! Help us love on our students as they join this community. The picnic will be held immediately following the second service today. New and returning students, please join us for food and fellowship!

# Wednesday Evening House of Prayer Location Change

Please join us for House of Prayer each Wednesday evening at 7:00 PM as we now meet in the main sanctuary. If you need a spiritual shot in the arm during the middle of the week you'll find it here as we sing, pray, and reflect on God's promises together. God meets us here each week as we grow closer to Him and each other. Our numbers are growing and we hope to see you there.

## Adventurer Registration

It's that time! Adventurers is getting ready to start. Adventurer Family camp is available for club families September 8-10 for only \$7 per person. Our first club meeting will be on September 17th at 10AM. Adventurers is for families with kids 4-9. Don't miss out on this incredible opportunity to help your kids fall in love with Jesus. Registration is open now! Scan the QR code or text "Adventurers" to 269.281.2345 get your family signed up!

### Update #8 for Renovate 2.0

The Project: The elevator is completed and operational! All those who have needed this addition are welcome to use it. We will be having a ribbon-cutting event and a dedication event in the very near future. Watch your email for the details! Next, the glass wall will be installed, and the project will be done! Fundraising: As of 8/23/23, there is \$736,737.77 that has been raised with \$263,262.23 to reach our goal! -We are so close!- Please join with others to finish this wonderful addition! Remember Renovate 2.0 in your giving plans and pray for its completion!

## **Pioneer Sanctuary Choir**

Join us as we prepare amazing choral compositions to sing for select church services throughout the year. New members are needed and will be most welcomed, so give us a try. Our rehearsals are light-hearted, and at times comical for those who enjoy humor. Beginning Sept. 5, rehearsals are every Tuesday, from 6:30–8:00 PM in the Eariteen Loft. Come with a spirit of singing and light fellowship.

## PWM Autumn Kick-Off Brunch

#### SEPTEMBER 10 • 10:00 AM PIONEER COMMONS

Pioneer Women's Ministries invites you to an Autumn Kick-Off Brunch. Check-In: 9:30 AM. Register to reserve your place! Text "Brunch" at 269.281.2345 to register, deadline Sept. 7. Our menu options include Vegetarian, Vegan, and Gluten-Free. Bring a friend, enjoy the food & the fellowship!

### Church Vote – First Reading

Monica Bublick - Benton Harbor Soup Kitchen Members Russell Burrill - HOH Governance Board Member Jonathan Burt - Adventurers Director Arlet Dees - Fellowship Dinners Director Patricia Erhard - Funeral Dinners Co-Director Donnalee Forraht - BH Soup Kitchen Members Karina Martinez Fernandez - Benton Harbor Soup Kitchen Member, Foot Washing Member, Funeral Dinners Member

Benjamin Martinez - Foot Washing Member Solomon Miller - Deacon

Carolyn Strzyzykowski - Homebound Ministry Member Stan Strzyzykowski -Homebound Ministry Member

# Best Weigh Nutrition & Weight Loss Program

Helpers are needed for our Best Weigh Nutrition and Weight Loss program beginning Tuesday evenings on Sept. 12. Required experience: know how to pray. Please join us. Text "BWHELP" to 269.581.2345. (Registration for attendees later).

To submit or read more announcements visit pmchurch.org/announcements

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