

**:: You are invited to get involved at FCC ::**

**Welcome All Guests** ... We are honored that you are here today and hope that you have felt welcomed. Please stop by our Welcome Center and receive a free gift as a token of our appreciation!

**Where Do I Go From Here?** ... Have you responded to God's grace today? Connect with any member of our staff set up a time to talk more or just to ask questions! We are here for you!

**Welcome** ... We are excited to welcome the Supple family to our staff and church family! Pastor Troy is serving as our Youth Pastor. Continue to lift up Troy, Nicole, Madison and Braylen as they transition to the Flushing area this month!

**Global Mission Team** ... A work team from FCC is on their way home today from West Virginia assisting several families in the rebuilding process from the recent flood. Pray for their continued safety as they travel home and hear about their trip next Sunday!

**Flushing Christian Outreach Center** ... The items the FCOC are requesting for the month of September are canned or bottle juice. Your generous donations can be dropped off in our church entry or taken directly to the FCOC (on McKinley north of Main). FCOC serves hundreds from our community every month and are always looking for wonderful new volunteers!

**Boost: Gods at War** ... In this six-part video study by Kyle Idleman, we're challenged to consider that perhaps all sin springs from the same source--idolatry. Plan to join us Wednesday nights, Oct. 5-Nov. 9, for meaningful conversation that will provide a spiritual boost in your journey by engaging in study and discussion together. Sign up at the Welcome Center this morning!

**Prayer Walk** ... Our next Prayer Walk is Saturday, September 24. Meet us on the walking trail behind Bueche's at 4PM as we take time to seek God and lift one another up in the beauty of God's creation. See Johnny Popovits for details.



**Fight Night Marriage Conference** ... is coming to Flint Central Church on Saturday, November 12 at 6PM. We have purchased 40 tickets for this great night of inspiration from Drs. Les & Leslie Parrott. The Parrott's are leading voices in the area of Christian marriages. Sign up and pay (\$10/ticket) at the Welcome Center this morning!

**Church Directory** ... Our church directory is available through our website. You may update your information through the Friendship Folder (please write "change" by it). Submit an updated family picture to Mary Ann Korte at mak@flushingcommunity.org or see her following service today to have one taken!

**Loose Change** ... Stop by the Welcome Table today and drop your loose change in the big "baby bottle." These funds provide diapers for the East Side Mission.

**Online Giving** ... You can now visit our website and make a contribution online and enhance your worship through giving. Check it out by clicking "I'm An Attender" on the right side of the screen. There is also a mobile option through "E-giving Mobile" in your App Store.



In 2015, our Leadership began to have conversations about the future direction of our church both in terms of ministry focus and facility needs. In 2016, those conversations were revealed through our "Building A Legacy" missional campaign.

This campaign outlines three ministry objectives: reaching the entire family, effective communication of God's Word, and furthering our burden and care for others. Out of these objectives, we feel it's critical to develop a better leadership structure, practice systematic giving, and expand and renovate our current facility.

We are excited to see how God will continue to show his faithfulness to each of us as we participate in sacrificial giving over the three year campaign timeline. Our expansion estimate stands at \$1.2M and with our current debt, we hoped to raise \$1.65M. Currently, over \$1,130,000 has been pledged to help us achieve our ministry and facility goals.

To get an update on the progress of our campaign, visit our website and click "Legacy." To begin your participation, you can find a Legacy booklet and pledge card at the Welcome Center this morning! What kind of legacy will you leave for others?

Stewardship Report:	Giving for Month of August	Monthly Goal:	Given Fiscal YTD:	Annual Budget Goal:
Tithes and Offerings:	\$34,367	\$37,308	\$248,441	\$447,701
Worship Attendance:	Last Week: 343	Aug Ave: 252		

Building A Legacy Campaign: Pledged: \$1,138,296 Given: \$563,556

*Monthly giving includes online giving as well as contributions given on Sundays.  
Our Fiscal YTD is March to February (established by our Nazarene District)*

**:: Our Leadership Team ::**

- Terry Bate** (Lead Pastor) ..... terry@flushingcommunity.org
- Steve Close** (Creative Arts) ..... pastorsteveclose@yahoo.com
- Troy Supple** (Youth Ministries) ..... troy@flushingcommunity.org
- Darcy Smith** (Children's Ministries) ..... darcy@flushingcommunity.org
- Mike DeVuyst** (Spiritual Formation) ..... mike@flushingcommunity.org
- Bob Coe** (Mercy & Care) ..... bobcoe@comcast.net
- Mary Ann Korte** (Administrator) ..... mak@flushingcommunity.org

**Our Church Board Members:**

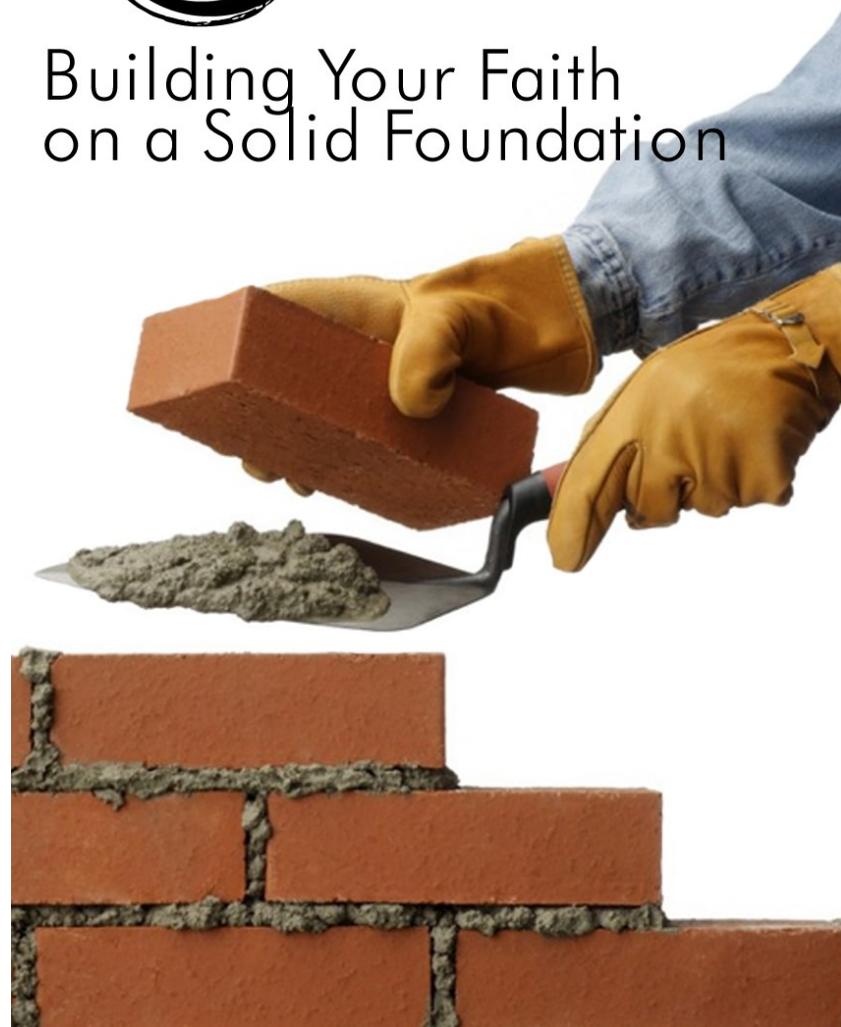
- Tom Adams (2019) | Jodie Barclay (2019) | Kari Burba (2017)
- Rich Christopher (2017) | Bob Cole (2018) | Colleen Sayers (2018)

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Building Your Faith on a Solid Foundation



*We are so honored & glad you are here!*

**September 18, 2016**

Today is going to be a great day to experience the power of God. We are excited that you have chosen to join us on this Sunday morning! You find yourself in a safe place today to engage your faith and your questions.

As we launch into another wonderful fall in Michigan, we felt it was a good time to sit back and consider some basics of our faith. For the next several weeks, we will be considering some of the foundational truths of our walk with God. Too often we cannot articulate the essentials of the Christian walk. So each Sunday, we hope to challenge and encourage everyone to know what they believe and why it's important to believe it!

Grab some coffee, find a comfortable seat and open your heart to the work of God today. Sing with us. Pray with us. Stay with us!

### **We invite you to join the conversation!**

There is more to our worship experience than Sunday mornings! We invite you to plug into the several ways we communicate throughout the week utilizing social media and email!

#### **Event on the YouVersion Bible App**

Download the free *YouVersion Bible App* for this helpful tool that makes the Bible accessible anywhere! Click the menu item "Events" and look for our church!



#### **Join our group on Facebook**

Flushing Community Church of the Nazarene  
"Check In" today and let your friends know!



#### **Sign up for Email Communications**

Get regular reminders directly in your inbox!  
mailto: mak@flushingcommunity.org



#### **Follow us Twitter!**

@FlushingCCNaz | Today: #FCCiBelieve



#### **Worship through Giving!**

Scan this code to go to our online giving site!

Every life that is touched, every child that is fed,  
every spiritual seed that is sown is made possible  
through the sacrificial giving of the congregation!  
Discover the blessing of giving today at our offering  
boxes located in the gym or give online.



## Kid City & Club 56 Ministries:

**September's Life App: Trust**  
"putting your confidence in someone you can depend on"

**Kid City ...** "Joseph in Charge" ~ The story of Joseph being put in charge of Egypt (Genesis 41). The bottom line is that "When the pressure is on, you can trust God is with you." This month's memory verse is "Trust in the Lord with all your heart. Do not depend on your own understanding."  
*Proverbs 3:5-6*

**Club 56 ...** This month we are discovering what it means to 'Worship God'. This week we are looking at what it means to worship God with our whole heart.

**Sign-up for Bible Quizzing ...** If you want your child to learn the stories found in 1 & 2 Samuel, then sign them up for quizzing! We will be diving into DigSite #1 this morning so it's not too late to join us. If you haven't paid for your book, please do so today!!

**Quizzing Memory Verse CD ...** Get your own copy of this helpful CD at [www.hideandkeep.com](http://www.hideandkeep.com) for only \$8.

**Club 56 Fall Retreat ...** We are headed back to SpringHill for a great fall retreat November 11-13. Cost is \$130 (payable to the church) and the last day to sign up is October 2 - space is limited so don't wait. See Darcy for more details.

**Boost for Kids ...** We could use some extra volunteers for our Boost session with kids! See Ashley Wilson or Darcy Smith to sign up!



**West Virginia Flood Relief ...** Our team is on the way home from West Virginia. Contact Mike Romanack, FCC Global Missions Team Leader, [mnrom01@yahoo.com](mailto:mnrom01@yahoo.com) if you have a heart for global missions.

**Child Sponsorship ...** Our church is sponsoring 2 children through Nazarene Compassionate Ministries! Your gifts to Global Missions are making a difference!

## *Student Ministries:*

**Youth Group Tonight ...** Pastor Troy will be with us tonight at the Oak from 5:30 to 7PM. Bring a friend for a great night filled with laughter, food, and a challenging thought from God's Word!

**Stay Informed ...** The youth group is using the Remind App to communicate about upcoming events and Sunday nights. Get the details on our website to sign up for student or parent Remind messages.

**High School 5th Quarter ...** We'll keep the game going next Friday, September 30 at the Oak Ministry Center. Invite all your high school friends to join us after the game until 11:30PM! Cost to get in is only \$3 and we'll have pizza, drinks, bonfire, and lots of games!

## **:: Prayer & Praises ::**

We believe in prayer and that it impacts lives! Take time to pray over these needs and take some tangible steps to encourage those laid on your heart!

**Bill Freeman:** upcoming heart surgery

**Carol Kerry:** undergoing testing at Mayo Clinic this week

**The Supple Family:** in their transition to Flushing

**Battling Cancer:** Lee Kerry, Danette Samson

**Those Recovering:** Carol Kerry, Sharon Ledger, Richard Quintal, Chloe Sayers, Stanley Wilson, Landon Young

**Expectant Mothers:** Ashley Chaney, Jessica Lyden

**Global Missions:** safe return today from West Virginia

**General Prayers to remember ...**

**Our Staff & Leadership:** wisdom, protection, unity, and vision.

**Children's Leadership:** Pray for direction in Children's Pastor search

**Families & Marriages:** many facing rough times, separation, divorce

**Our Missionaries:** Megan Dietrich (Cambodia); Ian & Erin Maclay (Atlanta - Global Frontier Missions)

**Our Soldiers ...** Josh Barber (USMC); Alyssa Freeman (USAF-South Carolina); Allan Hadland (USARMY - Kansas); Josh Keeler (USAF-South Carolina); Marcos Lambaria (US Marines); Matthew Lockitski (USARMY - Ft. Benning); Andrew Marks (USAF- Kansas); Conner Robertson (Naval Academy); Tyler Salem (USARMY - Texas); Ben Shelton (Coast Guard - Alaska); Zack VanWormer (USARMY-Ft. Benning, GA); Jacob Wittbrodt (US Marines - San Diego).

*If you have a prayer concern, please let us know!*



Other prayer requests are available on our iPray Guide which is emailed out each week to those who have signed up for it. You can request a copy by emailing [mak@flushingcommunity.org](mailto:mak@flushingcommunity.org)

## **:: Upcoming Events & Dates ::**

### **September**

- 18 ..... Supple Welcome Dinner After Worship
- 20 ..... Ladies Tuesday Morning Small Group at the Oak (9:30 AM)
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- 21 ..... Spiritual Life Team Meeting at the Church (6:30 PM)
- 24 ..... Prayer Walk (4:00 PM)
- 27 ..... Global Missions Team Meeting at Church (7:00 PM)
- 30 ..... High School 5th Quarter at the Oak (9:00 PM)

### **October**

- 03 ..... Mercy Team Meeting at Church (7:00 PM)
- 05 ..... Boost Begins at Church (6:30 PM)

**Join us Next Week for Worship at 10:30 AM**

*Get involved . . . Get connected!*

*See our complete calendar at [flushingcommunity.org](http://flushingcommunity.org) and follow us on Facebook!!*