

**Sun. Jan. 21, 2018**

8:15 Worship  
 9:30 Impact Zone(Sunday School)  
 9:30 Adult Sunday School  
 11:00 Worship

**Mon. Jan. 22, 2018**

3:00 CC (Terpening)  
 6:00 Cub Scouts  
 6:15 Weights w/Pat  
 7:00 Yoga  
 7:00 WISE

**Tues. Jan. 23, 2018**

12:00 Prayer & VCI  
 6:00 Cub Scouts

**Wed., Jan. 24, 2018**

9:00 F.R.O.G.S.  
 10:00 STONECROFT  
     BIBLE STUDY .  
 3:00 Girl Scouts  
 6:15 WEIGHTS  
     W/ PAT LEWIS  
 6:00 Bible Study  
 6-7 Library in use

**Giving Report Jan. 14, 2018**

Gen Fund: \$3,626.00  
 Child Care Operations: \$80  
 Child Care Bldg. Center: \$931  
 Pastor's Discretionary Fund: \$95  
 Groves: \$25 Food Truck \$30.00  
 Saturday Soup: \$10  
 Baby Pantry: \$10.00 Camp: \$20  
 Tables(Wills and Bequests): \$50  
EXTRA MILE GIVING FOR  
JANUARY WILL BE FOR  
THE PASTOR'S

**Attendance last Sunday 1/14**

8:15: 34 11:00: 101  
 Last year  
 23      124

**Thurs. Jan. 25, 2018**

10:00 QUILTING  
 12 NOON AA  
 7 P.M. YOUTH & CHOIR  
 8 P.M. AA

**Fri., Jan 26, 2018****Sat. Jan. 27, 2018**

4-6 p.m.  
 SATURDAY SOUP  
Sun. Jan. 28, 2018

8:15 Worship  
 9:30 Impact Zone(Sunday School)  
 9:30 Adult Sunday School  
 11:00 Worship

**Choir Practices Every  
 Thursday Night From  
 7-8 In The Choir Room.  
 Please join us!!**

**All Are Invited To The  
 Pastor's Office For A  
 Time Of Prayer at noon on  
 Tuesdays. This prayer time  
 will focus on asking God to  
 guide, direct, and help us to  
 dream God's dreams and  
 step into God's plans for  
 our church. All are invited to  
 join. VCI Team members  
 and any who wish to  
 participate will meet  
 afterward to share  
 understandings, implement  
 God's leadings, and  
 address preparations for  
 our VCI consultation in  
 February.**

**SMALL GROUPS, PLEASE JOIN US!!**

**THE AGAPE ADULT CLASS (Small Group)** 9:35 am. in Fellowship Hall (basement of the sanctuary building). The Agape Class is studying the book of Luke with material by N.T. Wright for guidance. Please arrive a few minutes early. Newcomers are welcome. Lucy Monzo **[No class on 12/24]** **WISE, a women's small group** meets on Mondays at 7 PM in the Trinity Coffee Center. We use the Pine St. door (circle drive entrance). You are always welcome, even if you're not available each week.

Contact: Sue Neff , 386-7633, [sgneff@chartermi.net](mailto:sgneff@chartermi.net)

**Wednesday Night Bible Study Group at 6:30pm**

in the trinity room. We are doing a study on the book The Shack. Please let Cathy Frederick know if you would like to join and need a book. phone #418-8579, email: [cfrederick1960@gmail.com](mailto:cfrederick1960@gmail.com)

**F.R.O.G. (Small Group)** the Frog small group is studying Isaiah, using shepherd's notes. Shepherd's Notes give easy access to the Bible - one book at a time. They are not meant to be a substitute for the biblical text; rather, they are study guides intended to help you explore the wisdom of Scriptures in group study. Shepherd's Notes guide you through both the main themes of each book of the Bible and illuminate details through commentary and reference notes. Please think about joining us at 9:00 to 10:30, at the Bremers' 1421 Woodlawn.



Youth Group Thursdays, at 7:00PM  
 Impact Zone(Sunday School)  
 9:30AM every week!

**CHILD CARE CENTER DONATIONS**

**"MOTHER HUBBARD'S CUPBOARD"**  
**IN JANUARY WE WILL BE COLLECTING**  
**FACIAL TISSUES, KLEENEX,**  
**SEVENTH GEN, PUFFS ETC.**

**Elaine Green's address at her son Tim's house**

119 Old Course Rd., Newport Beach, CA 92660  
 C/o Tim Green  
 (949)759-9088

**Donna Doughty has moved to an Assisted Living in Gaylord,**

Her new address is  
 Donna Doughty  
 Woodland Acres, 2796 Plywood Rd.  
 Gaylord, MI 49735

**FMSC Event in Clare,  
September 27 & 28**

**Feed My Starving Children**, founded in 1987, is a Christian non-profit that provides nutritionally complete meals specifically formulated for malnourished children. Nearly 2 billion meals have been shipped to date. The 1<sup>st</sup> local packing event was held in 2009, sponsored locally by the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. The next event will be Sept. 27-28. Your prayers and support are appreciated. You may make contributions to support the local packing through your church giving envelope.

**"WYATT MACGREGOR'S FARM" BABY SHOWER**

Church ladies, young and old, are invited to attend a Baby Shower for **Wyatt James MacGregor**, the planned March arrival of Dylan, Rachel, and McKayla MacGregor

It will be held on: **FEBRUARY 3, 2018**

From: **11:00 am until 2:30 pm**

In the: **FELLOWSHIP HALL OF THE CLARE**

**U.M.C.**

**R.S.V.P to Deb Kasper – 989-386-7683 or 269-228-0924 by January 26, 2018.**

- You may wish to include a book in lieu of a card.
- There will be a "Creative Diaper Contest", where you are encouraged to get a package of diapers and decorate the collection of diapers into something interesting. There are many ideas on Pinterest. (ie "Diaper Cakes") When removing the diapers from the package, please write the size on each diaper, so it does not become a guessing game later for Rachel and Dylan.
- Colors are: **Blue, Green, Tan and Brown**
- They are registered at:  
**My Registry:**  
<https://www.myregistry.com/baby-registry/Rachel-MacGregor-and-Dylan-MacGregor-Shepherd-MI/1015050>

**Target:**

giftgiver?  
RegistryId=227ddafdb2d94b74ab95f270  
064da54f4

**AMAZON**

[Hhttps://www.amazon.com/baby-reg/Rachel-macgregor-dylan-macgregor-march-2018-shepherd/3W7FDLL6P7BW](https://www.amazon.com/baby-reg/Rachel-macgregor-dylan-macgregor-march-2018-shepherd/3W7FDLL6P7BW)

Thank you! We are looking forward to you coming to this fun event!

Hope to see you then!

**FREE**

**Saturday Soup**

4-6 p.m.

**At Clare United Methodist Church, 105 E. 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Clare**

**Last Saturday of every month**

**SOUP SANDWICHES**

**DESSERT**

**LEMONADE MILK**

**COFFEE & TEA**

**Music!**

**Please come join us**

If you have questions call

**989-506-1812 or 989-588-2256**

# Happy Birthday

**We are having an 80<sup>th</sup>  
Birthday Card Shower for  
Tom Beatty, his birthday is January 27<sup>th</sup>. His address is  
3898 Herrick Rd., Clare, MI 48617**

**Pre Consultation Workshop.** A VCI pre-consultation workshop has been set for Wednesday, January 31, 7pm. This workshop, led by one of the members of the consultation team, will give some understanding of and direction for the Consultation Weekend set for Friday to Sunday, February 23-25. While the church leadership is requested to be in attendance, the workshop is open to all who desire to attend.

## **SUPER SUNDAY IS NEXT SUNDAY**

**Heartland and Grand Traverse Districts invite you to a  
FREE Super Sunday Training Event!**

*This event, strategically scheduled between Playoffs and the Super Bowl, is specifically designed to help equip your church's current and future leaders for service in and through the body of Christ! What super gifts has God given YOU to use in service for Him? Breakouts include: SPRC and Conflict Resolution, Trustees, Nominations, Finances and Stewardship, Church Outreach. Spiritual Disciplines and Faith Formation, Administrative Council and Governance Chairs, and Faith, Food and Hospitality! (see flyers in the lobby for categories)*

**GRIEF SHARE STARTING TUESDAY, FEB. 6<sup>TH</sup>  
FROM 5:30-7 P.M. AT THE CLARE CHURCH OF THE  
NAZERENE. ENTER AT THE SOUTH EXIT.**

**QUESTIONS CONTACT KATHY WARNER 989-506-1037**

*Grief share is a friendly, Christ centered caring group of people who will walk along-side you through one of life's most difficult experiences. It is a 13 week grief class with video and discussion and home study to help you in your grief journey. We will meet every Tuesday at 5:30.*