

November 24, 2018

SABBATH SCHOOL - 9:30 AM

Opening Song	<i>"Go, Tell It on the Mountain"</i>	#121
Prayer & Welcome		Dan Spaulding
Mission Emphasis	<i>"Making Missions Important Again"</i>	Dan Spaulding
Lesson Study		Classes

PREPARING FOR WORSHIP - 10:30 AM

Prelude		Alena Jurek
Hymn Sing		Jerry Saraun
Welcome		Rob Zdor
Hymn of Preparation	<i>"Like Jesus"</i>	#492
Call to Worship	#856	Sylvia Fagal

CHURCH AT WORSHIP - 11:00 AM

Introit		
Hymn of Praise*	<i>"Now Thank We All Our God"</i>	#559
Prayer <sup>†</sup>		Rob Zdor
Tithes & Offerings	<i>Michigan Advance Partners</i>	Darryl Hosford
Doxology*		#694
Lamb's Offering & Children's Story		Lynette Quinty
Scripture	<i>Exodus 34:5-7</i>	Luke Arthur
Ministry in Music		
Sermon	<i>"Gifts, or the Giver?"</i>	Jeff Arthur
Hymn of Response*	<i>"To God Be the Glory"</i>	#341
Closing Prayer*		Jeff Arthur
Closing Response*	<i>"We Have This Hope"</i>	#214
Postlude		Alena Jurek

\*congregation please stand

<sup>†</sup>congregation please kneel

**Thank you** for being here with us today! We pray that you will be drawn by Jesus' love to come again. As we reverently gather before the throne of grace, we seek the Holy Spirit's power to make us like Jesus and to be a blessing to others.

**Following the church service**, all who wish may remain in the sanctuary for quiet prayer and meditation. All others are asked to hold their conversations until they have left the sanctuary. Thank you for helping to maintain a reverent atmosphere.

**Next week's offering** is for the Local Combined Budget.

**The elder on call** next week is Pat Warner. His phone number is 978-230-1868.

**The church choir** will meet today 10 minutes after the close of the service in the junior room. If you are not yet part of the choir, you are welcome to join them.

**Prayer meeting will meet** on Wednesday night at 7:00 p.m. here at the church and at 6:30 p.m. at the Hosford home in Berrien Springs.

**Our December fellowship meal** will be on the second Sabbath following the annual Christmas program. Next Sabbath you are invited to join the church for a day of fasting and prayer, followed by a light evening meal.

**The church directory** is being updated. Please check with a greeter today to be sure your information is up to date.

**Bulletin information** should be sent by Wednesday noon to Valerie Anderson at [bulletin@fairplainadventist.org](mailto:bulletin@fairplainadventist.org) or 471-7303.

**Sabbath** ends tonight at 5:17 p.m. and begins again next Friday at 5:14 p.m.

## Recounting His Blessings

*"All our future rests with our individual action in opening our heart to receive the Prince of peace. Our minds can find quiet and rest in and through committing ourselves to Christ, in whom is efficiency of power. Having secured that peace, that comfort, that hope, which He offers to your soul, your heart will be rejoicing in God our Saviour for the great and wondrous hope presented to you as an individual who recognizes the Great Gift. Then you will be so thankful that you will praise God for the great love and grace bestowed upon you. Behold your Helper, Jesus Christ. Welcome Him, and invite His gracious presence. Your mind may be renewed day by day, and it is your privilege to accept peace and rest, rise above worries, and praise God for your blessings. Do not erect barriers of objectionable things to keep Jesus away from your soul. Change your voice; repine not; let gratitude be expressed for the great love of Christ that has been and is still being shown toward you" Mind, Character, and Personality, Volume I, p. 68.*

## Seeking His Aid

Bob & Edith Costie	Ely Meyer
Emilie Bermingham	Pauline Maxwell
Linda Cuchinski and her family	Ruby Walker
Those involved with Bible studies	Betty Street

## Here to Serve You

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