



VBS REGISTRATION IS OPEN! Please sign your child up online: [https://](https://southridgechurch.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/226/responses/new)

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VBS, Circus of Stars will take place Monday, June 25th - Friday, June 29th for children entering kindergarten - 5th grade. We need volunteers! Please sign up here: https://southridgechurch.ccbchurch.com/need_detail.php?need_id=616.

Each week, the Later Elementary (1st-5th) students will continue to worship in the sanctuary with their small group! Please walk your child down front in the sanctuary to meet up with their small group leader.

The summer is a time of rest and renewal for several of our regular RidgeKidz leaders. Many of our regularly schedule leaders will take the summer off to be filled and to attend services with their families. We ask that RidgeKidz parents sign-up for a date or two in the summer to help. Please sign up here: https://southridgechurch.ccbchurch.com/need_detail.php?need_id=621.

Our final Ridge45 Fun Night for 4th and 5th graders is next Friday, May 4th! Register your child here: <https://southridgechurch.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/229/responses/new>.



Join us Friday as we worship, have fun and continue our series on Zeal. Can't wait to see you!



We meet tonight to play games, worship and continue our series on Zeal. **8th graders don't forget tonight is your night to come to Ridge912.** Bring a friend and see you there.

ALPHA— **Parents, mentors, and students we are meeting** May 6th, after service in room 122b. Please plan on attending.

Additional information about Southridge can be found on our website: southridgechurch.com.



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Welcome to Southridge

April 29, 2018

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Rev. Dr. Mark Vanderson

Congregational Care Team: We have a team of volunteers who are here to help with the following needs for our church family; transportation, meals and financial. Please contact the church office at 353-2700 and we will connect you with someone.

Families with young children: If you choose to have your child worship with you and they become unsettled, please exit through the main doors. You may bring them to their RidgeKidz room or view the service from the monitor in the Holy Grounds Cafe. Nursing moms may use the infant room (132) to take care of baby's needs while viewing the service from the monitor in that room.

We Have An App! Head to the Play store or App Store and search for Southridge Church Kalamazoo to download and start using the app. The directory, The Ticket, sermon notes, messages, calendar, mobile giving, signups and more are all now at your fingertips!

The Ticket Connection cards: Please fill out the Ticket if you are a first time guest with us or to share your prayer requests. Place your completed Tickets in the wall baskets at each door in the Worship Center.

We are seeking women ages 18 and up to join us twice a month for "CONNECT." God has brought us together for a purpose, so let's CONNECT, and support one another as we journey ahead into our future. Our first two meetings will be Wednesday, May 9th

and 23rd from 5:30-7pm. A light meal will be provided. Hopefully you are able to come both evenings. **For more information or to RSVP no later than Wednesday, May 2nd for May 9th and no later than May 16th for May 23rd please contact Terri Norris at terriscotts2@aol.com.**

Church Office Hours: Monday-Friday—8:30-4:00 p.m.
Office Closed Monday-Friday, noon—1:00 for lunch



RIDGE HAPPENINGS

The Costa Rica mission team would like to ask for your support as we prepare to leave on June 30. We will have a poster in the lobby for the next two weeks and are requesting help with some donations to take with us. Please stop by and someone from the team will answer any questions you may have. Thank you so much for your help and support! The 2018 Costa Rica Team.

Interested in becoming a Southridge Church member?

Please contact Pastor Mark at mvanderson@southridgechurch.com or call the office at 269-353-2700.

Pastor Benard Ondiek will be with us to share an update on his ministry in Kenya next Sunday, May 6th.

"The "Well" is a gathering to glorify God and worship together in a more intimate experience. Join us as we come together the first 4 Wednesday evenings of May at 7:00pm in the Oasis.

Students who have been mentoring this year will be making their public profession of faith on May 13th. This is always an exciting morning for them and our congregation. We hope you can be there to celebrate with them.

Little Miracles Preschool is hiring to fill the part-time position of Teacher Assistant for the coming preschool year of 2018-19, starting in September. For more information call 269-353-2700. Please send your resume to littlemiracles@southridgechurch.com.

It's time to think about Preschool for your three- or four-year old!

Little Miracles Christian Learning Center enrollment for 2018-19 is happening now. Please call Little Miracles for information and to schedule a visit, 353-2700 ext. 222.

Save the Dates!

Outdoor Worship and Grill & Chill on June 24, July 15 & August 12. Grill & Chill will follow each service.

Jesus Loves Kalamazoo - July 8-13—We will be hosting our Grill & Prayer nights on Monday, July 9 & Wednesday, July 11. For more information check out: <http://jesusloveskzoo.org/catalyst-week/>

Men's Ministry

Join us for a Growler's game May 29—Tickets will be available in the lobby on Sunday, May 6, 13 & 20.

Work Project

Saturday, June 23 at 9:00am
We will be cleaning the inflatables for VBS and could use your help!

Bean Bag Tournament

Wednesday, August 8
Food, beverages and a lot of fun!
Save the date.