



Children 1st - 5th grades will be released to Large Group in the Oasis at 10:10am or when the #60 is shown on the digital screens at the front of the Worship Center.

Mark your calendars! VBS is June 24th - 28th from 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. for children entering K - 5th grade. **CHILD registration is required. To Register your child, Volunteer and/or Snack Donations** please sign up online at www.southridgechurch.com.



During the summer, our regularly scheduled RidgeKidz Leaders are encouraged to take the summer off to rest and renew their spirits. Our Leaders are invaluable and we want them rejuvenated and ready to serve your Littles beginning in the fall.

Would you please consider helping in RidgeKidz ONE SUNDAY this summer? You will not be asked to lead any groups - we just need you to be present and available to assist children with directions, crafts, etc. Older children (entering 6th grade or older) are encouraged to step in as co-leaders during the summer months as well! You can find open volunteer dates by clicking this link (AND THANK YOU!): https://southridgechurch.ccbchurch.com/need_detail.php?need_id=711

Stay connected! Join our Facebook group, SRCRidgeKidz!



This Friday is Small Group Night Out. Check out the student newsletter or contact your small group leader to know where and when you're meeting. Don't miss it!



There'll be **NO** ridge 912 tonight! We will see you next week for service.

Graduates: June 9th we'll be celebrating our HS Seniors and College graduates on Sunday morning. This will be a special time for students and parents. Please, let Andrew know if you'll be attending that morning at amelen-dez@southridgechurch.com.



2. Overcoming the Curse of Comparison that Destroys Contentment

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SOUTHRIDGE CHURCH

May 12, 2019

Happy Mother's Day

Celebrating Confirmands Joining Church

Mentee

Isabel Eavey

Paige Waldrup—Receiving Baptism

Brady Hunt—Receiving Baptism

Harper Eldridge

Mentors

Suzanne Eldridge

Betsy Geddings

Jon Mathiesen

Sarah Hunt

It's All In Your Mind

2. "Overcoming the Curse of Comparison that Destroys Contentment"

Rev. Dr. Mark Vanderson

Congregational Care Team:

- 1) If you are in need of prayer on Sunday morning, our Contend prayer team is here to help. Look for one of our team members in the blue shirts and we'll be happy to pray with you anytime before or after worship.
- 2) 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.

App Info: Head to the Playstore or App Store and search for Southridge Church Kalamazoo to download and start using the app. The directory, sermon notes, calendar, mobile giving, sign-ups and more are at your fingertips!

The Ticket Connection Card for our First Time Visitor and also Prayer Requests is available at Connections Central in the lobby area.

CONNECT WITH US

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Office Hours:

Tuesday & Friday—8:30-4:00pm—

Office closed: 12:00-1:00, Wednesdays Staff Meeting—9:00-11:00

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

 We celebrate and say thank you to Beth Vanderson as she

retires from her role as Teacher and Director of our Southridge Little Miracles Preschool. Miss Beth has loved, served, and taught hundreds of children over the past 17 years and she'll never know the impact she has had on not only her students but their families as well. Her greatest goal has always been to help every child in her classroom to know how much Jesus loves them and God has used and blessed her immensely. If you'd like to thank Miss Beth or share a special memory with her, cards can be sent to her at 6726 Texas Dr., Kal, MI 49009. Miss Beth, on behalf of your Southridge and Little Miracles family, we say well done good and faithful servant!

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Ladies Lunch Bunch will be meeting on Thursday, May 16 at Fieldstone Grill in Woodbridge at 11:30. All ladies are welcome!

Men's Night at the Growlers Game, Tuesday, May 28— Cost is \$23 for the game ticket, food buffet, pop and water. Sign-up in the lobby today.

Do you have a welcoming heart, contagious smile and love meeting new people? Consider joining the First Impressions Team. Meet with Terri Norris at the Ministry Table in the lobby today or you can contact her at terriscotts2@aol.com for more information. The commitment of time is very minimal, once a month. Try it!

How about cuddling a cute baby or playing with a toddler for an hour once a month in our nursery? We are looking for loving volunteers to help with our little ones. See Mary DeHaan in the lobby area today or contact her at mdehaan@southridgechurch.com.

We are excited to announce the nominees to serve on our Consistory June 2019 thru May 2022. The Elder nominees are Kelly Vanlaningham and Jon Mathiesen. The Deacon nominees are Amy Taylor and Todd Boekeloo. A congregational meeting email will be emailed to you on May 21 allowing you to vote for the nominees until May 29. For those not receiving emails, letters to the congregation and ballots are available in the lobby May 21—29th.

We are grateful for Elders and Deacons; Judy Roberts and Dave Bonnewell and Deacons; Jen Backer and Jeff Cole who have given their time in serving on Consistory these last 3 years. **Installation and Appreciation Sunday** on Sunday, June 2 for our new and past Consistory members. Please join us for this special Sunday.