



**A huge, heartfelt THANK YOU** to those who served in and participated in this year's VICTORY VBS! Thank you so much to those who graciously donated food items, time, and materials. It would not have been a success without you! "The Lord is my strength and my song; He has given me VICTORY!" Psalm 118:14

**Children 1st - 5th grades will be released to Large Group** in the Oasis at 10:15am or when the #60 is shown on the digital screens at the front of the Worship Center.



**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](https://southridgechurch.ccbchurch.com/need_detail.php?need_id=711).

**Our Summer Schedule has begun!** Pre/K children will stay in Room 146 for the entire morning. 1st - 5th graders will remain in the Oasis for the morning. Please pick up your child in Room 146 or in the Oasis. We will not be breaking up into small groups for the summer.

**Stay connected!** Join our Facebook group, SRCRidgeKidz!



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**Summer Events are happening here at the Ridge!** For details on all events, please see our Student newsletter, Southridge weekly, Instagram and Facebook accounts. We can't wait to see you!



**Dealing with those who are Critical and Needy**

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# SOUTHRIDGE CHURCH

July 14, 2019

## Love Your Neighbor

3. Dealing with those who are  
Critical and Needy  
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!

## CONNECT WITH US

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Office Hours:

Tuesday-Thursday—8:30-2:00pm & Friday—8:30-noon

Office closed: 12:00-1:00, Wednesdays Staff Meeting—9:00-11:00 & July 4th & 5th

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Please welcome** home our bikers today. The kids LOVE the big welcome home they have received in past years from SRC! Please be watchful of the children and bikers in the parking lot.

**THANK YOU** to everyone who gave time, money and prayers to Jesus Loves Kzoo Catalyst Week 2019! The love of Jesus was evident when we united as the Church and ministered to our community. We pray that everyone who served was blessed.

**Connect Women's Bible study** for women, ages 18 and up. We'll be meeting on July 17 & 31, August 7 & 21 with a series called "Not Alone". Contact Terri at [terriscotts2@aol.com](mailto:terriscotts2@aol.com) if you have any questions.

**Ladies Lunch Bunch** will be meeting on July 18 at 11:30 at The Cove on Portage Road at West Lake. All Ladies are welcome!

**We will be celebrating the Lord's Supper August 4th.** Our communion offering will support Urban Alliance in Kalamazoo.

**The 2nd Annual Southridge Men's group Bean Bag (Cornhole Tournament)** will be on Wednesday, August 7 at Burgertown (locate at 9136 Shaver Rd in Portage) starting at 6pm. There will be specials on wings and beverages. Please sign up at the ministry table in the lobby asap so we can put you in the Brackets! All me (and their friends) are invited. No charge to sign up and play - it will be a great time!! Please contact Bill Carpenter (269) 547-7120) or Jim Carroll (765) 432-7045) for additional information.

**Last Outdoor Worship & Grill and Chill** will be on August 11. Don't forget to bring your chairs!

**Our Annual Church Picnic** takes place Sunday, September 8th following the worship time.

## SERVING OPPORTUNITY

**The Romence Road Food Panty** is in need of additional volunteers! We are looking for 1-2 people willing to stock and set up for one hour on Mondays from 11:30 am – 12:30 pm. The commitment could be once a month or more to accommodate your schedule. Please contact Michelle Bengsch at [bengsch@charter.net](mailto:bengsch@charter.net) or (269) 720-4578. You'll be joining a great group of volunteers meeting real needs in the name of Christ!