

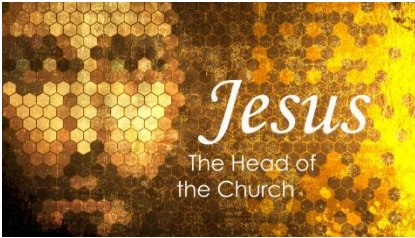
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# The POINT!

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### JULY THEMES

- 4 Independence**
- 11 Faithfulness**
- 18 Love**
- 25 Conquerors**

### BIBLE SCHOOL

**9:30 AM**

- 4 Dragon Frustrated**
- 11 Beast of Sea**
- 18 Beast of Earth**
- 25 144,000**

### SERMON SERIES

**Sunday Morning**

- 4 Dependence**
- 11 Lose Way**
- 18 Greater Way**
- 25 Life In Christ**



Remember to pray for  
School Administration  
& Carter Middle School



Our Society (and the individuals within) are faced with multiple challenges and are trying to determine how to deal with them. Society will oft responds with throw more \$\$ & resources at it; and then wonders why it's still a problem. Individuals face the same dilemma.

Does it surprise anyone that GOD has the ANSWER? In fact, HE IS THE ANSWER! When He created the universe, He did not see everything was "very good" and then just left it to be. He remained involved, encouraging people to come to Him and seek His wisdom and help. For the Christian, God has taken it a step farther in placing His Spirit within that individual.

So what does this have to do with society and individual problems? We learn from God that it is not throw something at the problem and walk away; it is stay involved and work with others THROUGH that situation (and others that WILL arise).

We have experienced this as a congregation. Our continued involvement enables us to be aware, meet needs, prevent some problems from arising and remind people that THEY ARE IMPORTANT; to God and us!

Many of our foreign contacts have found greater blessing in our daily contact, prayer and encouragement than they would have a monetary gift they thought they needed to address a need.

People from numerous states and various congregations in Michigan are finding the encouragement and support they need by our daily social media posts.

This continued involvement approach has allwed us a "seat at the table" with local leaders. Now we will be working with community leaders and area preachers on developing this type of "community" where we get actively involved in the lives of others. We will continue to encourage and develop the depth of our fellowship at Pine Run and continue to be an inspiration and example for others.



### Food Distributions

Residents from 15 communities spanning 6 counties were blessed at this past Food Distribution. KEY to that are the volunteers that come out. That was especially helpful this month as we ended up renting a truck, made a trip on Friday for food (thankful for Burleys for their hard work at getting it unloaded and stored) and then another trip on Saturday morning (ended up unloading ¾ of truck by hand and our volunteers made that happen!) We ended up handing out over 18,000 lbs of food in less than 2 hours!

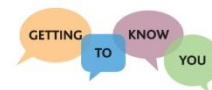
Great way to help others. Some come and work onsite; we have numerous others that wait in line and pick up food for family, friends and neighbors. Still others, help us get the message out; which has been critical with cancellations and rescheduling that has taken place the past few months.

**Saturday: July 10<sup>th</sup>**

**9 – 11 am**

**Burley Farm**

**1271 W. Dodge Road**



**As you go through your week, take time to talk to others, listen for areas they could use help, then pray and find ways to get them through that challenge! Need ideas for resources? let us know!**