



WSBC welcomes both the “scattered” and the “gathered” church to remain connected and active. Thank you for your complete cooperation, patience and grace given as you personally prepare to gather at WSBC each week.

What to expect at WSBC.

As a result of the pandemic (COVID-19), it is necessary to make some changes in how we are used to gathering for worship. We must be intentional in providing reasonable guidelines and precautions for the good of your neighbors who attend and participate in our worship services. As such:

- Please monitor your (and your family members’) **health and temperature** and sanitize your hands before attending an on-site WSBC worship service.
- **Please stay home** - if you are sick, if you (or any family member) have a fever, if you have recently tested positive for COVID-19 with or without symptoms, or if you have had any close contact with a person who has been confirmed, suspected or is symptomatic of COVID-19.
- Plan to **arrive early** on Sunday mornings as doors will open 20 minutes before service times. (Service times are 9 and 11AM).
- Please **wear your own mask** while at WSBC.
- Please observe and maintain all **social distancing (6 feet)**, in the sanctuary *but also while coming and going*. Please, distance 6 feet from others, refrain from handshakes and hugs, avoid fellowshiping in hallways and the narthex, and minimize touching all surfaces.
- Help us accommodate both services. Please, do not linger in the sanctuary or narthex. **Fellowship with friends and family outside the building** along 45th Street and then walk around the church to the parking lot, bank or wherever you parked your vehicle.

Where Are You?
Genesis 16

Welcome and Call to Worship

Andante K. 278, Mozart

Sermon
Where Are You?
Genesis 16
Youth Minister Timothy Abbatacola

Come Behold the Wondrous Mystery
What a Beautiful Name
This is My Father’s World

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WELCOME
TO DISCOVER CHRIST AND DISPLAY HIS TRANSFORMING POWER

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Student of the Week is **Freshman** Grant McKenzie, Hope College.

Red rose on organ is in joyful celebration of the safe and healthy arrival of Cal Robert, born on July 23. He is welcomed by: parents Gretchen (Nyberg) and Hayes Thibodeaux; big brother, Tripp; and excited grandparents: Bob and Chari.

Beginning Wednesday, August 26, you may **make your worship service reservation** for **Sunday, August 30** at: wsbc.info/WorshipRSVP.

Women's Life Weekly Planning and Prayer in person and on ZOOM. We will meet each Thursday morning from **9-10AM** to pray for the Lord's guidance as we gather again on September 10. Please contact Audrey Ridlen if you have any questions.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5526349366?pwd=a2Z4S2FGSXNEeJ1L3Jlc1hyUUU3QT09>

Meeting ID: 552 634 9366; **Passcode:** WL2020

Women's Life (IDPH permitting): a **children's program** will be offered for nursery to kindergarten age children. Two more individuals are required to staff this program. Workers are paid from 8:45-11:15AM. If you are willing and available to provide this service, please contact Bri Hueber for details. Thank you for your consideration.

Nursery/Preschool ministry, please contact Bri Hueber or Pastor Joel if you are willing and able to serve our families and church this fall.

FINANCIAL

For 10 Months Ending 7/31/20	Actual Giving	Actual Expenses	Budget
General	\$685,900	\$656,600	\$705,600
Missions	\$236,300	\$210,700	\$269,200

CALENDAR

TODAY 23

9AM Worship
11AM Worship

<https://wsbc.info/online-stream/>

Facebook:

www.facebook.com/WSBCVillageChurch

<https://www.youtube.com/c/wsbcvillagechurch>

MONDAY 24

7PM Facility and Finance Meeting
8PM Women's Prayer on ZOOM

TUESDAY 25

8:30AM EMI Men's Group
7PM Praise Team Rehearsal
7PM *Prayers of the New Testament* Bible study on ZOOM

WEDNESDAY 26

9AM Worship Reservations accepted for August 30

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THURSDAY 27

9AM Women's Life Prayer

FRIDAY 28

SATURDAY 29

7AM Men's Bible Study

SUNDAY 30

9AM Worship
11AM Worship

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MISSION FOCUS

This week's missionary partners are serving in an undisclosed location, where they use their medical, spiritual and vocational abilities and gifts. They are very grateful for the support and prayers from WSBC and request your continued prayers.

Please pray for:

- COVID patients being treated by the husband, and for the health and safety of the family.
- the emotional difficulties of being isolated during this time for all family members.
- connection with their mentorship group in spite of the pandemic.
- formerly mentored students who are now starting careers and marriages.
- wisdom.