



October 5, 2025

For God's glory we exist to be a multi-generational body of worshippers, sharing the gospel of Jesus Christ, maturing disciples, and empowering them for active service in the Tri-Cities and throughout the world.

WELCOME

We're glad you're here!

Visiting? Stop by the *Welcome Center* in the Annex for a free gift and please take a minute to fill out a Connection Card. Paper Connection Cards are available in the pews and can be placed in the box on the *Prayers & Offerings* table. Digital Connection Cards are available on our website (firstgrandhaven.org) or on our church app. We also invite you to fill out the prayer requests on the back of the connection card and let us know how we can be praying for you throughout the week.

SUNDAYS AT FRC

KIDS & WORSHIP

We encourage worshipping together as a whole community (all ages). However, we know that it can be challenging for children to sit through the entire service. Below are a few options for those who need them.

Nursery - Birth through 4 years old

Family Room - directly above the sanctuary where you can see and hear the service.

Sermon Streaming - a room upstairs where the sermon video is playing and a child and parent have the freedom to move about, color, and take notes.

EQUIPPING HOUR

Following the worship service we have our Sunday Morning Equipping Hour, a Sunday School experience for all ages. The Equipping Hour for parents and children (up to 6th grade) are led by Pastor John. The focus of this time is on equipping parents to more effectively disciple their children. This week for parents and children Equipping Hour, Pastor John will be meeting with all the moms in the library. The Adult Equipping Hour is led by Skot Lokers and will meet in the upstairs fireside room. The Youth Group will meet in classroom one. We hope you'll stick around and join us for this important time of learning and growth!

A sound-proof family room is located in the back left corner overlooking the sanctuary where you can still see and hear the worship service.

Preaching - Pastor John Kenny

Title - Following Jesus Through Knowledge

Hearing aid assistance is available at the sound booth or you can use the T-Coil system.

Please join us for fellowship and refreshments after the worship service in the Multi-Purpose Room.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOOD PANTRY NEEDS (September 29 - October 12) - Hamburger Helper, Nutragrain bars, Pancake syrup, Animal crackers, Liquid hand soap, Shaving cream. Donations can be dropped off to the designated cart on the basement level outside of the elevator.

HAND 2 HAND NEEDS - Single serve or small canned pasta meals, small cans of tuna or chicken, and granola breakfast bars. Donations can be dropped off to the designated cart on the basement level outside of the elevator.

SUNDAY RESOURCES - Large print handouts are available on the information table on Sunday mornings. The handouts include a large print version of the song lyrics and liturgy that we use during the Sunday worship service.

MEN'S MINISTRY GATHERING - All men are invited to join us on Tuesday, October 7 at 11:30am in classroom 1 at the church building for our next Men's Ministry Gathering. Bring your lunch and we look forward to seeing you there!

PRAYER SHAWL GATHERING - Our next prayer shawl gathering meets Monday, October 13, at 1pm in the church library. Everyone is welcome!

THIS WEEK

Sunday:

9:30am - Worship Service (*In Person & Online*)

11am - Equipping Hour for all ages

Tuesday:

11:30am - Men's Ministry Gathering

Wednesday:

4:45pm - Community Dinner

6pm - AWANA and Youth Group

6:30pm - Adult Bible Study

Thursday:

10:30am - Women's Bible Study