

*IF YOU ARE ABLE PLEASE STAND

GATHERING PRAISE

Welcome & Call to Worship

* *O Worship The King* :: Hymnal 428* *In Christ Alone*

* Peace of the Church

HEARING GOD'S WORDChildren's Message :: *Children are dismissed to Children's Worship downstairs (Rm 5).*

Luke 14:15-23 :: "The Great Banquet"

CELEBRATING GOD'S GRACE

Communion, also called The Lord's Supper or the Eucharist, is the family meal of Christians. We invite all committed followers of Jesus Christ to partake of this sacrament: those who are baptized members of a church that proclaims the gospel, who are at peace with God and with their neighbor, and who seek strength to live more faithfully for Christ. If you are not a Christian, or if you are not prepared to share in this meal, we encourage you to spend this time in prayer.

Prayer for those searching for the truth: Lord Jesus, you claim to be the way, the truth, and the life. Help me not to fear the cost of following you as I consider the reasons for doing so. If what you claim is true, please guide me, teach me, and open me to the reality of who you are. Give me an understanding of you that is coherent, convincing, and that leads to the life you promise. Amen.

Prayer of belief: Lord Jesus Christ, I see that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever dared to admit, but through you I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared to hope. Thank you for paying my debt on the cross, taking what I deserved in order to offer me complete forgiveness. Believing that you have been raised from the dead, I turn from my sins and receive you as my Lord and Savior. Please come into my life by the power of your Spirit. Amen.

I Come With Joy to Meet My Lord :: Hymnal 311
Jesus, Messiah

RESPONDING WITH FAITH & SERVICE

Prayers of the People

Offerings: 1) God's Kingdom through Pleasant Street Church
2) PSCRC Christian Education Fund

* Benediction

* *Amazing Grace* :: Hymnal 462

If you would like to find out more about following Jesus, or if you desire prayer, come to the front of the sanctuary following worship and we will be there to pray for you.

PRAY

FOR: Marion Miedema recovering from hip surgery in Milford; Steve Lariviere's mother, Beatrice, in UMass; Ellie Van Houten & Shirley La Fleur's brother Jack Bosma (stroke); Doug Piquard's sister, Esther Peterson, who collapsed on Tuesday. Also Hank Ebbeling will have cancer surgery on August 2.

CONGRATULATIONS! Derek & Cindy (Plantinga) Hart who were married on July 22, 2011. May the Lord richly bless their new home!

BLESSINGS to Harold & Evelyn Haringa who celebrate their 63rd anniversary on August 3 and to Steve & Sandy Frieswick and Weber & Grace Figueiredo whose anniversaries are August 9.

In Loving Memory of
GEORGE EDWARD GIBSON, JR.
October 3, 1944 - July 17, 2011
My soul finds rest in God alone :: Psalm 62:1

THANK YOU for your prayers for George during his illness & our family after his passing. Kimberly, Kurt and I feel the love & care of our church family. Lauren Gibson

THANK YOU dear members of the congregation, for your cards and prayers at the passing of Art's mom, Jean Wynja. Art & Sandy Wynja and Ruth & Scott Gibbons

FAITH PROMISE FOR MISSIONS: Newsletters from our Canadian missionaries and the Spalinks were sent via email recently. Be sure to check them out! Hard copies are available near the Welcome Center. Thank you for your support of these ministries.

CONNECT

FAIRWOODS FUN! Wednesdays 5-8 PM - Bring swimwear, a towel, a picnic, Bible, neighbors & friends for a great night of fun! Come check it out!

DAY TRIP TO THE WHITE MOUNTAINS All ages! Monday, August 15, 6am-9pm. Hike Mount Chocorua & swim the Lower Falls. RSVP with Pastor Bill: pastorbill@psrc.org, 508.234.0596.

HIGH SCHOOL REALIFE: See you @ Fairwoods on Wednesday!

- Day Trip to Boston :: Tuesday August 2, 9:30 am-8pm :: RSVP to Jonathan Steele, jsteele@ccri.edu. Guys only.
- Homeless Ministry in Worcester. Sunday August 14, 12:45-3:30pm
- Girls Beach Trip :: Thursday August 18, 9 am-5pm. RSVP to Diane Milligan, 508.963.0652.
- Mini-Golf Tournament at West End :: August 22 - 7:00 pm

MIDDLE SCHOOL NITELIFE: See you @ Fairwoods on Wednesday!

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SINGLE WOMEN join us Sunday, August 28 after church at Fairwoods for a delightful afternoon enjoying the great summer weather in a beautiful place! Bring a brown bag lunch, game to share, chair, bathing suit & sunscreen. Contact Flo Jorritsma wbfaj@yahoo.com/508.234.8089 or Ruth Ruitter rruiter@juno.com/401.769.1082 with any questions.

ALL WOMEN! Studying God's Word is an important part of growing our faith. Join us at Coffee Break, an informal Tuesday morning Bible study from 9:30-11:00, beginning September 13 as we study *Courage in a Complicated World*. You do not need to know anything about the Bible. Wonderful refreshments and pre-school childcare are provided! For more info call Anna Bloem 508.234.4902.

SERVE

DECORATIONS FOR A BARN DANCE! On August 27 we are having a Barn Dance and we need your help! We'd love to borrow any: galvanized containers, white Christmas lights/candles, baskets, large mason jars, red & white checkered cloth items. Label items and drop them off at the parsonage ASAP. Call Sonia Zeyl 508.234.7756 or Becky Vanden Akker 508.234.4912 with any questions.

THE NAC WILL SPONSOR A RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE on Wednesday, August 17, from 2:00 - 7:00 pm at the American Legion Hall in Rockdale.

PLAY OUTSIDE PROJECT Peace of Bread is collecting new or gently used outside toys and sport equipment for kids in our community, i.e., bats, balls, skateboards, sand toys, outdoor games, etc. Place donations in the box in the fellowship hall.

SERVING THIS SUNDAY @ PLEASANT STREET

- **Audio-Visual:** Matt Finger, Dennon Audette, Christian Van der Schijff
- **Ushers:** Alan Bol, Carl Larsson
- **Coffee Set-Up:** John & Gail Dugan
- **Greeters:** *Lobby* - Alvin & Mary Youngsma
Back Doors - Cliff & Barb Van Reed, Dave & Betsy Ryder
- **Nursery:** *Infants* - Cathy Greene, Joseph Greene
Toddlers - Lauren Mc Grath, Mikaela Vanden Akker
- **Council Greeters:** *Main* - Kelly Lariviere
Back - Keith Vanden Akker, Steve Stinson
- **Library:** George & Debbie Nydam
- **Prayer Partners:** Howard & Marlene De Vries

WEEKLY CALENDAR

TODAY	7:00 PM	Straight Ahead Ministry at Grafton Girls' Oakes D
MON.	6:15 PM	Our Men's Softball Team - Whitinsville Christian School
	6:30 PM	Tech Group Meeting in the Student Center
TUE.	7:30 PM	Executive Team Meeting in Derek's Office
WED.	7:45 AM	Stand in the GAP Prayer Meeting in the Fellowship Hall
	3:00 PM	Straight Ahead Ministry at U. Mass. Connections
	5:00 PM	Family Night Picnic & Bible Study at Fairwoods
THU.	6:30 AM	Men's Bible Study in the Fellowship Hall
	2:00 PM	GriefShare Support Group in the Fellowship Hall
	5:06 PM	Pleasant Links Golf League at Blissful Meadows Golf Club
	7:00 PM	Praise Team Rehearsal in the Worship Center
	7:30 PM	Galileo Group in the Student Center

WELCOME TO PLEASANT STREET!



July 31, 2011

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Pastor Derek Zeyl

Loving God, Serving People

We welcome you into our community and our lives! We hope you experience God's presence as you worship with us this morning. Help us get to know you by filling in the Communication Card in the pew and putting it in the offering basket. Join us for refreshments in the fellowship hall after worship. Stop by the Welcome Center for more info about our church. Thanks for being here today!

Babies and Young Children: A nursery for ages 2 and younger is available downstairs. Ages 3 to 1st grade will be dismissed before the sermon to Room 5 (downstairs) for children's worship.

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