

# Staying Connected

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Do you have a prayer or praise to be shared with the church family regarding yourself or an immediate relative? If so, please feel free to contact us through any of the following means:

- send an email to Prayer@FrontlineBible.com
- use the link on the homepage of our website at FrontlineBible.com
- call Rachel Heyboer (616-335-1932)
- call or text Jennie Bair (616-890-3815)

## your rod and your *staff*, they comfort me

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**3** ways to give

Gracegiving

 in person  
 by mail  
 online

For: 8-2-15	Income	Budget	YTD
Operating Budget.....	3,868.02	4,000.00	-3,923.86
Missions (designated and undesignated).....	130.00	286.00	
Benevolence Fund.....	20.00	0.00	
Debt Reduction.....	0.00		
Mortgage Balance.....			94,870.66

Mission Trips	Dates	Goal	Amount Raised
Brazil Team	7/24-8/11	\$20,000.00	18,243.34
Tanzania (Moores)	5/31-6/14	\$3,500.00	Amount Met
Dublin, Ireland Team	7/7-8/3	\$4,500.00	\$3,425.00
Middle East (Matthews)	5/16-6/20	\$5,600.00	Amount Met
Tanzania (Domsic)	5/15-7/25	\$3,400.00	Amount Met

Welcome to

# FRONTLINE

## BIBLE CHURCH

Equipping people to make an eternal impact!

**Our Mission:** To cultivate a community to be imitators of Jesus Christ,  
**Our Vision:** To be the place where people become equipped to make an eternal impact in the world.

If you are visiting with us today, we're delighted that you're here! Stop by our Welcome Center, if you haven't already, to get connected.



August 9, 2015

**Pastor John Lowder**

***"II Corinthians: A Thrival Manual"***  
***Change Agents***

*II Corinthians 12:11-13:5*

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### Congregational Meeting, August 16

There will be a congregational meeting after the morning service on August 16 at 11:20 am to vote on a proposal from the board to pay off the mortgage balance with the balance of the Terpstra estate legacy gift to Frontline. We will also be discussing and soliciting suggestions for future projects and funding options.

### School Supply Santa Drive, August 1-30

School Supply Santa started in 2008 when a need was discovered while having a conversation with a teacher in a local elementary about children that experienced extreme lack of school supplies needed for them to grow and learn and start the school year. The founder of School Supply Santa, Denise Kooiker, had a determined purpose and passion to help children in the local West Michigan communities. School Supply Santa passionately lives out it's mission "to deliver hope through the giving of the necessary supplies to school aged children that would otherwise go without." Our prayer for each of these children being served is for them to know they are cared and loved and not forgotten. Join us as we at Frontline join the School Supply Santa and collect school supplies from back packs to glue sticks and everything in between this August!

### Protection Policy Training

All volunteers who work with children at Frontline Bible Church are required to complete an application, have references and background checks completed, and attend a protection policy training class in order to be certified. We have changed some minor items in our protection policy and are asking all existing children's volunteers, as well as anyone who is interested in being involved in a children's ministry this fall, to please attend one of the two scheduled trainings. The first available training will be Sunday, August 30, at 11:30 am (following the morning worship service). The second training for those who cannot attend the first one will be held on Sunday, September 20, at 12:30 pm (following Bible Hour). Lunch will be included for the second training. Please be assured that completing this training does not mean you are committed to working with a children's ministry at this time but will allow you to do so in the future if you so desire.



### Middle School (6th - 8th grades)

Aug 12 Summer Youth Group  
6:30-9:00 pm

### High School (9th - 12th grades)

Aug 12 Summer Youth Group  
6:30-9:00 pm  
Aug 15 Downtown Outreach

### Children's Worship, Grades 3-5

Children's Worship could use a few more helpers and teachers. There are trainings available on Saturday, August 22, 8:30-11:00 am, as well as Wednesday, August 27, 6:30-9:00 pm. If you have any questions or would like more information, See Gretchen Johnson or call 616-260-0397.

### Hope Unexpected

Interested in pouring love into the lives of young single moms and their children? Come join us at **Hope Unexpected** for a training to learn more about how you can volunteer. Sign up for a one time training by calling Pat our volunteer coordinator (616-546-5760) for more information, and begin being blessed, while blessing a young women in this community. The next training dates are August 10, 17 and 24 at 7:45 p.m. Training will be held in Susan's office located at First Reformed Church in Byron Center, 8425 Byron Center Avenue, Entrance "G". RSVP to Pat at [pat.hopeunexpected@gmail.com](mailto:pat.hopeunexpected@gmail.com).

### Mailboxes

If you are a regular attendee at Frontline Bible Church, you have a mailbox! Please check your mailbox during the summer months for missed bulletins and other information when you return from vacation or time off this summer.

### WEEK-AT-A-GLANCE:

#### Tuesday, August 11

5:00 pm Taekwondo Class

#### Wednesday, August 12

7:00 am Men's Bible Study

#### Thursday, August 13

6:30 pm Praise Band Practice

#### Saturday, August 15

5:00 pm Guess Who's Coming To Dinner

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

Aug 16 Congregational Meeting 11:20 am  
Aug 17 Deacons' Meeting 6:00 pm  
Aug 17 Board Meeting 7:00 pm  
Aug 17 Just Prayer 7:00 pm  
Aug 22 Children's Worship Training 8:30-11:00 am  
Aug 22 Fall Kick Off Carnival 4:00-7:00 pm  
Aug 27 Children's Worship Training 6:30-9:00 pm  
Sept 6 Jail Ministry Team  
Sept 13 Bible Hour begins



## Children's MINISTRIES

### CHILDREN'S CHURCH

(3 years old - Kindergarten)  
Teacher - Jill Anderson  
Helper - Mark Anderson

### CHILDREN'S

### WORSHIP

(1st-2nd Grade)  
See you in the fall!

### NURSERY

(newborn - 3 years old)  
John Mattias  
Amy Riemersma  
Jared Lowder