

Thanks for being here today! We welcome you to Ventura Baptist Church and pray that God would draw you closer to Himself through your time with us.

**Our Mission** is to *Pursue Jesus Together*.

“Christ died, and He died for all, so that those who live would no longer live for themselves, but for Him Who for their sake died and was raised” (2 Cor. 5:15). Believing in this truth compels us to live in three simple ways:



Exalting God



Edifying His Church



Evangelizing the World

## Today's Message:

“Unceasing Anguish”  
Romans 9:1-5

Pastor Timothy Durey

Download the sermon at  
[www.venturabaptistchurch.com/podcast/](http://www.venturabaptistchurch.com/podcast/)



16240 Quincy Street, Holland, MI 49424

Office: 616-399-6451 [venturabaptistchurch.com](http://venturabaptistchurch.com)

## MORNING SERVICE

Announcements/Call to Worship  
Video Presentation

*New Doxology*  
*Holy Holy Holy*

Pastoral Prayer of Confession & Trust  
Testimony of Grace: Ben Jacques  
Scripture Reading: Psalm 77:11-15

*In Christ Alone*  
*The Solid Rock*

Worship in Giving & Song  
Testimony of Grace: Louis Wolf  
Children's Time  
Sermon

*Great is Thy Faithfulness*

Benediction: 2 Peter 1:2-3

## EVENING ACTIVITIES



**MISSIONARY OF THE MONTH:**  
Please continue to pray for Dennis & Jan Horn serving in Bolivia.

## THIS WEEK

WED	6:30 PM	Midweek Fellowships @ Jepma's, Koedyker's, Davis's & Zeinstra's
WED	7:00 PM	Moore's, Hemmes's, Moeller's, & Wolters'
THU	7:15 PM	Women in Touch Prayer Meeting
FRI	6:00 AM	Men's Prayer (Big Apple Bagel on Waverly)
SUN	4:45 PM	Choir rehearsal

## LAST WEEK

Average Morning Attendance	227
Average Evening Attendance	97
Average Giving	\$6,224
Weekly Budget	\$5,219

mark your Calendar

MAR 31	Secret Agent Sunday & Benevolence offering
APR 5 & 6	Empowered to Connect Conference
APR 19	Good Friday Service @ 6:30 pm
MAY 18	Church Work Day
JULY 19 & 20	Training Grounds '19



Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name! For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

Psalm 100:4-5

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Next Sun, Mar 24 two new classes will begin during the Sunday School hour: **Church History** (Ben Jacques) & **The Lord's Prayer** (Jeff Lindell).

### BAPTISM SUNDAY

On Sun, Mar 24 we will rejoice in witnessing the baptism of: **Lydia Carman, Hayden and Kirsten VanderToorn**, and **Haven Woiwode**. We will also celebrate **Alyssa VanderToorn** joining our church membership. Praise God! Church family, please be aware that we will reserve several rows in the front of the auditorium for family of those being baptized.

### BABY SHOWER

Ladies, mark your calendars for **Sat, Mar 30 at 10 am** for a baby shower to celebrate Matt & Janelle Kelly's new baby. Cyndi Hemmes will be collecting for a group gift and answer any questions you may have. You may call or text (616.990.0834) or email. Please sign up.

### NEW MEMBER CELEBRATION

On **April 7** we will celebrate new members, Mark & Amy Buhl and Matt & Bethany Storer. What a joy to see how God continues to bring new members into our family at Ventura!

### DISCOVERING VENTURA CLASS

Beginning **Sun, Apr 7**, Pastor Timothy will begin a 4 week "Discovering Ventura" class at 9:30am during the Sunday School hour. If you are new to Ventura and are interested in joining our church family or would like to know more about our church, please let Pastor Timothy know that you would like to attend ([durey.vbc@gmail.com](mailto:durey.vbc@gmail.com))

### GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

Be sure to mark your calendars on April 19 at 6:30 pm for our annual Good Friday service. This year's theme is "Christ's Death, My Life." This service is one of the highlights of our church family's year as we remember and reflect on Christ's sacrifice on our behalf through Scripture, choir and congregational singing and observance of the Lord's Supper.